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FOR THE YEAR

1916.

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## LIST OF CONFERENCE SECRETARIES.

ALABAMA CONFERENCE.....	A. J. Lamar, Nashville, Tenn.
BALTIMORE CONFERENCE.....	H. M. Canter, Washington, D. C.
BRAZIL CONFERENCE.....	Jose Ferraz, Juiz de Fora, Brazil.
CENTRAL MEXICO CONFERENCE.....	Noe Aguilar, El Oro, Mex.
CENTRAL TEXAS CONFERENCE.....	A. D. Porter, Cleburne, Tex.
CHINA MISSION CONFERENCE.....	J. B. Fearn, Shanghai, China.
COLUMBIA CONFERENCE.....	H. Marvin Law, Coquille, Ore.
CUBA MISSION.....	S. A. Neblett, Matanzas, Cuba.
DENVER CONFERENCE.....	R. U. Waldraven, Pueblo, Colo.
EAST COLUMBIA CONFERENCE.....	J. H. Dills, Wheeler, Wash.
EAST OKLAHOMA CONFERENCE.....	W. L. Broome, Bristow, Okla.
FLORIDA CONFERENCE.....	Frederick Pasco, Jacksonville, Fla.
GERMAN MISSION CONFERENCE.....	F. W. Radetzky, Houston, Tex.
HOLSTON CONFERENCE.....	J. A. Burrow, Knoxville, Tenn.
ILLINOIS CONFERENCE.....	W. T. Mathis, Waverly, Ill.
JAPAN MISSION.....	W. K. Matthews, Kobe, Japan.
KENTUCKY CONFERENCE.....	W. E. Arnold, Fort Thomas, Ky.
KOREA MISSION.....	James W. Hitch, Seoul, Korea.
LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE.....	C. J. Greene, Conway, Ark.
LOS ANGELES CONFERENCE.....	Eustace Anderson, Phoenix, Ariz.
LOUISIANA CONFERENCE.....	Fitzgerald Sale Parker, Nashville, Tenn.
LOUISVILLE CONFERENCE.....	Sam M. Miller, Owensboro, Ky.
MEMPHIS CONFERENCE.....	L. H. Estes, Buntyn, Tenn.
MEXICAN BORDER CONFERENCE.....	F. S. Montelongo, El Paso, Tex.
MISSISSIPPI CONFERENCE.....	A. F. Watkins, Jackson, Miss.
MISSOURI CONFERENCE.....	C. O. Ransford, Fayette, Mo.
MONTANA CONFERENCE.....	P. D. Hartman, Missoula, Mont.
NEW MEXICO CONFERENCE.....	J. C. Jones, Albuquerque, N. Mex.
NORTH ALABAMA CONFERENCE.....	W. E. Morris, Decatur, Ala.
NORTH ARKANSAS CONFERENCE.....	F. M. Daniel, Mammoth Spring, Ark.
NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE.....	R. H. Willis, Oxford, N. C.
NORTH GEORGIA CONFERENCE.....	John F. Yarbrough, College Park, Ga.
NORTH MISSISSIPPI CONFERENCE.....	J. R. Countiss, Grenada, Miss.
NORTH TEXAS CONFERENCE.....	R. G. Mood, Denton, Tex.
NORTHWEST TEXAS CONFERENCE.....	A. L. Moore, Plainview, Tex.
PACIFIC CONFERENCE.....	L. P. Shearer, Willows, Cal.
PACIFIC MEXICAN MISSION.....	J. P. Flores, Mazatlan, Mex.
ST. LOUIS CONFERENCE.....	M. T. Haw, St. Louis, Mo.
SOUTH BRAZIL CONFERENCE.....	J. M. Terrell, Alegrete, Brazil.
SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE.....	E. O. Watson, Bamberg, S. C.
SOUTH GEORGIA CONFERENCE.....	W. F. Smith, Cordele, Ga.
SOUTHWEST MISSOURI CONFERENCE.....	C. C. Woods, St. Louis, Mo.
TENNESSEE CONFERENCE.....	G. L. Beale, Tullahoma, Tenn.
TEXAS CONFERENCE.....	O. T. Hotchkiss, Bay City, Tex.
TEXAS MEXICAN MISSION.....	L. F. Castro, McAllen, Tex.
UPPER SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE.....	W. J. Snyder, Batesburg, S. C.
VIRGINIA CONFERENCE.....	B. F. Lipscomb, Petersburg, Va.
WEST OKLAHOMA CONFERENCE.....	R. S. Satterfield, Lawton, Okla.
WEST TEXAS CONFERENCE.....	Sterling Fisher, Austin, Tex.
WESTERN NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE.....	W. L. Sherrill, Charlotte, N. C.
WESTERN VIRGINIA CONFERENCE.....	W. L. Reid, Prestonsburg, Ky.



# MINUTES.

## PACIFIC MEXICAN MISSION.

SECOND SESSION.

APPOINTED FOR CULIACAN, MEXICO, JANUARY 20, 1916.

BISHOP CANDLER, *President*; J. P. FLORES, *Secretary*.

Because of war disturbances, the Mission held no meeting. The appointments and membership statistics for the year are the only data available. See Tables I-VI for figures of 1914.

### LOCAL PREACHERS AND MEMBERS.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Nogales .....	2	79
Guaymas .....	1	68
Culiacan .....	...	60
Mazatlan .....	2	86
Phoenix and Tempe.....	1	56
Cananea .....	...	69
Tepic .....	3	50
Santa Maria del Oro.....	...	50
Santiago Ixquintla .....	...	15
Jalcocotan .....	1	26
Los Angeles .....	...	6
Total this year .....	10	565
Total last year .....	...	561
Increase .....	...	4

### APPOINTMENTS.

J. F. Corbin, *Superintendent*.

Phoenix and Tempe, to be supplied by M. C. Galindo.

Nogales, Joseph Thacker.

Santa Ana and Pitiquito, F. D. Hernandez.

Cananea, E. Soto.

Guaymas, Josue Bustamante.

Culiacan, Ramon Maldonado.

Mazatlan, J. P. Flores.

Rosario and Pozole, T. M. Gomez.

Tepic, Antonio Olivas.

Jalcocotan, to be supplied.

Santa Maria del Oro, to be supplied.

Ixquintla, to be supplied.

Los Angeles, to be supplied by Miguel Bustamante.

## MEXICAN BORDER CONFERENCE.

THIRTY-FIRST SESSION.

HELD AT EL PASO, TEX., FEBRUARY 2-7, 1916.

BISHOP CANDLER, *President*; F. S. MONTELONGO, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. Emeterio Soto. 1.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? E. P.

Munoz, Benjamin Fernandez, E. B. Vargas, Tarso Reyes, Basilio Soto, Jr. 5.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? None.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? Julian Castro. 1.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? None.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? R. C. Ortega, Juan N. Pascoe. 2.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? Maximo Villareal, Arthur Marston. 2.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? S. G. Kilgore, Eulalio Chavez, Matilde Trevino. 3.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? Melchur Chaparro. 1. (No memoir.)

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called one by one, and their characters were examined and passed, except Daniel T. Torns, who was reported as having withdrawn from our Church.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### *Chihuahua District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Chihuahua .....	2	175
Durango .....	2	288
Torreón .....	5	135
El Paso .....	5	168
Marfa .....	1	153
Alamo Gordo .....	...	53
Toyah .....	1	42
Monterey .....	...	217
Saltillo .....	1	187
Piedras Negras .....	...	164
	12	1,582

#### *Monterey District.*

Monterey .....	...	217
Saltillo .....	1	187
Piedras Negras .....	...	164
	1	568

#### *Recapitulation.*

Chihuahua District .....	12	1,582
Monterey District .....	1	568
Total this year .....	13	2,150
Total last year .....	10	728
Increase .....	3	1,422

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 3.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 12.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 59.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 79.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 5.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 250.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 18.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 111.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 1,146.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$30.25.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$16.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, nothing; Home and Conference Missions, \$146.50. Total, \$146.50.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$82.50.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$56.10.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$4.65.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, nothing; preachers in charge, \$636.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$6.10.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 36; houses of worship, 23.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$117,650; indebtedness, not reported.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 17; parsonages, 9.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Not reported.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 2; district parsonages, none.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district

parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Not reported.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? None.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$2,510; premiums paid, \$11.09.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Lydia Patterson Institute: Value of property, \$55,000; professors, 13; pupils, 180. Seth Ward College: Value of property, \$5,000. Palmore College: Value of property, \$50,000; professors, 12; pupils, 631. MacDonell Institute: Value of property, \$28,000; professors, 3. Methodist Normal School, Saltillo: Value of property, \$40,000; professors, 14. Effie Edington School: Value of property, \$8,000; professors, 5; pupils, 146. Laurens Institute: Value of property, \$60,000; professors, 13; pupils, 258.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? Not reported.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? No report.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Monterey, Nuevo Leon.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### MONTEREY DISTRICT.

*J. B. Cox, P. E.*

Monterey, Benjamin Fernandez.  
Saltillo, Julian Castro.  
Teran, to be supplied.  
Piedras Negras and Allende, Tarso Reyes.  
Villaldama, to be supplied.  
Camargo, to be supplied.  
Monclova, to be supplied.

The following are serving charges in the Texas Mexican Mission: D. W. Carter,

Basilio Soto, Sr., Santos Romo, A. R. Cardenas, Basilio Soto, Jr., Ramon Lopez y Lopez, E. B. Vorgas, R. G. Farias, Zenon Moraida, L. F. Castro, P. G. Verduzco, Pedro Grado, A. R. Penn.

#### CHIHUAHUA DISTRICT.

*J. H. Fitzgerald, P. E.*

El Paso and East El Paso, F. S. Montelongo.

Chihuahua, R. C. Ortega.

Marfa, Marcos de la Garza, supply.

Toyah, Ramon Gardea, supply.

Alamo Gordo, to be supplied.

Torreón, E. P. Munoz.

Durango, Miguel Narro.

Cuencame, to be supplied.

Nombre de Dios and Muleros, to be supplied.

Panuco and Avino, to be supplied.

The following are serving charges in the Pacific Mexican Mission: J. F. Corbin, Joseph Thacker, Emeterio Soto, Ramon Maldonado, J. P. Flores.

#### APPOINTMENTS FOR THE SCHOOLS AND HOSPITAL.

Laurens Institute: Leandro Garza y Leal, Director.

Methodist Normal School at Saltillo: Miss Lelia Roberts, Director; Miss Frankie Hooper, Missionary.

MacDonell Institute: Mrs. Nellie O'Biern, Director; Miss Jonie Pearson, Missionary.

Palmore College: Miss Lizzie Wilson, Director; Miss Lucy C. Harper, Miss Annie Churchill, Miss Edith Park, Missionaries.

Lydia Patterson Institute: Laurence Reynolds, Director; Miss Charlie May Cunningham, Missionary.

Seth Ward College, to be supplied.

Monterey Hospital, to be supplied.

*Transferred.*—Juan N. Pascoe, to the Central Mexico Conference; N. E. Joyner, to the Louisiana Conference

### CUBA MISSION.

SEVENTEENTH SESSION.

HELD AT HAVANA, CUBA, FEBRUARY 29-MARCH 3, 1916.

BISHOP MURRAH, *President*; S. A. NEBLETT, *Secretary*.

#### SUMMARY OF STATISTICS.

Organized congregations, 51; local preachers, 18; members, 4,048; additions on profession of faith, 196—otherwise,

128. Dropped from rolls by death, 16—by certificate and otherwise, 136. Net increase in membership, 172.

Baptisms: adults and young people,

193; infants, 292; present number of candidates, 661.

Marriages performed, 130.

Sunday schools, 57; officers and teachers, 253; pupils enrolled, 3,107; present enrollment, 2,157.

Epworth Leagues, 17; members, 494.

*Financial.*—Collected for pastoral support, \$2,083.35; Domestic Missions, \$1,219.64; Church Extension, \$721.41; Christian education, \$166.58; *Cuban Evangelist* (subsidy), \$373.25; Pastors' Institute, \$358.66; Conference claimants, \$85.86; delegates to General Conference, \$5.50; American Bible Society, \$58.68; printing minutes and tracts, \$139.67; repairing and furnishing churches, \$578.78; parsonage repairs, \$219.40; incidental expenses, \$2,471.10; other objects, \$2,106.03. Sunday schools—for missions \$357.54, for literature \$688.82, for National Association \$57.07, for other objects \$616.55. Epworth League, \$307.07. Total, \$12,524.15; counted twice, \$191.55; net total, \$12,332.60.

*Property.*—Number of churches and chapels 39, value \$140,394; value of furniture \$12,393; parsonages 22, value \$49,291; college buildings 9, value \$150,306, value of furniture \$15,713; value of other property \$5,505; total of values, \$374,042.

*Schools.*—Number of schools 5, American missionaries and teachers, 23, native teachers 15, auxiliary teachers 3, students enrolled 591, present attendance 489, boarding pupils 142; collected for tuitions, etc., \$33,486.70.

## APPOINTMENTS.

### EASTERN DISTRICT.

*O. K. Hopkins, Superintendent.*

Santiago de Cuba and Cayo Smith, O. K. Hopkins and Rafael Santoyo.

Guantanamo Circuit, W. M. Mullen, and one to be supplied.

Preston and Antilla, J. F. Caperton.

Mayari Circuit, J. F. Galvez.

Sagua de Tanamo, Victor Lopez.

Holguin Circuit, Prospero Guerra.

Omaja Circuit, A. H. Moore, Jr.

Camaguey: American Congregation, B. O. Hill.

Cuban Congregation, Edmundo Valdes.

Nuevitas Circuit, Francisco Castells.

La Gloria, H. G. Cowan.

### CENTRAL DISTRICT.

*S. A. Neblett, Superintendent.*

Matanzas and Alacranes, S. A. Neblett and Ignacio Gonzalez.

Jovelanos Circuit, Juan G. Munoz.

Cardenas, R. L. Whitehead.

Colon, M. A. Vidaurreta.

Aguada and Abreus, Agustin Nodal.

Cienfuegos Circuit, R. J. Parker.

Ranchuelo and San Juan, Abelardo Losa.

Santa Clara and San Marcos, J. C. Elkins.

Fomento Circuit, Manuel Rodriguez.

### WESTERN DISTRICT.

*E. E. Clements, Superintendent.*

Havana: American Congregation, J. P. Lancaster.

Havana Circuit, Cuban Congregations, E. E. Clements, B. F. Gilbert, and Luis Alonso.

Candler College Church, H. B. Bardwell.

Santiago de las Vegas and Hoyo Colorado Circuit, D. A. Nogales.

Pinar del Rio and Herradura, Henry Smith.

Isle of Pines, G. D. Naylor.

Student in Candler College, Lorenzo Verdecia.

Absent on leave, M. M. Stewart.

### SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES.

Candler College, Puentes Grandes: H. B. Bardwell, Director; L. H. Robinson, Professor.

Candler College, Virtudes 10: E. E. Clements, Director; B. F. Gilbert, Vice Director; Luis Alonso, Teacher.

Pinson College, Camaguey: B. O. Hill, Director; E. Valdes, Teacher.

Irene Toland College, Matanzas: Miss Rebecca Toland, Directress; Misses M. Belle Markey, Margaret Webster, and E. B. Tydings, Missionaries.

Eliza Bowman College, Cienfuegos: Miss Frances B. Moling, Directress; Misses Manelle M. Forster and Bessie Lee Wilson, Missionaries.

*El Evangelista Cubano*, S. A. Neblett, Director; Juan G. Munoz and J. C. Elkins, Editors; R. L. Whitehead, Business Manager; D. A. Nogales, Assistant Manager.

Sunday School Literature, S. A. Neblett, Editor.

Treasurer of the Mission, E. E. Clements.

BALTIMORE CONFERENCE.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND SESSION.

HELD AT ALEXANDRIA, VA., MARCH 22-27, 1916.

BISHOP MOUZON, *President*; H. M. CANTER, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
ANSWER. Watson Ely Holley, George Dent Naylor, Edgar Carroll Beery. 3. (George E. Pope, Charles V. Van Der Linden, Obed Lee Gochenour, Harry E. Weissner, were continued in the class of the first year.)

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Lingurn Burkhead Bobbitt, Archie Booth Sapp, Clifton Keys Ray, Charles Clinton Bush, Clarence J. Clark, Richard H. Evans, John Charles Spindler, Charles W. Fink, H. S. Coffey, Frederick E. Allison, H. L. Dean. 11. (Harry C. Marsh, Walter S. Nicholson, Walter W. White, were continued in the class of the second year.)

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? James Pennell Wiley, Murphy Du Laney Ellmore, Ernest W. Aaron, Edmund Gwynn Coe, Raymond Carl Maxwell, John W. Rosenberger, Jonathan William Leggett, Z. B. Randall. 8. (William W. Beasley and Vincent W. Wheeler were continued in the class of the third year.)

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? U. G. Foote, from the Louisville Conference; Z. B. Randall and H. L. Dean, from the Holston Conference. 3.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? Jonathan William Leggett. 1.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? Charles E. N. Hall, Walter S. Thomas, S. J. Lester Du Laney, Samuel R. Snead. 4. (William C. Boswell and James B. Hedrick were continued in the class of the fourth year.)

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? James Pennell Wiley, Murphy Du Laney Ellmore, Edmund Gwynn Coe, Raymond Carl Maxwell, Jonathan William Leggett. 5.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? James Pennell Wiley, Murphy Du Laney Ellmore, Edmund Gwynn Coe, Raymond Carl Maxwell, Jonathan William Leggett. 5.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? Archie Booth Sapp,

Isaac Harness Van Devander, George Davis Kiracofe, Charles Valentine Van Der Linden. 4.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Archie Booth Sapp, Isaac Harness Van Devander, George Davis Kiracofe, Charles Valentine Van Der Linden. 4.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Glenn Gordon Martin, Anthony Ousley Lyons, Harvey Luther Bivens, George Gilbert Oliver, Elmer Asbury Lambert. 5.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Glenn Gordon Martin, Anthony Ousley Lyons, Harvey Luther Bivens, George Gilbert Oliver, Elmer Asbury Lambert. 5.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? H. C. Febrey, at his own request. 1.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? John S. Engle, Allen A. P. Neel, German O. Homan, Howard A. Murrill. 4.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? Ephraim L. Kregelo, William G. Hammond, A. Poe Boude, William Hedges, J. Lester Shipley, Thomas W. Brown, Asbury R. Martin, Hamilton W. Kinzer, J. Frederick Baggs, James M. Hawley, Norman N. Hall, Benjamin F. Ball, Frazier Furr, Oscar F. Burgess, James R. Van Horne, Henry S. Coe, James M. Anderson, H. Monroe Strickler, William H. D. Harper, Isaac W. Canter, John T. Maxwell, Rufus H. Wilson, Oliver C. Beall, James W. Grubb, William E. Miller, James L. Kibler, William Melville, Hamilton M. Roane, Vincent W. Wheeler, Thomas Cooper, John W. McNeil, Fiske E. Hammond, Eldridge V. Regester, John H. Kuhlmann, Frank T. Griffith, James B. Hedrick, James L. Henderson. 37.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? W. W. Watts, Isaac Ryder, J. K. Gilbert, C. E. Simmons, W. M. Waters, C. E. Stanton, J. T. Williams, John H. Davidson, S. A. Parker. 9.



ISAAC RYDER was born in Cheshire, England, February 21, 1854. He was married to Miss Araminta Gallagher on September 21, 1881. God blessed this union with five children—two sons, Ira E. Ryder, of Fork Union, Va., and Cecil A. Ryder, of Washington, D. C.; and three daughters, Mrs. Charlotte Ryder Key, Miss Mabel R. Ryder, and Miss Grace S. Ryder, of Jacksonville, Fla. Isaac Ryder was converted and licensed to preach at the age of twenty-nine. He served as a local preacher for two years, and joined the Florida Conference on January 7, 1885; was ordained deacon in December, 1886, by Bishop Hendrix, and ordained elder two years later by Bishop Key. For seventeen years Brother Ryder was a member of the Florida Conference, and a member of the Baltimore Conference for fourteen years, he having been transferred to Maryland from Riverside Park, Jacksonville, Fla., in 1901; and after superannuation he returned, in 1908, to Jacksonville, where he resided until his death, July 28, 1915. For seven years he suffered from Bright's disease, being confined to his bed four months and a half preceding his death. Under the immediate care of his wife and daughters, he bore his afflictions with great patience and with Christian grace. Isaac Ryder was a man of strong conviction and decision. Life with him was no idle dream. It was more than a casting of a shadow or the leaving of a track on the sands of time. For him to live was Christ—for every day and deed formed a conspicuous part in life's drama. His greatest delight was found in preaching the gospel he loved so well. He was most interested in those themes setting forth the fundamentals of our holy Methodism. To live, and live right, was his motto. Honesty, truth, and uprightness were index fingers pointing the way of his goings. The funeral was conducted from Marvin Church by Rev. C. W. Inman. His brethren in the ministry served as pallbearers, and his body was laid to rest in Evergreen Cemetery. With perfect confidence, we look for a happy meeting in that land of eternal bliss.—*C. W. Inman.*

WALTER WILMOT WATTS was born near Abingdon, Harford County, Md., October 2, 1831, and died in Strasburg, Va., July 31, 1915. When only twelve years of age he was deeply convicted of sin under the preaching of Rev. Richard Brown, and sought and found salvation through faith in Christ Jesus; and from that time on,

through all the years of his life and long ministry, he enjoyed the consciousness of God's presence and peace. On February 10, 1862, he was licensed to preach, and in 1867 was received on trial by the Baltimore Conference, and was sent to West Harford, near the place of his birth and youth, and where God blessed his ministry with eighty-five professions of faith and sixty accessions to the membership of the Church. At the session of Conference held at Trinity Church, Baltimore, in March, 1869, he was received into full connection and appointed to Charles Circuit, where he remained for two years. His subsequent appointments were: Prince George, 1871; South River, 1872-3; West Harford, 1874; Queen Anne, 1875-8; Montgomery, 1879-82; Amsterdam Mission, 1883-5; Monterey, 1886-7; New Hope, 1888; Port Republic, 1889-91; Strasburg, 1892; Warren, 1893; Gainsboro, 1894-7; Roanoke Circuit, 1898; and Elliston, 1899-1902. At the close of his quadrennium of service on the Elliston Circuit, he asked for and was granted the relation of superannuated preacher. After his superannuation he moved to Strasburg, Va., where he and his wife resided in great peace of mind and contentment of soul until her death, in 1912; after which said event he made his home with his daughter, Mrs. C. D. Brown, in the same town. On June 15, 1854, he was married to Miss Sarah E. Wells, of Harford County, Maryland. For fifty-eight years she was a faithful and loving wife and a devoted helpmeet to him, both in his active ministry and during his infirmity. Seven children—four sons and three daughters—were born to Brother and Sister Watts, all of whom are still living to revere the memory of their honored father. Such is the simple record of one of the true heroes of the Baltimore Conference. He was quiet, unpretentious, gentle, and withal faithful in every position to which the Church appointed him. He was not a man to demand choice places, but, like the loyal Methodist preacher that he was, accepted cheerfully whatever was given him. Like his Master, he "went about doing good." He was a man of prayer and faith and hope. He did not spare himself in the care of the flock committed to him, but by faithful preaching of the word, by prayer and counsel in the homes of his people, he cultivated the faith and built up in love and good works those under his care. He gave to his work his best in zeal, in effort, and in oversight; his people gave back to him love, confidence,

and esteem. As a preacher he was clear, scriptural, evangelical, and versed and grounded in Methodist doctrine. "He believed, therefore he spoke." In every relation of life, public and private, personal and official, he exemplified the high principles of his religion; and having served his generation by the grace of God, by this same grace he was ready and willing to lay aside his armor and receive his crown. During his last days on earth, on account of disease and senile weakness his mind became feeble, but in all of his mental wanderings the Church and her holy services were ever present in his confused thought. Every morning he would ask those about his bedside if it were not Sunday, and would express a desire to go to church. Before he was confined to his bed and while still able to walk about the house, eluding the members of the home, he feebly found his way to the church and tried every door that he might enter his Father's house and offer him worship. In the delirium which came upon him a few days before his death, he preached a sermon, concluding with a beautiful prayer. On July 31, 1915, Brother Watts passed to his reward. His end was peace, a fitting close to the life he had lived. Funeral services were conducted in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in Strasburg by Rev. J. H. Haley, assisted by Rev. R. C. Meeks and other ministers of Strasburg. A life like this, a life simply lived, a life full of faith in God and full of confidence in man, a life spent in doing good, a life triumphant in death, does more than all the bursting buds and blooming flowers, more than all the glittering wings that flutter above the ruins of the chrysalis, more than all the books written on Christian evidences, to convince this tired and discouraged world that Jesus Christ is alive and that the tomb wherein he lay is empty.

"The stars shall fade away, the sun himself  
Grow dim with age, and nature sink in years;  
But thou shalt flourish in immortal youth,  
Unhurt, amidst the war of elements,  
The wreck of matter, and the crash of worlds."

—W. O. Talbert.

WILLIAM MAGRUDER WATERS was born at Brookeville, Md., September 9, 1861. He was the son of Zachariah and Elizabeth Hammond Waters. Through his fa-

ther he was related to the old and distinguished Waters family of Maryland, from which family came William Watters, the first native-born Methodist preacher in America. Through his mother, whose maiden name was Magruder, he was connected with the ancient Scotch family Gregor. He was for years the chaplain of the American clan Gregor. He was educated at the Brookeville Academy, Maryland, and at Randolph-Macon College. After leaving college, he taught school at the Rockville Academy, Maryland. He entered the ministry of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in March, 1888. At the Conference of March, 1890, which met in St. Paul's Church, Baltimore, Md., he was elected to deacon's orders and ordained by Bishop Duncan. Two years later, at Harrisonburg, Va., he was elected elder and was ordained by Bishop Keener. The following list of appointments tells the story of a life spent in the itinerant ministry of his Church: In 1888-89 he served Piedmont, Va., as junior preacher with Rev. C. A. Joyce. The friendship created between these two men in the blessed fellowship of service on this large circuit lasted through all the years until the older man went home to his reward. In 1890 he was sent as preacher in charge to Beltsville, Md., and in 1891 Emory, D. C., was his appointment. In 1892-3 he was stationed at Elkton, Va. During the next twelve years he served Franklin, W. Va., Reisterstown, Md., and Hillsboro, Va., each four years. In 1906-7 he was at Moorefield, W. Va. From 1908-11 his appointment was Calvert, Md. His next station was Leesburg, Va., which he served three years, from 1911 to 1914. He went from the Conference of 1914 to Remington, Va., for one year. In March, 1915, he was sent to Glen Wilton, Va. During the year his health, which had been failing for several years, broke down entirely. Seeing his approaching end, his care was for the future welfare of his family. He was released from his work by his presiding elder, and moved to Washington City. Here he secured a home for his loved ones. He at once associated himself with the Mount Pleasant Church, and it was the hope of all that a season of rest amid congenial surroundings would at least prolong his life. It was not so ordered by Divine Providence. He had not more than set in order his earthly affairs when the summons came from on high. As he had lived in quiet and peaceful faith in God, and a lover of the souls of men, so he,



died and entered upon the great achievement of eternal life. This is the simple story of a high and noble spirit. Brother Waters was first of all a man of deep piety. From his childhood he lived in an atmosphere of genuine religious fervor. His boyhood home was one of marked religious devotion. A view of such a home would be a sure prophecy of the consecration of the service to the Master's cause of the two sons, both in the ministry, that went out of it. There was in it the air of real refinement and culture, and all of its relationships were dominated by the spirit of Christ. The Ark of the Lord was in this home, and the covenant of pious parents included the dedication of the boys to the ministry of the gospel of Christ. Though many avenues of successful life were opened to him, and many very attractive fields invited him to the achievement of fame and fortune, he could not rid himself of the claims of God upon his whole life in the service of the Church. The writer of this memoir stood with him at the parting of the ways in his early manhood. The way of the world seemed so alluring and attractive. He was splendidly equipped with perfect physical life, with courage of manly strength, with inherited grace of manner and charm of personality, with well-trained intellect, and with wide family influence. He seemed to be ready for any high enterprise. To throw his fortune with the itinerant ministry was no slight matter. He well knew that he would meet many conditions of the most uncongenial sort, and that he was assuming many responsibilities foreign to his training and temperament. When will the world come to appreciate the force of such a battle, and the glory of its victory? The final crisis came at old Wesley Grove Camp Meeting. Under a powerful sermon by Rev. W. M. Leftwich, on "The Call to the Ministry," he saw his duty clearly, and without further counting the cost he decided to spend his life as an itinerant preacher. His character was too true and his piety too deep to allow him to try an experiment with God. His answer, once made to the divine call, knew no revocation. He was committed for life. Brother Waters was a man of the open air and the sunlight. He loved to commune with nature. He knew her varied language and loved to ramble through those marvelous paths of earth where the footprints of God lead to God himself. It was not the wandering of a truant spirit when, with rod and line, he would spend the blessed day by some

crystal stream in the mountains. Here, amid the prodigality of the Father's revelations of truth and beauty, he often revealed in his high kinship with the God of nature.

"One impulse from the vernal wood  
May teach you more of man,  
Of moral evil and of good,  
Than all the sages can."

He ever loved to enter the courts of the great Temple through the Gate Beautiful. Closely related to his love of nature was another leading trait of his character—his love of truth. He knew no deviation from the way of truth. Call it what you please—the art of getting on in the world, diplomacy, tact—whenever either of these meant the least semblance of insincerity, he was a stranger to it. I doubt if Brother Waters ever told a lie. He may have been considered too frank sometimes; but if he was, it was for fear that self-interests might compromise the absolute truth. His intellectual integrity was so well established that he did not fear to do his own thinking. While he was modest of his own attainments, and distrusted himself to a fault, it was not the face of man that he feared. Friends he had everywhere. He knew what friendship meant. He was too sincere to be universally popular. Many of his highest qualities have little value in the world's market. He preached the gospel as he absorbed it in his Christian home, as he deepened his convictions of its truth in his study, as he drank in its beauty in God's great out-of-doors, as he felt its power upon his knees. We may judge that his most lasting impression upon the world will be upon those high souls that waited upon his ministry in the holy passion of finding where his grace and truth touch human life in its highest ranges of experience, and in its deepest moods of worship and adoration and praise. Few men have questioned themselves more closely in their quest of self-discovery. Few have held themselves through all the years more finely to the Christ ideals in a struggle for self-mastery. Few have had a sweeter instrument of self-revelation than he in his rich, full voice, which rang true and clear the note of the soul's exaltation and victory. He was buried at Glenwood Cemetery, Washington, D. C. Here his friends will love to linger while unawares they catch the music of his voice still singing the songs of Moses and the Lamb, and feel the impulse of a new hope in the whisperings of a holy memory, "He was

a friend of Jesus." His beloved wife, who was Miss Bessie Woolf, and three children survive him. They have received the rich inheritance of his stainless life. More precious to them will be the sweet memory of his faithful service and devotion to humanity and to God than all the wealth of this world. The world will be a better place to live in if his grace of personality passes on to another generation and flows on through the years like the river of God that blesses all the shores it touches.—*F. J. Prettyman.*

JEROME KYLE GILBERT was born in Shellsburg, Pa., June 21, 1851. His father was the Rev. John L. Gilbert, who for many years was a prominent member of the Baltimore Conference. Brother Gilbert was born again at the old Brushy Ridge Camp Meeting in August, 1872. While he seldom spoke of his birthplace in Pennsylvania, he often talked of Brushy Ridge, his spiritual birthplace, where he first knew his sins forgiven and that he had passed from darkness unto light. He commenced his career as a young man in Lewisburg, W. Va., where he studied law and was licensed to practice. Soon after his conversion he felt that he was called to the ministry, and in the fall following his conversion, at the request of his pastor, he held a protracted meeting in a schoolhouse near Lewisburg, which resulted in the conversion of thirty-four souls. This new experience only served to deepen the conviction of the genuineness of his call of God to preach the gospel, and in the spring of 1873 he was licensed to preach by the Quarterly Conference of the Lewisburg charge. In the year 1875 he was admitted on trial into the Baltimore Conference in Washington, D. C., Bishop Marvin presiding; and thus commenced his career as an itinerant Methodist preacher. He continued in the regular ministry of the Church for forty years, serving the following circuits: Laurel, South Branch, Fairfield, Monterey, Highland, North River, Morgan, James River, Lexington, Talcott, Greenbank, Mount Jackson, Port Republic, Parnassus, New Hope, Stafford, Sudley, Newport, Oriskany, Catawba, Bath, and Churchville, where he ceased from labor and entered into rest. In the month of February, 1915, his health began to fail, owing to serious heart trouble. He was compelled to give up his work, that he might take a needed rest, hoping to be able to regain his health and enter again upon the ministry he loved so

much; but he was not permitted to do so. On September 25, 1878, he was happily married to Miss Mary E. Jones, of Highland County, who entered heartily into his work and shared with him all the trying experiences of his itinerant life. He was particularly anxious to attend the last session of the Conference in Washington, as it had been just forty years since he joined the Conference in that city, and during this time he had failed only once to answer the roll call. But Providence willed otherwise. Brother Gilbert had unusual preaching ability, and presented the great themes of the gospel in a strong and vigorous style. One of his friends, who heard him just a few months before his last illness, said: "Those two sermons were peerless in pulpit fervor and eloquence." He had a voice of thunder that rang with the authority of the gospel. Among the last sermons which he preached was one on "A Call to the Ministry," delivered at the District Conference held at Port Republic. Upon this occasion he doubtless drew on his personal experience, but the sermon was in every way in perfect accord with the idea that the call to the ministry was divine, and that it was a prerogative belonging to God to call men into this service. Forty years of preaching here on earth was to end with his call to a higher ministry. The weary itinerant expressed on several occasions a desire to depart and be with Christ, if it was God's will that his work was done. So on the morning of August 19 he quietly fell asleep. His body was buried in Churchville, while his spirit went back to God who gave it.

"No star goes down, but climbs again in other skies;  
The rose of evening folds its glory up,  
To burst again from out the heart of dawn.  
Love never dies, though hearts run waste  
And sorrow makes a chastened soul to sigh;  
The darkest night reveals the starriest hope,  
And faith can trust its heaven, beyond the veil."

CHARLES E. SIMMONS was born in Anne Arundel County, Maryland, November 20, 1851, and died at Manassas, Prince William County, Va., August 22, 1915. These dates mark the beginning and close of an earthly career which made deep and abiding impressions. His educational fitness for his life work was begun in the public schools of his native county. Later he

attended school in Baltimore City. In the days of scholastic preparation he felt his sphere of service was the schoolroom. That he might instruct others, he made himself master of the subjects to be taught. In his pulpit ministries these school tendencies were manifest. He analyzed his theme, brought to light the principle implied, stressed it and made it clear to his hearers. Thoroughness was a dominant trait in him. He had scarcely begun his work as a teacher when the Holy Spirit called him to the higher service of teaching the lost the way of salvation. He responded to that call with whole-heartedness, giving himself unqualifiedly unto that work. He was admitted on trial into the Baltimore Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in March, 1874. Two years later he, with Robert J. Andrew, J. Frederick Baggs, Oscar F. Burgess, and Rufus M. Wheeler, was received into full connection. Forty-three years of service he gave to the Church as a herald of righteousness. His appointments were such as laid upon him the burden of heavy service, and he met these demands with the full consecration of his every power. In self-forgetfulness he went forth breathing the prayer, "Lord, make me a blessing to others." That prayer was answered—not in the sphere of great pulpit oratory, but in that sphere where the real powers of the man find their amplest expression: in the circle of personal contact. Those who knew him in this more intimate relation conceded that he was one of God's noblemen. His labors were chiefly among those who venerated the preacher; who welcomed his coming into their home circle; who counted it a happy privilege to have him read God's word, and in prayer commend the family to the heavenly Father. His pastorates brought him in contact with a people hungering "for the good things of the life to come"; gave opportunity for noble service. He met the opportunity. He wrested success from conditions which would have filled less heroic spirits with despair. His pastorates covered a large part of our Conference territory. He served the following: Franklin, Flintstone, Royal Oak, Jarrettsville, Church Hill, Occoquan, Blue Sulphur, Berkeley Springs, Capon Bridge, Springfield, Roanoke Circuit, Churchville, Edinburg, Morrisville. In the spring of 1914, feeling unable for the duties of the pastorate, he asked for and was granted the superannuate relation. With his family, he retired to Manassas to rest until

he should be called to his reward. The waiting was brief. On Sunday, August 22, 1915, he was called to sheathe his sword and go to his coronation. He died of acute indigestion. The end came so suddenly that none were prepared for it. Before his watchers realized the gravity of his condition, he closed his eyes and was gone. Funeral services were held in Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Manassas, Va., August 24, 1915, conducted by Rev. D. H. Kern, assisted by Rev. C. M. Sarver, Rev. J. H. Kuhlmann, and Rev. E. A. Roades. The Masonic order attended the ceremonies at the church and escorted the body to the railway station. The interment was in Mount Olivet Cemetery, Baltimore. Rev. T. J. Lambert and Rev. J. R. Andrew conducted the services at the grave. In 1884 Brother Simmons was married to Miss Mary E. Paxton: she and their four children survive him and mourn his loss.

"There is a world above,

Where parting is unknown—

A long eternity of love

Formed for the good alone;

And faith beholds the dying here

Translated to that happier sphere.

Thus star by star declines

Till all are passed away—

As morning high and higher shines

To pure and perfect day;

Nor sink those stars in empty night,

But hide themselves in heaven's own light."

CHARLES SAMUEL STANTON.—In the heart of the Shenandoah Valley, amid the foothills of the North Mountains which mark its western border and in full view of the picturesque Massanutten Range, nestles the little village of Mount Clifton, Va. Here it was that on May 8, 1864, the subject of this memoir was born; and to him there seems to have been imparted, as a birthright, something of the ruggedness and strength of the land in which he lived. He was the son of Benjamin J. and Mary Jane Stanton, but in early youth went to live with his uncle, Capt. J. Clinton Boude, of Lexington, by whom he was reared and educated. At the age of eighteen he was happily converted in a meeting held at Mount Clifton by Rev. Charles G. Linthicum. For a few years he taught school, but, feeling called to the ministry, in the fall of 1887 he applied to the Quarterly Conference of his home Church for license to preach, and it was granted him, Dr. J. H. Waugh being

presiding elder. Some months later he attended the session of the Baltimore Conference in Martinsburg, W. Va., where on March 16, 1888, he was received on trial into the traveling connection. During the twenty-seven years of his itinerant ministry Brother Stanton served the following charges: 1888-9, Linden; 1889-93, Hillsboro, Md.; 1893-5, Trinity, Roanoke; 1895-8, Reisterstown; 1898-1900, Middleburg; 1900-4, Clifton Forge; 1904-5, Keyser; 1905-7, Lewisburg; 1907-10, Hinton; 1910-11, Shepherdstown; 1911-13, Christiansburg; 1913-15, Elkton. No man among us seemed more stalwart, and of none would long life have been more confidently predicted; consequently it was a great shock to his brethren when, toward the close of his first year in Elkton, it began to be noised abroad that his health was failing. Almost from the very first it was realized that some serious malady had befallen him, and he was advised to go to Baltimore for treatment. After several weeks, appearing to be much improved by reason of the operation he had undergone, he returned to his charge; but his strength was not equal to the task, and he entered the hospital at Harrisonburg, where for three months the tireless ministrations of a faithful physician and friend proved unavailing. Once more he went to Baltimore, in hope that further surgical assistance might bring permanent relief; but this time the doctor refused to operate, and as gently as possible told him to set his house in order. The end was not far distant. Tender ministries of love soothed his declining days, and for a brief period he seemed to improve. The Conference of 1915 being at hand, he moved to Harrisonburg and asked for a superannuate relation. All hope of recovery was now abandoned. His massive constitution had been undermined by the insidious disease, and slowly he passed into the Valley of the Shadow. On October 24, 1915, he fell asleep with his family gathered about him; a few devoted neighbors and his pastor were also present. The funeral was conducted by Rev. J. Howard Wells, and his body laid to rest in Woodbine Cemetery, Harrisonburg. Brother Stanton was married February 4, 1884, to Miss Victoria Elizabeth Will, by whom he is survived. One son and two daughters also remain to mourn his loss. It is not easy to characterize a many-sided life, and Brother Stanton was many-sided. In him the extremes seemed to meet. He was genial and versatile, possessed of an

unfailing fund of humor and equipped with the power of apt portrayal. He could be tender as a woman, but also stern and unyielding when the occasion demanded, and he was terribly withering in his scornful denunciations of hypocrisy and sin. As a preacher he was scriptural. His style was his own and very unique, startling his hearers oftentimes by the unexpected turn he would give the text, but always true to the spirit of his Lord. He expounded the Word with power, and in consequence his ministry was uplifting and edifying; by it the saints were strengthened and sinners were converted to God. During the weary months of his last illness he entered into a richer knowledge of his Lord through the fellowship of suffering. His was the patience of hope. No murmur or complaint fell from his lips. Doubts arose only to disappear from the horizon through a triumphant faith. The assurance of his salvation was unshaken, and his pastor writes of him: "He was not afraid to go, but wanted to get well that he might preach the gospel he loved." When the summons came it found him ready, waiting and watching; and "like one who draws the drapery of his couch about him, and lies down to pleasant dreams," he passed away full of peace. Thus again our ranks are broken, but not forever. Faith has its fruition, and with unshaken confidence we can say:

"He is not dead, this friend, not dead;  
But, in paths no mortals tread,  
Gone some few trifling steps ahead,  
And nearer to the end!  
So we, too, once passed the bend,  
Shall find again, as face to face, this  
friend

We now call dead."

—H. M. Canter.

JAMES T. WILLIAMS.—On the morning of November 29, 1915, the pure, heroic spirit of Rev. James T. Williams left, in the hospital in Charles Town, W. Va., the shattered tenement of clay which had been its home for sixty-nine years, and passed to its new abode in the "house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens." The life thus ended began in Warrenton, Va., September 10, 1846. When but a boy of sixteen years, Brother Williams entered the service of the Southern Confederacy under Col. John Mosby, and served from that time until the close of the war. The record of his soldier life is one of heroism and loyalty. He was con-



verted in the old church in Warrenton, Va., under the ministry of the Rev. J. D. Blackwell, D.D. Of the fact of his conversion he seems never to have had any doubt. He enjoyed the experience of the witness of the Spirit to his adoption into the family of God. Under the inspiration of this great experience he lived and labored. Brother Williams entered the ministry in 1871, but because of illness lost one year. He reentered the Conference in 1873, and was appointed to the James River Circuit, where he remained three years. In the fall of 1875, while pastor of this circuit, he was married to Miss Mary S. Watkins. She and three daughters (Mrs. C. M. Hesser, wife of Rev. C. M. Hesser, of the Baltimore Conference; Mrs. Strider, of Charles Town, W. Va.; Mrs. Kuykendall, of Romney, W. Va.), and one son (Mr. Marvin Williams) survive him. Brother Williams was greatly blessed in his marriage. Every charge which he served from 1875 to 1915, and, indeed, the whole of the Baltimore Conference, know what a helpmeet he had in his good wife. The other appointments which Brother Williams served are: Blue Sulphur, 1876-80; Dranesville, 1880-2; Hamilton, 1882-6; Central, Baltimore, 1886-90; Staunton, 1890-3; Falls Church, 1893-5; Alexandria, 1895-9; Keyser, 1899-1902; Moorefield District, 1902-6; Charles Town, 1906-10; Berryville, 1910-12; Poolesville, 1912, to November, 1915. The record of Brother Williams's work, as far as the Minutes of the Conference show, is one of faithful and efficient service. This is true both as to the ingathering of souls and the ingathering of money. Back of these statistics lies the unwritten history of more than forty-two years of preaching and pastoral work, the importance, the value, and the success of which no man can estimate—all is recorded in the Book of Life. Brother Williams was a man of courage. This appears in his enlistment with Col. Mosby when a boy of sixteen. Neither as a soldier of the Confederacy nor of the Lord Jesus did he ever show the white feather. He was the sort of man who would not hesitate to suffer or to die for what he believed to be right. He had the courage of his convictions. He was faithful to all the obligations of life. He discharged the duties growing out of his relationship as son, brother, husband, and father as a true man of God. His home was a Christian home. The fire was kept burning on the family altar. Brother Williams was a good pastor. Through the cold of winter and the

heat of summer he went from house to house, visiting all the members of his flock. He read the Word of God and prayed among his people, and his presence was a benediction to their homes. He dealt honestly, faithfully, face to face with his people as one who must give account. He was a good preacher. He read; he studied. He prepared his sermons with care; he prepared them under the illumination of the Holy Spirit, who in olden time inspired the holy men to speak and write. He preached his sermons as he prepared them, under the inspiration of the Holy Spirit. He always preached well. One of his most intelligent members said of him a few months before he died: "Brother Williams's preaching is monotonous—monotonously good." The last sermon which any considerable number of his brethren of the Conference heard him preach was the communion sermon of the Washington District Conference, 1915. It was characteristic. His text was: "I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth." He was a gospel preacher. He was a preacher of the gospel as the Methodists understand it. He loved to preach. He was such a preacher as could truthfully sing:

"Happy, if with my latest breath  
I may but gasp his name;  
Preach him to all, and cry in death,  
Behold, behold the Lamb!"

Judge Chambers, of the Poolesville congregation, wrote of his preaching, in the *Baltimore Southern Methodist* of December 16, 1915: "His preaching was elevating, educational, and at times eloquent; courageous, convincing, comforting; orate enough to please the ear, declamatory enough not to shock the nerves; emotional enough to warm the heart, and sometimes to moisten the eye; full of truth, and always overflowing with the gospel as the common people love to hear it preached. No Church was ever more faithfully and efficiently served than was this one at Poolesville during the last three years of Brother Williams's ministry." His ministry was blessed to the salvation of a great many souls. He worked and prayed always toward this end. On nearly every work there were considerable numbers added to the Church. This was especially true of Hamilton and Staunton, where he had great revivals. He was anxious to close up his pastorate at Poolesville with a revival. It turned

out as he had hoped and prayed. Just before he was stricken, he closed a gracious revival which resulted in a great blessing to the Church and in the conversion of a number of souls. The last service but one or two which he conducted was the reception of members. Many of the congregation at that service were struck with the appropriateness and impressiveness of the words which he spoke to each one as he gave the right hand of fellowship. What more appropriate or what happier end could there be to such a ministry? A few days after the close of this meeting Brother Williams suffered a stroke of paralysis. He rallied from this, however, and might have gone on with his work but for the recurrence of an old malady. November 11 he was taken from Poolesville to the hospital at Charles Town. The physicians decided that the only hope of a cure lay in an operation, which was performed. He, however, did not rally; and on the morning of November 29 he went to be with God. He died in the triumph of a living faith, with a bright hope of everlasting life. The tender sympathy of the people of Charles Town and Poolesville was expressive of the deep impression that Brother Williams's godly life and helpful ministry had made upon them. And this was true not only of the Methodists, but of all the people regardless of denominational lines. The funeral service was held in our Church at Charles Town, being conducted by the Rev. F. A. Tyler, who had ministered very tenderly to Brother Williams while he was in the hospital. Rev. H. M. Canter, D.D., made the prayer. The sermon, in accordance with the request of Brother Williams, was preached by the writer, the text being, "Well done, good and faithful servant" (Matt. xxv. 21). Rev. H. P. Hamill, D.D., Rev. H. L. Hout, and Revs. W. O. Talbert and J. A. Anderson, were present, as were also the pastors of all the Charles Town churches. The body of our brother was laid to rest in the beautiful cemetery at Charles Town, to await the resurrection of the just. In harmony with the truth of the text and with Brother Williams's life, the large congregation sang James Montgomery's great hymn:

"Servant of God, well done!  
Rest from thy loved employ;  
The battle fought, the victory won,  
Enter thy Master's joy."

The voice at midnight came;  
He started up to hear;  
A mortal arrow pierced his frame:  
He fell; but felt no fear.

"Tranquil amid alarms,  
It found him on the field  
A veteran, slumbering on his arms,  
Beneath his red-cross shield.  
His sword was in his hand,  
Still warm with recent fight,  
Ready that moment, at command,  
Through rock and steel to smite."

—David H. Kern.

JOHN H. DAVIDSON.—In keeping with Brother Davidson's thoughtfulness and foresight, the following sketch was found among his papers in his own handwriting, and which should largely make up his memoir: "I have felt that if I could have any preference, I would like to drop out unnoticed when my work in the Conference should be finished. But we cannot always have our preference; and, besides, membership on the Memoirs Committee in past years has impressed me with the necessity for some data to be at hand. Therefore I write the following sketch. I am the son of George H. and Emily Davidson, and was born in Baltimore, July 30, 1851. On both sides my family were Methodists as far back as I know. My father's people were of Scotch and German extraction and were among the early Baltimoreans. My father when a boy attended the Sunday school superintended by Christian Keener, father of the late Bishop John C. Keener, and, I think I have heard him say, became a classmate of the late Dr. Samuel Regester, after he was converted and joined old Caroline Street Church, Baltimore, Md. My mother's father was a New York man who traveled South in his business and found his wife in Hanover County, Virginia. He established their home in Baltimore, but died when my mother was only about three years of age. My maternal grandmother's sister, Miss Polly Bowles, according to the late Dr. John Edwards, of the Virginia Conference, organized the first Methodist Sunday school in Richmond, Va.; and I have often wondered if she got the idea from Bishop Asbury, who, I believe, organized the first Methodist Sunday school in America, in Hanover County, Va. We lived in Baltimore until I was between eight and nine years of age, when in April, 1860, my father moved with his family to Strasburg, in the Valley of Virginia, one year before

the great Civil War. I was too young to appreciate the dreadfulness of that destructive period of our history, and yet old enough to see a good deal of what was doing and to receive lasting impressions. I had gone to school while we lived in Baltimore from a very early age until I was eight years old, and after that I was taught at home until I could read. From eight until I was grown my school advantages consisted of about eighteen months of training under Mr. Richard Long, Mr. Erasmus Painter, and the Rev. John Pirkey, a minister of the Disciples Church. I don't know when I was taught the form of prayer; it reaches farther back than my memory goes. It seems that I was born with the fear of God before my eyes, and from a very early age, being taught the essentials of the Christian religion, I had a longing desire to experience the sense of divine pardon and salvation from sin. I remember sitting with a boy chum on a curbstone in Baltimore, and we were talking of a temperance meeting we had attended at Patterson Park the Sunday before, and the propriety of signing the pledge. I said: 'But, Fred, there is something better than that, and that is to be converted. I expect to be converted some day.' Long and varied were the exercises my mind and heart went through between that time and the time I was happily converted at a little past fifteen years of age. Rev. Mr. Heterick, a local preacher, was at the time serving as second man on the old Winchester Circuit under Rev. Joseph H. Marsh. There was a gracious revival under Brother Heterick at Strasburg. After presenting myself at the altar three nights without having found peace, I went home much disappointed; but as my dear father talked to me, explaining and simplifying by illustrations the subject of faith in Christ, I was most consciously and happily born of the Spirit into the kingdom. When I was a small boy it was thought I might preach some day, but I have no recollection of that subject ever occupying my attention. After I was converted, however, I was so impressed with the feeling that I should preach the gospel of Christ that I said to my eldest sister, Lizzie, while we were talking in confidence one evening: 'Lizzie, I believe I was born for that purpose.' Nearly all my life I have been a sufferer from a most trying physical infirmity which might well be termed a 'thorn in the flesh,' but 'grace has kept me safe thus far.' I have meant to be faithful as a professed fol-

lower of Christ and have tried to be such to the work of the Lord, but have fallen far short of what I desired to do for the good of my fellow men. I was married first on April 27, 1880, to Miss Mary Augusta Jump, and the last time to Miss Annie M. Hershberger, October 16, 1907." Rev. J. H. Davidson joined the Baltimore Conference in 1876, and served the following charges during his ministry: Fincastle, one year; North Baltimore, two years; Martinsburg, one year; Warren, one year; Keyser, two years; Luray, four years; Fairfax, four years; Clifton Forge, one year; Queen Anne, three years; Blacksburg, four years; Poolesville, three years; Eagle Rock, two years; Cambria, one year; superannuated, one year; Remington, one year; Goldsboro, two years. Brother Davidson became a superannuate in 1911, and moved to Luray, Va., where he lived until his death. There was no truer, purer, nobler man among us. He was a clear thinker, and a logical and forceful preacher of the gospel of the Son of God. He had many souls to his ministry. He was a loving son, a devoted husband and father, and was greatly beloved by the people whom he served and by all who knew him. He died in great peace, after a long period of illness, at his home in Luray, Va., December 5, 1915, in his sixty-fifth year. After appropriate funeral services, conducted in the Methodist Church by Rev. H. M. Strickler, a lifelong friend, assisted by Rev. L. L. Lowance and the writer, his body was laid to rest in the beautiful cemetery in Luray, Va., to await the resurrection of the just.—*W. H. Ballengee.*

SAMUEL ANDERSON PARKER was born in Monroe County, W. Va., April 3, 1857, and died in Berryville, Va., March 12, 1916, aged fifty-eight years, eleven months, and nine days. He was not converted until he was twenty-five years of age, and in the year 1884 he was licensed to preach, and in the following year was sent by his presiding elder as a supply to Woodland Mission in Bath County, Va. At the close of a successful year's work in this field he was received on trial by the Baltimore Conference, and was returned to Woodland Mission. At the Conference which met in Martinsburg, W. Va., in March, 1888, he was received into full connection and also ordained a deacon by Bishop Wilson. Two years later, at the Conference which convened at St. Paul's Church, Baltimore, he was elected to elder's orders, and ordained by Bishop Duncan.



On April 3, 1889, his thirty-second birthday, he was married to Miss Leola Florence Kincaid, of Bath County, Va. This union was a very happy one for the contracting parties, and became a source of blessing to all who were privileged to enjoy the hospitality of the Christian home which they established and which they maintained for nearly twenty-seven years. Only one child, Miss Marion, was born to this union. She is a young woman of splendid mind, of noble character, and promises to be of much comfort to her mother in the great sorrow that has fallen upon the home. He had charge of Huntersville Circuit in 1887; North Branch Mission, 1888-9; Listonburg, 1890-92; Springfield, 1893-6; Cumberland, 1897; McDowell, 1898-9; Romney, 1900-1; Augusta, 1902-5; Linganore, 1906-8. In 1909 he was appointed Principal of Bowling Green Seminary. During the years 1910 and 1911 he served Hillsboro, and in 1912 was assigned to Berryville, where he closed his quadrennium and earthly ministry together. Brother Parker was a man of deep-seated piety. His Christian character and life were of that pure and lofty type that challenged the confidence and admiration of all who knew him, and added power to the words he uttered from the pulpit. He believed in God with the simplicity of a child; he trusted in the infinite merit of Christ with an abiding confidence, and in the Holy Ghost as his Sanctifier, Comforter, and Teacher. Rarely, if ever, was he heard to utter a discouraging or disheartening word. In the funeral service Rev. John A. Anderson, his presiding elder, said he had never heard Brother Parker make an unkind criticism of any one. He loved the Methodist Church; he loved its institutions, doctrines, usages, and people. He loved his brethren in the ministry, and they in turn loved him. His fraternal and social attachments were unchangeable. With a genial smile, a pleasant word of greeting, and a warm hand-grasp, he would meet his brethren time after time until they felt that these were the real expressions of a true and noble heart that beat warm with genuine affection. He loved God, he loved God's Word, he loved the Church, he loved his home, he loved all people. And love is the bow which impels the arrow of obedience; the mainspring which moves the wheels of duty; the strong arm tugging the oar of diligence. He that hath love can no more be motionless than the aspen in the gale, the dead and dried leaf in the hurricane, or the spray in the

tempest. Love is instinct with activity; it cannot be idle. It is the wellspring of heroism, and noble deeds are the gushings of its fountains. If one seeks to find the reason for Brother Parker's beautiful, uplifting, Christian influence, it is in this love which characterized and vitalized his life. Wherever he labored he was much beloved by those whom he served. The expressions of kindness and sympathy and the material aid shown by the people of Berryville during his last illness were indeed marvelous.

"He needs no wreath or marble's sheen  
To keep his blessed memory green;  
In hearts that love and trust 'twill bide  
Until time's latest eventide."

For several weeks prior to his death Brother Parker knew he could not get well, and without a cloud dimming his sight or a fear possessing his heart he calmly resigned himself to the will of Him who doeth all things well. On Sunday, March 12, 1916, while the evening shades were enveloping all in their shadows, his soul loosed its earthly moorings and dropped anchor in the haven of eternal rest. The funeral services were held in the Berryville Methodist Church, conducted by his presiding elder, Rev. John A. Anderson, assisted by Revs. W. H. Ballengee, F. A. Tyler, W. R. Hardesty, F. T. Ridgeway, and W. O. Talbert. Revs. R. L. Eutsler, C. H. Cannon, R. D. McNeer, C. C. Bush, and most of the ministers of other denominations in Berryville, together with a very great throng of sympathizing friends, were present. The funeral sermon, which was full of soul-inspiring truth and sympathy, was based upon a part of the fifteenth verse of Psalm xvii.: "I shall be satisfied, when I awake, with thy likeness." The body was laid to rest in the beautiful cemetery on the hill overlooking Berryville, there to await the coming of Him "who shall fashion anew the body of our humiliation, that it may be conformed to the body of His glory."—*W. O. Talbert.*

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Baltimore District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Baltimore: Trinity .....	1	209
Central .....	1	657
Caernarvon .....	2	231
North Baltimore and Calvary. ....		60
St. Paul's .....		484
St. John's and Emmanuel. ....		244
Wilkins Avenue .....	1	255
Frederick Avenue .....		256
Arlington .....	1	253
Andrew Chapel and Perry Hall. ....		142
Hamilton and Taylor's Chapel. ....		174
North Point .....		63
Jarrettsville .....		173
Aberdeen .....		240
Kent .....		165
Church Hill .....		147
Ingleside .....		162
Goldsboro .....		107
Hillsboro .....		125
Easton .....		179
Trappe .....		128
Royal Oak and Tilghman's. ....	1	182
Reisterstown .....	1	170
Sudbrook .....		97
Freedom .....		331
Howard .....		384
Mount Airy .....		321
Annapolis and Severn .....		217
Wesley Grove .....		339
	8	6,495

*Washington District.*

Washington: Mt. Vernon Place. ....	3	843
Mount Pleasant .....	1	203
Epworth .....	1	500
Marvin .....	3	249
St. Paul .....	2	405
Calvary .....		190
Emory .....	1	257
Colesville .....		234
Rockville .....	1	266
Potomac .....		257
Gaithersburg .....	3	450
Goshen .....		238
Clarksburg .....		175
Poolesville .....		177
Brunswick .....		127
Frederick City .....	1	218
Hyattsville and Brentwood. ....		294
Beltville and Branchville. ....	1	136
Forest Grove .....		151
Prince George .....	1	452
Charles and St. Mary's .....		297
Calvert .....		405
Chesapeake .....	1	377
Patuxent .....	1	121
Laurel .....		140
Savage .....		154
	20	7,316

*Alexandria District.*

Alexandria .....		841
Del Ray .....		167
Clarendon and Ballston. ....	2	231
Falls Church .....	1	271
Fairfax .....	1	350
East Fairfax .....	1	179
Sterling .....		277
Herndon .....	1	245
Occoquan .....	1	572
Fauquier .....		288
Remington .....	1	224
Sudley .....		180
Manassas .....	1	248
Prince William .....		169

*Alexandria District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Stafford .....		585
Fredericksburg .....		609
Morrisville .....	2	378
Dumfries .....		181
Warrenton .....		364
Leesburg .....		283
Hamilton .....		420
Hillsboro .....		200
Bluemont .....	1	367
Loudoun .....		352
Middleburg .....		336
Marshall .....		497
	12	8,805

*Winchester District.*

Winchester .....	1	847
Frederick .....		294
Stephens City .....		433
Middletown .....		365
Strasburg .....		270
Tom's Brook .....		234
Woodstock .....		530
Edinburg .....		404
Front Royal and Riverton. ....	2	553
Warren .....		360
Linden .....		203
White Post .....		277
Berryville .....		385
Glen Side .....	1	232
Bruceston .....		353
Ridgeway .....		369
Jefferson .....		624
Charles Town .....	1	508
Shenandoah Junction .....		223
Shepherdstown .....		497
Berkeley .....		412
Martinsburg .....	1	565
Mount Jackson .....		172
New Market .....		272
	6	9,382

*Rockingham District.*

Staunton: Central .....		959
Marquis Memorial and East End. ....		126
Harrisonburg .....		698
Bridgewater .....	1	630
Mount Crawford .....		456
Mount Solon .....		310
Churchville .....		142
Greenville .....	1	260
Fairfield .....		276
Calvary .....		264
Waynesboro .....		356
Basic .....		310
New Hope .....		288
Port Republic .....	2	446
Rockingham .....	1	552
Elkton .....		243
Blue Ridge .....	1	189
Shenandoah and Marksville. ....		318
Luray .....	1	288
Page .....		276
Goshen .....		203
Bath .....	1	279
Collierstown .....		181
Lexington .....		338
Rockbridge Baths .....		247
	8	8,631

*Roanoke District.*

Roanoke: Salem .....		603
Greene Memorial .....	3	1,438
Trinity .....	1	573
Melrose and St. James. ....	1	687

*Roanoke District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Roanoke: Grace .....		337
Belmont .....	1	800
West End .....		434
Mount Olivet .....		168
Vinton .....		375
Roanoke Circuit .....		342
Bethany .....	2	337
Buchanan .....		638
Pincastle .....		375
Glen Wilton .....		289
Eagle Rock and Oriskany .....		349
Buena Vista .....		281
Rockbridge .....		309
Elliston .....	2	247
Christiansburg .....	1	215
Cambria .....		230
Blacksburg .....	1	248
New Castle .....		250
Newport .....		385
Catawba .....	1	189
	13	10,099

*Lewisburg District.*

Lewisburg .....		377
Frankford .....	2	215
Richlands .....	1	261
Williamsburg .....		290
Blue Sulphur .....	1	334
Hinton .....	1	495
Talcott .....		507
Greenville .....		520
Peterstown .....		174
Alderson .....	2	382
Union .....		415
Paint Bank and Sweet Springs .....	2	420
Ronceverte .....		493
White Sulphur .....		249
Alvon .....		264
Callaghan .....		422
Covington .....	1	479
East Covington .....	1	220
Clifton Forge .....		646
Selma .....		192
Hot Springs .....		262
Huntersville .....		200
Marlinton .....		312
Levelton .....	2	602
Green Bank .....		472
Durbin .....		239
	13	9,442

*Moorefield District.*

Moorefield .....		174
South Branch .....		359
Petersburg .....		249
Franklin .....		339
Keyser .....		525
Cumberland and Central .....		347
Trinity and Agur .....		349
Ridgeley .....		225
Elk Garden .....		190
Garrett .....	1	158
Piedmont .....	3	426
Frostburg .....	1	182
Flintstone .....	1	177
Romney .....	1	604
Burlington .....	1	399
Springfield .....		158
Frankfort .....		357
Morgan .....	1	428
Gainsboro .....	1	414
Wardensville .....	2	290
Capon Bridge .....		373
Listonburg .....		290
Hampshire .....	2	353

*Moorefield District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Hardy .....	3	550
Monterey .....		413
McDowell .....		434
Crabbottom .....		212
	17	9,025
<i>Recapitulation.</i>		
Baltimore District .....	8	6,495
Washington District .....	20	7,316
Alexandria District .....	12	8,805
Winchester District .....	6	9,382
Rockingham District .....	8	8,631
Roanoke District .....	13	10,099
Lewisburg District .....	13	9,442
Moorefield District .....	17	9,025
Total this year .....	97	69,195
Total last year .....	93	66,585
Increase .....	4	2,610

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Département of Ministerial Supply and Training? 22; yes.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Département of Ministerial Supply and Training? 15; yes.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,389.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 2,810.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 219.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 10,124.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 635.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 6,510.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 68,127.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$24,000.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$17,919. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$17,725; Home and Conference Missions, \$21,757. Total, \$39,482.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$7,000.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$6,936.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$1,233.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$15,623; preachers in charge, \$174,112.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$2,706.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 692; houses of worship, 636.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$2,642,383; indebtedness, \$269,333.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 204; parsonages, 183.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$526,225; indebtedness, \$40,389.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 8; district parsonages, 6.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$37,500; indebtedness, \$4,000.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? None.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$1,345,065; premiums paid, \$6,083.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Collections for Educational Extension, \$2,075; for Randolph-Macon College, \$4,148; for Ministerial Supply and Training, \$692; total, \$6,915. Institutions—The Randolph-Macon System: Randolph-Macon College, Ashland, Va.—Value of property, \$149,129.60; endowment, \$405,445.20; professors and instructors, 17; officers not teaching, 5; students, 184; students from the bounds of the Virginia Conference, 138; from the Baltimore Conference, 30; from other Conferences, 16; ministerial students, 36; ministerial students from bounds of the Virginia Conference, 27; from the bounds of the Baltimore Conference, 9; ministers' sons, 17. Randolph-Macon Woman's College, Lynchburg, Va.—Value of property, \$460,232.25; endowment, \$382,731.83; professors and instructors, 47; officers not engaged in teaching, 13; students matriculated, 624; students from the Virginia Conference bounds, 195; from Baltimore Conference bounds, 35; from bounds of other Conferences, 394; ministers' daughters, 49. Ran-

dolph-Macon Academy, Front Royal, Va.—Value of property, \$100,000; amount subscribed on construction, debt during present Conference year, \$3,466.83; amount paid on such subscriptions to March 23, \$1,919.65; instructors, 7; officers not engaged in teaching, 3; students matriculated, 109; from Baltimore Conference bounds, 63; from Virginia Conference, 7; from other Conferences, 39; ministerial students from Baltimore Conference, 6. Randolph-Macon Academy, Bedford City, Va.—Value of property, \$125,000; instructors, 9; officers not teaching, 4; students, 195; from Virginia Conference, 89; from Baltimore Conference, 12; other Conferences, 93; ministerial students, 11, all from the Virginia Conference. Randolph-Macon Institute, Danville, Va.—Value of property, \$119,000; instructors, 21; officers not teaching, 4; students, 288. (All of the above institutions are under the joint patronage of the Virginia and Baltimore Conferences, and are in moral right the property of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and are controlled by a self-perpetuating corporate Board.) The Southern Seminary System: Southern Seminary, Buena Vista, Va.—Value of property, \$75,000; instructors, 12; officers not teaching, 5; students, 105. Alleghany Collegiate Institute, Alderson, W. Va.—Value of property, \$15,000; instructors, 8; students matriculated, 50; one ministerial student. (The above are private institutions under the patronage of, and recommended by, the Conference.) Total of all institutions owned, recommended, or jointly patronized by the Conference: Value of property, \$1,043,371.85; endowment, \$788,177.03; instructors and officers, 155; students, 1,555.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 410; Conference organ, 6,516.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? E. D. Newman, Woodstock, Va.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Roanoke, Va.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### ALEXANDRIA DISTRICT.

B. W. Bond, P. E.

Alexandria, J. W. Duffey.

Bluemont, E. C. Beery.

Clarendon and Ballston, G. W. Gaither.

Del Ray, to be supplied.

Dumfries, H. C. Marsh.  
 East Fairfax, E. G. Coe.  
 Fairfax, G. T. Tyler.  
 Falls Church, J. B. Henry.  
 Fauquier, W. H. Marsh.  
 Fredericksburg, J. C. Hawk.  
 Hamilton, R. L. Eutsler.  
 Herndon, W. E. Woolf.  
 Hillsboro, C. B. Sutton.  
 Leesburg, H. Sydenstricker.  
 Loudoun, S. V. Hildebrand.  
 Manassas, E. A. Roades.  
 Marshall, F. T. Ridgeway.  
 Middleburg, H. L. Bivens.  
 Morrisville, C. M. Sarver.  
 Occoquan, Z. B. Randall.  
 Prince William, C. W. Mark.  
 Remington, E. F. Fielding.  
 Stafford, H. S. Willey, supply.  
 Sterling, H. A. Wilson.  
 Sudley, C. K. Millican.  
 Warrenton, George Hasel.  
 Warrenton Circuit, to be supplied.

#### BALTIMORE DISTRICT.

*D. H. Kern, P. E.*

Aberdeen, O. W. Lusby.  
 Annapolis and Severn, G. H. Fielding.  
 Baltimore: Andrew Chapel and Perry  
 Hall, G. G. Oliver.  
 Arlington, W. F. Locke.  
 Caernarvon, W. D. King.  
 Calvary, J. W. Smith.  
 Central, T. J. Lambert.  
 Frederick Avenue, A. E. Owens.  
 Hamilton and Taylor's Chapel, T. M.  
 Swann.  
 St. John's and Emmanuel, W. P. Johnston.  
 St. Paul's, C. M. Hesser.  
 Sudbrook, W. E. Holley.  
 Trinity, W. H. Best.  
 Wilkens Avenue, W. C. Boswell.  
 Church Hill, E. A. Lambert.  
 Easton, J. P. Stump.  
 Freedom, J. A. Rood.  
 Goldsboro, J. S. Keene.  
 Hillsboro, J. B. Hupman.  
 Howard, D. F. Eutsler.  
 Ingleside, Homer Welch.  
 Jarrettsville, W. C. Smith.  
 Kent, M. D. Ellmore.  
 Mount Airy, W. T. Gover.  
 North Point, C. K. Ray.  
 Royal Oak and Tilghman, R. L. Wittig.  
 Reisterstown, H. P. Baker.  
 Trappe, L. B. Bobbitt.  
 Wesley Grove, J. R. Andrew.  
 Missionary to Japan, J. T. Meyers.  
 Editor of *Baltimore Southern Methodist*,  
 C. D. Harris.

#### LEWISBURG DISTRICT.

*R. L. Fultz, P. E.*

Alderson, S. R. Neel; J. S. Engle, Sup.  
 Alvon, R. O. Hipes, supply.  
 Blue Sulphur, E. A. Wilcher, supply.  
 Callaghan, E. G. Helmtoller, supply.  
 Clifton Forge, J. P. Tyler.  
 Covington, L. S. Rudasill.  
 Durbin, R. K. Nevitt.  
 East Covington, A. O. Lyons.  
 Frankford, J. W. Rosenberger.  
 Green Bank, G. H. Echols.  
 Greenville, J. C. Spindler.  
 Hinton, J. J. Rives.  
 Hot Springs, C. E. N. Hall.  
 Huntersville, J. W. Leggett.  
 Hillsboro, W. D. Eye.  
 Levelton, W. I. Hanna, supply.  
 Lewisburg, S. K. Cockrell; H. A. Murrill,  
 Sup.  
 Marlinton, W. D. Keen.  
 Paint Bank and Sweet Springs, F. E.  
 Allison.  
 Peterstown, K. D. Swecker, supply.  
 Richlands, J. D. Pope.  
 Ronceverte, T. A. Burch.  
 Selma, L. S. Shires, supply.  
 Talcott, C. W. Fink.  
 Union, G. W. Richardson.  
 White Sulphur, I. G. Michael.  
 Williamsburg, J. P. Atkins.

#### MOOREFIELD DISTRICT.

*H. A. Brown, P. E.*

Burlington, J. H. Wilhite.  
 Capon Bridge, W. Lawson.  
 Crabbottom, R. H. Evans.  
 Cumberland: Central, J. M. York.  
 Trinity and Agur, H. V. Wheeler.  
 Elk Garden and Garrett, W. J. Barnard,  
 supply.  
 Flintstone, G. W. Reeves, supply.  
 Frankfort, M. V. Hildebrand, supply.  
 Franklin, M. P. Weikel.  
 Frostburg, R. C. Maxwell.  
 Gainsboro, C. V. Van Der Linden.  
 Hampshire, C. W. Stump.  
 Hardy, H. B. Smith, supply.  
 Keyser, G. G. Martin.  
 Listonburg, H. W. Lindamood, supply.  
 McDowell, Wendell Allen.  
 Moorefield, A. L. Barret.  
 Monterey, J. C. Thrasher.  
 Morgan, J. L. Thomas.  
 Petersburg, S. G. Thomas, supply.  
 Piedmont, W. M. Compton.  
 Ridgeley, W. W. White.  
 Romney, S. R. Snead.  
 South Branch, G. W. Yost, supply.  
 Springfield, R. M. Wheeler.  
 Wardensville, G. D. Kiracofe, supply.



## ROANOKE DISTRICT.

*G. D. White, P. E.*

Bethany, W. S. Nicholson.  
 Blacksburg, D. M. Brown.  
 Buena Vista, G. R. Fringer.  
 Buchanan, A. Van Devander.  
 Cambria, B. W. Waters.  
 Catawba, L. M. Nalls, supply.  
 Christiansburg, D. A. Beery.  
 Eagle Rock, W. C. Sponaugle.  
 Elliston and Shawsville, O. L. Gochenour.  
 Fincastle, L. V. Ruckman.  
 Glen Wilton, D. J. Van Devander, supply.  
 New Castle, L. L. Lloyd.  
 Newport, H. L. Dean.  
 Roanoke: Belmont, J. H. Balthis.  
 Grace, J. H. Billingsley.  
 Greene Memorial, U. G. Foote; G. O. Homan, Sup.  
 Melrose Avenue, C. I. Flory.  
 Mount Olivet, D. L. Sherertz, supply.  
 Trinity, W. S. Hammond.  
 West End, J. N. Mast.  
 Roanoke Circuit, T. A. Jordan.  
 Rockbridge, G. K. Heydrick.  
 Salem, J. H. Smith.  
 Vinton, D. Bush.

## ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT.

*H. I. Stephens, P. E.*

Basic, W. S. Thomas.  
 Bath, G. E. Pope.  
 Blue Ridge, R. C. Benson, supply.  
 Bridgewater, William Stevens.  
 Calvary, H. Q. Burr.  
 Churchville, H. B. Alexander, supply.  
 Collierstown, Palmer Eubank, supply.  
 Elkton, C. L. Potter.  
 Fairfield, H. S. Coffey.  
 Goshen, Thomas Morgan, supply.  
 Greenville, W. A. Lynch.  
 Harrisonburg, J. H. Wells.  
 Lexington, E. L. Woolf.  
 Luray, W. H. Ballengee.  
 Mount Crawford, G. W. Staples.  
 Mount Solon, H. L. Myerly.  
 New Hope, C. J. Clarke.  
 Page, W. W. McGee, supply.  
 Port Republic, W. F. Lowance.  
 Rockbridge Baths, I. H. Van Devander, supply.  
 Rockingham, W. J. Whitesell.  
 Shenandoah and Marksville, L. L. Lowance.  
 Staunton: Central, M. D. Mitchell.  
 Marquis Memorial and East End, A. L. Harnesberger.  
 Waynesboro, L. Hammond.

## WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

*H. M. Canter, P. E.*

Beltsville, G. T. D. Collins.  
 Brunswick, W. L. Smith.  
 Calvert, A. B. Sites.  
 Charles and St. Mary's, J. W. Beall.  
 Chesapeake, L. B. Atkins.  
 Clarksburg, G. R. Mays.  
 Colesville, J. W. Mitchell.  
 Forest Grove, A. B. Sapp.  
 Frederick City, G. D. Kidner.  
 Gaithersburg, M. H. Keen.  
 Goshen, F. F. Neel.  
 Hyattsville and Brentwood, C. L. De Long.  
 Laurel, J. P. Wiley.  
 Patuxent, H. E. Weissner.  
 Poolesville, M. T. Tabler.  
 Potomac, B. L. Parrott.  
 Prince George, G. W. Moore, supply.  
 Rockville, J. H. Schooley.  
 Savage, S. J. L. Du Laney.  
 Washington: Calvary, H. L. Hout.  
 Emory, F. M. Richardson.  
 Epworth, B. V. Switzer.  
 Marvin, J. J. Ringer.  
 Mount Pleasant, F. J. Prettyman.  
 Mount Vernon Place, E. K. Hardin; A. A. P. Neel, Sup.  
 St. Paul, D. L. Blakemore.  
 Woodmont, to be supplied.  
 Missionary to the Isle of Pines, George D. Naylor.  
 Superintendent of Wesley Bible Class Department, C. D. Bulla.  
 Conference Missionary Secretary, D. L. Blakemore.  
 Student in Randolph-Macon College, W. W. Beasley.

## WINCHESTER DISTRICT.

*J. A. Anderson, P. E.*

Berkeley, W. H. Sanders.  
 Berryville, J. H. Bean.  
 Brucetown, O. D. Lambert.  
 Charles Town, F. A. Tyler.  
 Edinburg, F. A. Strother.  
 Frederick, E. W. Brubaker.  
 Front Royal and Riverton, J. C. Copenhaver.  
 Glen Side, J. H. Cooley, supply.  
 Jefferson, C. H. Cannon.  
 Linden, C. C. Bush.  
 Martinsburg, H. P. Hamill.  
 Massanutten, E. C. Sloane, supply.  
 Middletown, J. H. Haley.  
 Mount Jackson, W. P. C. Coe.  
 New Market, W. B. Dorsey.  
 Ridgeway, W. R. Hardesty.  
 Shenandoah Junction, E. W. Aaron.

Shepherdstown, A. Knox.  
 Stephens City, C. Sydenstricker.  
 Strasburg, R. C. Meeks.  
 Tom's Brook, Earl Brandt, supply.  
 Warren, L. R. Markwood.  
 White Post, B. C. Wilson.  
 Winchester, W. O. Talbert.  
 Woodstock, J. R. Jacobs.  
 Student in Emory University, R. D. Mc-  
 Neer.

Professor in Randolph-Macon College, J.  
 A. Kern.  
 Conference Secretary and Treasurer of  
 Education, H. P. Hamill.  
 Field Secretary of Randolph-Macon Aca-  
 demy, H. H. Sherman.

*Transferred.*—J. B. Winn, to the Vir-  
 ginia Conference, and stationed at Wash-  
 ington Street Church, Petersburg, Va.

## CENTRAL MEXICO CONFERENCE.

THIRTY-FIRST SESSION.

APPOINTED FOR GUADALAJARA, MEXICO, APRIL 5, 1916.

BISHOP CANDLER, *President*; NOE AGUILAR, *Secretary*.

On account of the war, the Conference held no session this year. See statistics for  
 1914 in Tables I-VI.

## SOUTH BRAZIL CONFERENCE.

SEVENTH SESSION.

HELD AT URUGUAYANA, RIO GRANDE DO SUL, BRAZIL, AUGUST 24-28, 1916.

G. D. PARKER, *President*; J. M. TERRELL, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. None.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? None.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full  
 connection? Jerome Walter Daniel. 1.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer  
 from other Conferences? None.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other  
 Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other  
 Churches as traveling preachers? None.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one  
 year? Frederico Martins and Adolpho  
 Ungaretti. 2.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are  
 elected deacons? Jerome Walter Daniel. 1.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are  
 ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are  
 elected deacons? None.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are or-  
 dained deacons? None.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are  
 elected elders?? None.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are  
 ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are  
 elected elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are or-  
 dained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year?  
 None.

Ques. 19. Who are superannuated?  
 None.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated?  
 None.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died dur-  
 ing the past year? None.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blame-  
 less in their life and official administra-  
 tion? Their names were called one by  
 one, in open Conference, and their char-  
 acters were passed.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local  
 preachers and members in the several  
 circuits, stations, and missions of the  
 Conference? No details furnished.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Total this year .....	11	1,493
Total last year .....	11	1,474
Increase .....	...	19

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed  
 to preach during the year, and have their  
 names and addresses been furnished to  
 the Department of Ministerial Supply and  
 Training? 2.



Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? None were reported.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 233.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 85.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 14.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 596.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 22.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 109.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 1,607.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers? No assessment.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$36.50 was contributed and placed in bank.

Ques. 35. What has been collected for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$364.67; Home and Conference Missions, nothing. Total, \$364.67.

Ques. 36. What has been collected for Church Extension? \$169.90.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? Nothing reported.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed to the American Bible Society? \$12.87—paid to the British and Foreign Bible Society.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, nothing; preachers in charge, \$2,078.57.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? Nothing reported. Only this year notice of an assessment for this purpose was received.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 19; houses of worship, 13.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$57,580; indebtedness, \$4,250.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 14; parsonages, 8.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebted-

ness thereon? Value, \$12,853.75; indebtedness, \$450.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 2; district parsonages, none.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? None.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? None.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$42,000; premiums paid, \$75.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Schools, 6; teachers, 39; pupils, 624.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? No report.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? No election, and no report.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Institutional Church, Porto Alegre, Brazil.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### PORTO ALEGRE DISTRICT.

*E. E. Joiner, P. E.*

Porto Alegre: Central, J. W. Price.

Institutional, Jose Kokot.

Mission, J. W. Price.

Porto Alegre Circuit, Jose Kokot.

Beuto Goncalves and Forqueta, Fred Peyrot, supply.

Alfredo Chavese Guapore, Jose Chaulet, supply.

Caxias Circuit, A. M. Ungaretti; one to be supplied by M. Donati.

Taquara Circuit, Max Schilkowsky, supply.

Editor of *O Testemunho*, E. E. Joiner.

Agent of the Association of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, E. E. Joiner.

Conference Secretary of the Epworth League, Max Schilkowsky.

#### SANTA MARIA DISTRICT.

*C. L. Smith, P. E.*

Santa Maria, C. L. Smith.

Santa Maria Circuit, Cassiano Monteiro, supply.

Cachveira Circuit, E. M. B. Jayme.

Palmeira Circuit, Mariano Dornelles, supply.

Cruz Alta Circuit, A. P. Fraga.

S. Lucas Circuit, A. P. Fraga, Joao Sauer, supply.  
 Passo Fundo, J. W. Daniel.  
 Treasurer of the Mission, C. L. Smith.  
 Conference Colporter, Cassiano Monteiro.

URUGUAYANA DISTRICT.

G. D. Parker, P. E.

Uruguayana, G. D. Parker.  
 Alegrete, J. M. Terrell.  
 Livramento and Rosario, Fred Martins.

Itaquy and S. Borga, J. Wagner Filho.  
 Quarahy, to be supplied.  
 Union College: Anderson Weaver, Director; J. Wagner Filho, Professor.

LADY MISSIONARIES.

American College, Porto Alegre: Miss Eunice Andrew, President; Miss Elma Morgan, Vice President; Miss Gertrude Kennedy, Teacher.  
 Institutional School, Porto Alegre: Miss Maggie Lee Kenny.

ILLINOIS CONFERENCE.

FIFTIETH SESSION.

HELD AT CAIRO, ILL., AUGUST 24-28, 1916.

BISHOP ATKINS, *President*; W. T. MATHIS, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. Angus Phillips, Ross Phillips, James A. Alberts, W. D. Simmons, Harry Williams Davis. 5.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Earl Phillips, George Conant, Ralph Dean (first year). 3.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? J. T. Smith, L. B. Simpson, O. H. Sweitzer. 3.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? None.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? None.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? A. O. Hallam, G. W. Green, W. T. Graham, W. E. Lamp. 4.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Oliver H. Sweitzer, Lawrence Burton Simpson. 2.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Oliver H. Sweitzer, Lawrence Burton Simpson. 2.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? Joseph Ross Young, Charles Truett Miller. 2.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Joseph Ross Young, Charles Truett Miller. 2.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? George Albert Mathis, Noah Ross Norris. 2.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? George Albert Mathis, Noah Ross Norris. 2.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? J. W. Willis, at his own request. 1.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? J. W. Williams. 1.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? H. J. Charlton, W. D. Blaylock, D. W. Ashby. 3.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? F. W. Spicer, Joseph Lane. 2.

F. W. SPICER died February 16, 1916, at the age of sixty-three years. He died in the harness, as he had desired. Coming into the Conference in 1901, he served Stonefort, Pana, Waverly, Grand Tower, and Marion. When the end came, he was serving as presiding elder on the Salem District. He was about the Master's business; a lover of men, he strove to impress them for the Kingdom. His works follow him. The last rites were performed by Rev. A. M. Stickney, assisted by a number of the Conference members who, with a devoted wife, mourn his departure. The mortal part lies at rest in the Odin cemetery. He fell asleep in Jesus.—J. C. Jones.

JOSEPH LANE, after thirty short years, laid down his burdens at Worden, Ill., March 24, 1916. One of nature's noblemen, he magnified his office and ever pressed toward the mark as a man and a minister. At Pana, Dix, and Worden he served well the cause. Falling early, he left the evidence of a life not wasted. Suddenly stricken, he passed into the Unseen. At Odin loving friends placed the body to

rest among the sainted dead. His brethren do him honor.—J. C. Jones.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called one by one, and their characters were examined and passed.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### *Murphysboro District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Baldwin .....	1	118
Blairsville .....	1	174
Cairo .....	1	320
De Soto .....	1	162
Du Quoin .....	4	213
Forman .....	...	151
Galatia .....	1	166
Gorham .....	...	125
Grand Tower .....	...	152
Marion .....	2	290
Murphysboro .....	1	431
Oraville .....	4	322
Pulaski .....	...	160
Stonefort .....	2	96
	18	2,880

#### *Waverly District.*

Barr .....	2	98
Buckhorn .....	1	208
Clarksdale .....	...	90
Eldara .....	1	211
Girard .....	4	199
Henton .....	1	138
Marietta .....	...	70
Rushville .....	...	166
Sherman .....	2	19
Tioga .....	...	131
Waverly .....	...	87
Worden .....	3	261
	18	2,880

#### *Salem District.*

Casey .....	...	...
Centralia .....	2	60
Clay City .....	1	340
Dennison .....	...	131
Dix .....	3	366
Keyesport .....	1	45
Kinmundy .....	2	196
Moccasin .....	...	377
Mount Moriah .....	2	93
Nashville .....	...	88
Odin .....	8	200
Patoka .....	4	263
Salem .....	1	234
Terre Haute .....	2	100
Xenia .....	2	250
	28	2,743

#### *Recapitulation.*

Murphysboro District .....	18	2,880
Waverly District .....	14	1,678
Salem District .....	28	2,743
Total this year .....	60	7,301
Total last year .....	57	7,196
Increase .....	3	205

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? No report.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? No report.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 147.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 422.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 36.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 973.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 105.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 881.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 7,541.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$676.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$624. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$775; Home and Conference Missions, \$737. Total, \$1,512.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$492.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$181.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$41.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$2,400; preachers in charge, \$17,109.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$220.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 109; houses of worship, 101.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$135,900; indebtedness, \$5,814.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 41; parsonages, 36.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parson-

ages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$37,750; indebtedness, \$935.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 3; district parsonages, 3.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$5,200; indebtedness, \$657.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Church damaged, 1; amount of damage, \$360.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$63,940; premiums paid, \$317; losses sustained, \$360; collections on losses, \$181.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Collected, \$181.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 44; Conference organ, 205.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? W. L. Demaree, Rushville, Ill.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Odin, Ill.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### SALEM DISTRICT.

*G. B. Sherman, P. E.*

Clay City, N. R. Norris.  
Xenia, L. B. Simpson.  
Centralia, O. H. Sweitzer.  
Odin and Keyesport, R. H. Phillips.  
Dix, Ross Phillips.  
Patoka, W. D. Simmons.  
Salem, A. D. Hocker.  
Moccasin, Angus Phillips.  
Nashville and Locust Grove, J. A. Kirkman.

Kinmundy, C. S. Smith.  
Dennison, Earl Phillips.  
Terre Haute, A. M. Stickney.  
Casey, G. A. Mathis.  
Mount Moriah, C. W. Lindsey.  
Student in Asbury College, George Conant.  
Conference Evangelist, E. H. Haug.

#### MURPHYSBORO DISTRICT.

*J. E. Garrett, P. E.*

Galatia, A. O. Hallam.  
Stonefort, W. S. Wilcox.  
Blairsville, Earl Groves.  
Viana, J. A. Wise.  
Grand Tower, O. C. Birdwell, supply.  
Godham, C. T. Miller, supply.  
Du Quoin, J. A. Alberts.  
De Soto, A. E. Thomas.  
Oraville, W. F. Atkins.  
Pulaski, A. N. Hicks.  
Cairo, C. Henley; J. W. Williams, Sup.  
Baldwin, W. T. Graham.  
Marion, J. C. Jones.  
Murphysboro, M. A. Cox.  
Missionary Secretary, C. Henley.

#### WAVERLY DISTRICT.

*W. D. Humphrey, P. E.*

Sherman and Barr, T. G. Dinwiddle, supply.  
Marietta, Ralph Dean.  
Tioga, J. T. Smith.  
Buckhorn, W. S. Wright.  
El Dara, L. F. Lawrence, supply.  
Girard, R. J. Watts.  
Worden, W. E. Lamp.  
Rushville, T. H. Ballarby.  
Henton, G. W. Greene.  
Clarksdale, H. W. Davis.  
Waverly, W. T. Mathis.  
Student in Asbury College, L. S. Baker.  
Conference Evangelist, H. Murphy.  
Secretary of Education, W. T. Mathis.

### MONTANA CONFERENCE.

THIRTY-NINTH SESSION.

HELD AT STEVENSVILLE, MONT., AUGUST 24-27, 1916.

BISHOP LAMBUTH, *President*; P. D. HARTMAN, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
ANSWER. None.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? E. S. Wilson. 1.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? Argus Hamilton. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? None.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? A. C. Douglas, from the Memphis Conference; A. L. Mar-

shall, from the Los Angeles Conference; C. L. McCausland, from the East Columbia Conference. 3.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? Ballard Theodore Flannery. 1.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons for one year? None.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Seth R. Steele, Roy E. Early. 2.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Seth Ratcliffe Steele, Roy Erastus Early. 2.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? E. J. Stanley, H. J. McKelvey. 2.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? J. B. Parnall. 1.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the year? None.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### Missoula District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Butte: St. Paul's .....	1	200
South Side .....	1	181
Corvallis .....	1	148
Deer Lodge .....	1	69
Heron .....	1	32
Missoula .....	...	95
Stevensville .....	...	208
	4	933

#### Helena District.

Boulder .....	128
Bozeman .....	50
Clyde Park .....	18
East Helena .....	27
Helena .....	50
Jefferson Valley .....	...
Sedan .....	5

#### Helena District (Continued).

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Two Dot .....	...	16
West Gallatin .....	2	72
Willow Creek .....	...	51
	2	417

#### Recapitulation.

Missoula District .....	4	933
Helena District .....	2	417
Total this year .....	6	1,350
Total last year .....	4	1,387
Increase .....	2	...
Decrease .....	...	37

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? No report.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? No report.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 42.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 53.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 7.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 229.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 13.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 109.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 1,183.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? No assessment.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? No collection.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$346; Home and Conference Missions, \$654. Total, \$1,000.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$300.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$61.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$16.90.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$879; preachers in charge, \$6,265.



Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops?

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 13; houses of worship, 22.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$91,200; indebtedness, \$3,550.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 13; parsonages, 18.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$29,000; indebtedness, \$3,300.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 2; district parsonage, 1.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$2,500; indebtedness, none.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? None.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$38,200; premiums paid, \$250.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? No report.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 20; Conference organ, 70.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? J. H. Nottingham.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Missoula, Montana.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

# MONTANA DISTRICT.

C. L. McCausland, P. E.

Boulder, W. U. Fugate.

Bozeman, H. P. Nelson.

Butte: St. Paul's, Grover C. Flannery.

Lowell Avenue, A. L. Marshall.

Clyde Park, Elwood Taylor.

Corvallis, B. T. Flannery.

Deer Lodge, E. F. Omann.

Helena and East Helena, S. R. Steele.

Heron, E. L. Lee.

Missoula, P. D. Hartman.

Sedan, to be supplied.

Stevensville, A. C. Douglas.

Two Dot, to be supplied.

West Gallatin, J. C. Snowden.

Whitehall, E. J. Stanley.

Willow Creek, D. M. Barr.

Conference Missionary Secretary, P. D. Hartman.

Conference Educational Secretary, D. B. Price.

*Transferred.*—E. S. Wilson, to the Kentucky Conference; R. E. Early, to the New Mexico Conference; A. L. Thoroughman, to the East Columbia Conference.

## MISSOURI CONFERENCE.

ONE HUNDRETH SESSION.

HELD AT FAYETTE, MO., AUGUST 30-SEPTEMBER 4, 1916.

BISHOP HENDRIX, *President*; C. O. RANSFORD, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. John E. Elmore, Edward Andrew Jones, Perry Pritchett Taylor, H. B. Wimberly, William Lewis Meyer, George Schlueter, Jesse Elmer Baker. 7.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Bert Lee Holcomb, Lawrence Elbert Murphy, Arthur Samuel Emig, Ned Hill, Jesse Jackson Copeland, Ray Silver Tomlin, Clifford Harry French, Frank Cornelius Tucker, Harry Lee Foster, S. J. Stonger. 10.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? E. F. Dillon. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Busyc Bates Harvey and Proctor Meredith Ham. 2.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? J. W. Hower-ton, from the North Arkansas Conference; A. B. Pendleton, from the Denver Conference. 2.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? Clifford E. Thompson, an elder, from the Congregational Church. 1.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other

Churches as traveling preachers? Hudson Taylor McGraw, an elder, from the United Brethren Church; James Andrew Hughes, an elder, from the Christian Church. 2.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? Fred Page Hanes, George Cleveland Todd, Robert Sidney Cunningham, William Edward Akers, Ernest Jones. 5.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Busyc Bates Harvey, Proctor Meredith Ham. 2.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Busyc Bates Harvey, Proctor Meredith Ham. 2.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Jesse Franklin Patton, Lawrence Merrill Kirby. 2.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Jesse Franklin Patton, Lawrence Merrill Kirby. 2.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? J. D. Tussey, W. D. Neale. 2.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? J. H. Jackson, J. W. Keithley, C. A. Shearman, E. C. Swann, J. L. Taylor. 5.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? John Anderson, A. V. Bayley, H. P. Bond, H. W. Buckner, D. F. Bond, E. Carlyle, C. W. Collett, H. I. Cobb, R. M. Dameron, J. O. Edmonston, S. W. Emory, T. B. Farry, J. S. Frazier, J. P. Godbey, M. L. Gray, C. W. Herley, J. D. Houston, R. W. Howerton, W. B. Lewellyn, W. C. Maggart, N. F. Matthews, J. A. Mumpower, G. W. Nollner, T. Penn, T. G. Petree, E. W. Reynolds, J. S. Rooker, D. R. Shackelford, L. P. Siceloff, J. S. Smith, J. L. Weatherford, Robert White. 32.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? T. R. Kendall, J. H. Pritchett, W. B. Wheeler, B. P. Hawkins. 4.

THOMAS R. KENDALL was born in Shelby County, Kentucky, December 13, 1835, and departed this life at Denver, Colo., December 3, 1915. At the age of twenty-four years he was converted and the same year licensed to preach, continuing in a ministry active to the extent of his strength through a period of fifty-six years. On May 11, 1864, he was united in marriage with Miss Hattie Walker, of

Memphis, Mo., who departed this life twelve years later. On October 11, 1877, he was married to Miss Willie C. Brown, who survives him. In the Christian Union Church, later in the Illinois Conference, he served in order the following charges: Smithville, Ottawa, Hebron, and Midway. In the autumn of 1873 he transferred to the Missouri Conference, where he served Newark, Canton, Palmyra Circuit, Colony, La Belle, Philadelphia, Ashley, New Florence, Jonesburg, and Winfield, building churches and parsonages, and feeding the flock, while everywhere blessed of God in the birth of many souls to eternal life under his ministry. Never enjoying robust health, the exposure and strenuous work of the pastorate wore him out, and in 1894 he moved to Colorado in search of a more suitable climate, and continued his residence there, preaching the word as his strength permitted till the final ail came, after a lingering illness of great suffering. His faithful wife and two daughters, Mrs. Rogers and Mrs. Greene, were with him throughout this ordeal. His departure is mourned by an aged companion and six children: Ida (Mrs. L. A. Strother, Ashley, Mo.) and Marvin, Ithaca, N. Y., of the first marriage; and of the second, Mrs. George Harmer, Los Angeles, Cal.; Mrs. Henry Rogers, Howbert, Colo.; Mrs. Henry Tieck, San Francisco, Cal.; and Mrs. B. Raymond Greene, Denver, Colo. His ministry was marked by a gentle kindness that won its way where a more fiery force must have failed. He was the writer's pastor at that early period of childhood when "the preacher" is seen through a veil of awe that puts him very far away, but on Brother Kendall's visits in our home he seemed nearer than others did; while his playful skipping down the garden walk with me stands out vividly in memory across its thirty years. Being a child of God, he loved and was beloved of God's little ones. In his closing hours Christ, whom he had served so faithfully through life's years of strength, did not fail him; but the shadowy way was well lighted by the Star of Bethlehem, and his failing mortal faculties caught glimpses of the things supernal. It may be well said of him, "He was not, for God took him." These few words constitute the official record of a long and eventful life, and fewer still will endure the passing of many seasons on the marble's breast, but an inscription in the imperishable souls of men will remain the living epitaph of one who served with Christlike meekness



and endured with no less fortitude. Even our admiration may not add to the beauty of a well-lived life, but may our reverence renew its worth and power in our own!—*W. B. Rigg.*

JOSEPH HENRY PRITCHETT, D.D., departed this life at the home of his son, Dr. Paul L. Pritchett, in Webb City, Mo., March 21, 1916, aged eighty-one years, one month, and thirteen days. He was born in Henry County, Va., of Methodist parentage, and when quite young came to Missouri and settled in St. Charles County, where he received his early education and grew to young manhood on the farm. Under the gracious influence of a revival of religion conducted by W. W. Redman, George Smith, and D. T. Sherman, in old Shiloh Church, near his boyhood home, he was converted at the age of thirteen and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. He was licensed to preach by the Flint Hill charge in August, 1855, and the following September entered the traveling connection of the Missouri Conference; and for more than half a century he gave the strength and vigor of his manhood to the altars of the Church he loved. He traveled eight circuits, seven districts, and served nine stations. At the call of the Church he gave several years to educational work, as President of Howard-Payne College, Pritchett Institute, and Professor in Central College. He was elected by the General Conference Missionary Secretary, and in this responsible office he served the Church for four years. Seven times he was elected a delegate to the General Conference, and was usually chairman of his delegation. By every token Dr. Pritchett was an able minister of the gospel and a wise leader in the Church. His natural endowments were of a high order. A commanding presence, a musical voice like a trumpet sounding all the notes in the scale, a mind stored with wholesome knowledge, his thoughts, like disciplined soldiers, came and went at his bidding. Early in his ministry he took high rank as a preacher. Only the great themes of salvation were worthy of his consideration. Give him a text, an hour in which to elucidate it, and the thoughtful hearer was enriched from God's storehouse, for he brought out of his treasure new and old. While not a lover of polemic discussion, he was an able exponent of the doctrines and polity of the Church, and when called to defend them did so with great credit to himself and the Church he

represented. Dr. Pritchett was married to Miss Mary Jane Johnston, April 9, 1857. Born of this union were eight sons, who were tenderly nurtured and fully equipped for the responsibilities of life. Two of this number became ministers of the gospel. Rev. Joseph J. Pritchett, a brilliant young preacher, died a few years ago, and the Church deplored what seemed to be his untimely death, for he gave great promise of usefulness. Rev. J. T. Pritchett, now presiding elder of the Nevada District, is a worthy successor of his ascended father. The other sons are in professional life, and each has attained to eminence in his chosen profession. Sister Pritchett, in great feebleness of body, is waiting till the shadows are a little longer grown, when she hopes to cross the silent river and join the companion of her life in the land of fadeless day. In 1905 Dr. Pritchett took the supernumerary relation, moved within the bounds of the Southwest Missouri Conference, and supplied the Lebanon charge for two years. With this pastorate his active labors ceased, and he was given the superannuate relation. The evening of his life was spent in quietude and in loving ministrations at the bedside of his companion, awaiting the call of the Master. Having served faithfully his generation by the will of God, he has "fallen on sleep." In all the relations of life he was a good man, and his life was above reproach. The weary pilgrim has reached the goal and rests from his labors. In the cemetery of Independence, Mo., he sleeps among the silent dead the sleep of the just.

"He helped the weak and the weary, he comforted those who mourn;  
And no man knoweth the number of burdens he has borne;  
He sang, when his heart was weary, songs full of hope and cheer;  
And his songs brought comfort and courage, and all were glad to hear."

—*R. H. Cooper.*

WILLIAM BENJAMIN WHEELER was the tenth child of a family of eleven children. His father and mother, Mason and Nancy Wheeler, were among the pioneer settlers of Shelby County, Mo. William Benjamin was born in Shelby County, Mo., September 24, 1854. He became a Christian and a member of the Methodist Church in early life. He was married to Miss Mary E. Clayton, daughter of Dr. H. H. Clay-

ton, September 20, 1886, in Greeley, Colo. She and two daughters—Miss Louise, of Cape Girardeau, and Mrs. Lena Belle Pallardy, of Enid, Okla.—mourn the death of this noble husband and most indulgent father. Brother Wheeler was a great preacher. He was looked upon as a man for emergencies; was absolutely fearless, and ever ready to lead the armies of God against the powers of sin, but as gentle and kind as a mother, and always glad to hear advice from others in whom he had confidence. He obtained his education in Shelbyville High School and Shelbyville College. He was engaged in school work for many years. From 1877 to 1880 he taught in the schools of Missouri, and in 1881 and 1882 in Illinois. He joined the Denver Conference in 1883. He was President of Las Vegas Female College, New Mexico, and was also connected with the public schools of that State in 1887 and 1888. He was superintendent of the schools of Logan County, Colo., in 1889. While principal of the Logan High School he was a member of the committee that formed a curriculum for the State schools, and was also one of seven who rewrote a large part of the school laws of Colorado. Brother Wheeler was transferred from the Denver Conference to the Missouri Conference in 1893. For twenty-five years he served with great success the churches to which he was appointed, which means he always had the coöperation of his people. He gave much of his thought and time to the material interests of the Church. During his pastorate at Carrollton, a splendid church-building, which the congregation is now using, was erected—a monument to his ability. In other charges he improved the church property and was a great success in raising old debts. He always left his charges in first-class condition for his successors. Brother Wheeler had a big heart. He loved men, and was a member of several fraternal organizations, among them the Masons and Knights of Pythias. He exemplified the Pauline spirit of becoming all things to all men, that he might win some to Christ. He served the following charges in the Missouri Conference: Osborn, Kahoka, Canton, Carrollton, Gallatin, Macon, St. Charles, Glasgow, Milan, and Breckenridge. His health began to fail about two years ago. He suffered intensely at times, but was ever hopeful that he would improve and be able to serve his people. In his struggle with disease during these months he showed his wonderful will-power. Not

until Monday evening did he seem to give up hope, when he said to a friend: "I have done all that can be done; I am in the hands of my heavenly Father." Brother Wheeler passed to his reward at 2 A.M. on Tuesday, May 2, 1916.

"The pains of death are past,  
Labor and sorrow cease;  
And, life's long warfare closed at last,  
His soul is found in peace.  
Soldier of Christ, well done!  
Praise be thy new employ;  
And while eternal ages run,  
Rest in thy Saviour's joy."

The funeral was conducted by the writer, assisted by a number of his brethren of the Conference. The interment was at Clarence, Mo.—A. C. Browning.

BRUCE PICKNEY HAWKINS, son of William F. and Cynthia A. Hawkins, was born in Rogerville, Tenn., July 29, 1884; and his soul went back to the God who gave it, from his father's home near Eolia, Mo., April 16, 1916. At the age of eighteen years, under the ministry of W. O. Medley, he joined the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, at what was then called Old Prairieville (now North Eolia). In April, 1908, he was licensed to preach by the St. Charles District Conference, C. O. Ransford presiding elder. That fall he was admitted on trial into the Missouri Conference at Hannibal, Mo. He served the Silex Circuit one year, McCredie Circuit two years, and the Readsville Circuit four years. His health having completely failed, at the last session of our Annual Conference in Chillicothe, Mo., Bishop Hendrix gave him an appointment as junior preacher on the Mokane Circuit, so that he might have opportunity to regain his health. His health was not to be restored, and after a few brief months of struggle and battle, living in open air and sleeping much of his time in a tent, his life went out. I was his presiding elder for three years, and can say that Brother Hawkins was one of the very choicest spirits I have ever known. He had the intellect, character, and consecration which would have assured him high rank with us if physical health had not failed him. The people all over the McCredie and Readsville Circuits speak his name in tenderness and love. He commanded their admiration and respect, and they gladly followed him as their young and manly shepherd. Brother Hawkins leaves a widow and a

little two-year-old son to mourn his loss.  
—A. B. Culbertson.

EDGAR DAVID WATSON was born in St. Charles, Mo., September 30, 1865, and died in Center, Tex., August 29, 1916. He comes from a long line of Methodist ancestry. His grandfather, David Watson, was a member of the first Methodist class formed in Pike County, Mo., in 1816. His sainted father, Rev. H. B. Watson, was an honored and able member of the Missouri Conference. He received his academic training in Pritchett Institute, Glasgow, Mo., and graduated from the Missouri University in 1889. For twelve years he taught in schools and colleges in Shelbyna, Louisville, Ky., Palmyra, Richmond, and Lexington. He was married to Miss Bertie Spencer, daughter of Rev. B. H. Spencer, September 5, 1895. Two children, Berry Bascom and Bernice, blessed their home. He was licensed to preach in 1892, and was a local preacher until September, 1899, when he was received on trial into Missouri Conference at Memphis, Mo., Bishop Candler presiding. He served the following charges: Elmo, three years; Kirksville, two years; Glasgow, two years; Louisiana, two years; Vandalia, one year; assistant to the Church Extension Secretary, Dr. W. F. McMurry, four years; and charges in the Texas Conference four years. Brother Watson was a thorough scholar, and was one of the strongest preachers the Missouri Conference has known. He was diligent and faithful as a pastor, and his work everywhere was a blessing to the Church. He was held in high esteem by his brethren in the Conference and loved by the people he served. His widowed mother, Mrs. H. B. Watson, and sister Cora, reside in Palmyra. The funeral service was conducted at Palmyra by the Revs. W. F. McMurry, J. A. Mumpower, and Robert McIlvoy.—*John A. Mumpower.*

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over one by one, and their characters examined and passed, except that of F. W. Grampp, an undergraduate, who surrendered his credentials and withdrew from the ministry and membership of the Church.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Chillicothe District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Bogard Circuit .....	1	420
Browning Circuit .....	...	413
Brunswick Station .....	...	300
Carrollton Station .....	1	...
Chillicothe Station .....	...	639
Chillicothe Circuit .....	1	266
DeWitt Circuit .....	1	200
Hale Circuit .....	1	276
Humphrey's Circuit .....	1	156
Kingston Circuit .....	...	199
Linneus and Purdin .....	1	405
Milan Station .....	1	145
Milan Circuit .....	...	145
McBee Circuit .....	1	262
Norborne Circuit .....	...	294
Norborne Station .....	1	250
Triplett Circuit .....	...	289
	10	4,659

*Fayette District.*

Armstrong Station .....	...	151
Ashland Circuit .....	2	346
Clifton Hill .....	...	317
Columbia: Broadway .....	1	875
Wilkes Boulevard .....	...	265
Columbia Circuit .....	1	254
Dalton and Asbury .....	...	241
Fayette Station .....	20	575
Fayette Circuit .....	...	276
Glasgow Station .....	...	190
Higbee Circuit .....	1	406
Huntsville Station .....	...	289
Huntsville Circuit .....	...	298
Keytesville Station .....	...	261
New Franklin, Clark, & Cooper .....	...	453
Prairie Hill Circuit .....	...	196
Roanoke Circuit .....	...	224
Rocheport Circuit .....	1	360
Salisbury Station .....	...	377
	26	6,354

*Gallatin District.*

Albany Station .....	1	222
Breckenridge Station .....	1	129
Clarksdale .....	1	270
Denver Circuit .....	1	272
Eagleville Circuit .....	2	142
Edinburg Circuit .....	...	402
Gallatin Station .....	1	376
Gallatin Circuit .....	1	155
Jameson Circuit .....	...	170
Jamesport Station .....	...	196
Lineville Circuit .....	...	364
Lock Springs Circuit .....	...	386
Maysville Station .....	...	161
McFall Circuit .....	...	173
Mooreville .....	1	242
New Hampton Circuit .....	3	223
Pattonsburg Circuit .....	...	355
Weatherby Circuit .....	1	245
	13	4,483

*Hannibal District.*

Canton Station .....	...	270
Florida .....	...	201
Hannibal: Arch Street .....	1	537
Park Church .....	...	698
Hunnewell Circuit .....	1	402
Kahoka .....	1	262
La Belle Circuit .....	1	420
La Grange Circuit .....	...	339
Lewiston Circuit .....	...	586
Monroe City Station .....	...	319
Monroe City Circuit .....	...	243
Monticello Circuit .....	...	334
New London and Hydesburg .....	...	179

*Hannibal District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Novelty Circuit .....	1	205
Oakwood Circuit .....		158
Palmyra Station .....	1	248
Palmyra Circuit .....		156
Shelbyville Station .....		267
Shelbyville Circuit .....		148
	6	5,972

*Macon District.*

Bucklin Circuit .....	1	299
Cairo Circuit .....		242
Callao Circuit .....	1	294
Center and Trinity .....		91
Clarence Station .....	2	439
Downing Circuit .....		197
Edina and Beshears .....	1	160
Elmer Circuit .....		328
Gorin Circuit .....		178
Granville Circuit .....		328
Kirksville Station .....		163
La Plata Circuit .....	1	250
Lakenan Circuit .....		353
Macon Station .....		275
Macon Circuit .....		296
Madison and Leesburg .....		178
Memphis Station .....	1	174
Mount Carmel Circuit .....		95
Paris Station .....		502
Shelbina Circuit .....		445
Shelbina Station .....		
	7	5,287

*Mexico District.*

Auxvasse Circuit .....		301
Centralia Station .....		266
Centralia Circuit .....		234
Fulton Station .....	1	620
Fulton Circuit .....		388
Hallsville Circuit .....	2	336
McCredie Circuit .....		230
Mexico Station .....	1	763
Mexico Circuit .....		232
Moberly: Fourth Street .....		850
West Park .....		527
Mokane Circuit .....		554
Montgomery City Station .....		360
New Bloomfield Circuit .....	1	407
Reedsville Circuit .....		258
Sturgeon Circuit .....		250
Wellsville Circuit .....	1	377
	6	7,003

*Richmond District.*

Arrington Circuit .....		129
Avondale Circuit .....		120
Cowgill Station .....		214
Cummings Circuit .....	1	181
Edgerton Circuit .....		309
Excelsior Springs Station .....	1	358
Fairmont Circuit .....		81
Hardin Circuit .....	2	421
Henrietta Circuit .....		161
Jarbola Circuit .....		273
Kearney and Holt .....	1	304
Lawson Station .....		192
Liberty Station .....	2	314
Millville Circuit .....		398
Orrick Circuit .....		331
Platte City Circuit .....		228
Plattsburg Station .....		259
Polo Circuit .....		270
Rayville Circuit .....		467
Richmond Station .....		728
Rushville Circuit .....		98

*Richmond District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers
Smithville Circuit .....	2	309
Turney Circuit .....		225
Weston Circuit .....	1	240
	10	6,301

*St. Charles District.*

Bellflower Circuit .....		314
Center Circuit .....		327
Clarksville Circuit .....		476
Defiance Circuit .....		180
Elsberry and Smith Chapel .....		501
Jonesburg and High Hill .....		265
Laddonia Circuit .....		185
Louisiana Station .....		85
McKittrick Circuit .....		155
Moscow Mills Circuit .....		313
New Florence Circuit .....	1	362
O'Fallon and Wentzville .....	1	225
Silex Circuit .....		313
St. Charles Station .....		374
Troy Station .....	2	313
Vandalia Circuit .....		338
Warrenton Circuit .....		177
Winfield Circuit .....		491
Wright City Circuit .....		187
	4	5,481

*St. Joseph District.*

Agency Circuit .....		511
Barnard Circuit .....		235
Bedford and Platte Chapel .....		148
Craig Circuit .....		335
Dearborn Circuit .....	1	350
Elmo Circuit .....	1	274
Fairfax and Rupe's Grove .....		296
Forest City Circuit .....		265
Guilford and Bethel .....		260
Hamburg Circuit .....	3	250
Julian and Downs .....		165
Maryville Station .....	1	267
Ravenwood and Monroe .....		166
Rockport and Pleasant Valley .....		170
Savannah Station .....		332
Skidmore Circuit .....	1	206
St. Joseph: Francis Street .....	1	859
Gooding .....		242
Hundley .....		203
Hyde Park .....		384
Olive Street .....	2	410
Spruce Street .....	1	281
St. Joseph Circuit .....	1	142
	12	6,751

*Récapitulation.*

Chillicothe District .....	10	4,659
Fayette District .....	26	6,354
Gallatin District .....	13	4,483
Hannibal District .....	6	5,972
Macon District .....	7	5,287
Mexico District .....	6	6,803
Richmond District .....	10	6,301
St. Charles District .....	4	5,481
St. Joseph District .....	12	6,751
Total this year .....	94	52,091
Total last year .....	76	50,573
Increase .....	18	1,518

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? No report.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? No report.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 300.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 2,728.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 144.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 5,642.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 403.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 3,933.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 44,571.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$9,677.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$8,245. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$10,661; Home and Conference Missions, \$13,646. Total, \$24,307.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$5,557.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$4,840.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$334.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$16,639; preachers in charge, \$142,543.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$1,840.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 443; houses of worship, 430.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$1,686,205; indebtedness, \$44,198.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 177; parsonages, 148.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$305,550; indebtedness, \$7,885.

Ques. 45. What is the number of dis-

tricts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 9; district parsonages, 4.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? No report.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 10; amount of damage, \$4,457.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$994,534; premiums paid, \$4,673; collections on losses, \$2,280.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Central College: Value of property, \$290,000; endowment, \$280,000; professors, 13; pupils, 252. Central College for Women: Value of property, \$101,500; endowment, \$72,000; professors, 20; pupils, 129. Howard-Payne College: Value of property, \$132,500; endowment, \$23,400; professors, 20; pupils, 204.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 259; Conference organ, 2,809.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? P. M. Culver, Grayson, Mo.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Richmond, Mo.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### CHILLICOTHE DISTRICT.

W. J. Parvin, P. E.

Bogard Circuit, C. H. Hess.  
Browning Circuit, W. C. Rice.  
Brunswick Station, C. A. Bowles.  
Carrollton Station, J. M. Boon.  
Chillicothe Station, G. F. Rixey.  
Chillicothe Circuit, M. A. West.  
DeWitt Circuit, C. H. Newman.  
Hale Circuit, S. J. Hawkins, supply.  
Humphreys Circuit, G. L. Glenn, supply.  
Kingston Circuit, J. F. Patton.  
Linneus and Purdin, E. L. Rutledge.  
Milan Station, T. T. Frazier.  
Milan Circuit, S. B. Leatherman.  
McBee Circuit, J. S. Rooker, supply.  
Norborne Station, W. B. Corder.  
Norborne Circuit, D. R. McBee.  
Triplett Circuit, W. S. Rooker.

#### FAYETTE DISTRICT.

Charles O. Ransford, P. E.

Armstrong Station, J. M. Major.  
Ashland Circuit, John E. Elmore.



Clifton Hill Circuit, M. L. Shemwell.  
 Columbia: Broadway, C. C. Grimes; W.  
     L. Halberstadt, junior preacher.  
     Wilkes Boulevard, A. B. Coffman.  
 Columbia Circuit, B. H. Smallwood.  
 Dalton and Asbury, H. D. Marlin.  
 Fayette Station, J. D. Randolph.  
 Fayette Circuit, Fielding Marvin.  
 Glasgow Station, C. S. Rennison.  
 Higbee Circuit, J. J. Copeland.  
 Huntsville Station, F. R. Poage.  
 Huntsville Circuit, W. T. Knight, supply.  
 Keytesville Station, M. C. Davis.  
 New Franklin, Clark, and Cooper, J. A.  
     Snarr; E. A. Jones, junior preacher.  
 Prairie Hill Circuit, R. S. Cunningham.  
 Roanoke Circuit, C. K. Shilling.  
 Rocheport Circuit, J. M. Monroe.  
 Salisbury Station, Ward M. Baker.  
 Missionary to Japan, W. A. Davis.  
 District Evangelist, J. M. Major.  
 Agent of Superannuate Endowment Fund,  
     R. H. Cooper.  
 President of Howard-Payne College, H.  
     E. Stout.  
 President of Central College: Paul H.  
     Linn.

## GALLATIN DISTRICT.

A. C. Browning, P. E.

Albany Station, G. C. Beery.  
 Breckenridge Station, W. A. McKee; J.  
     L. Taylor, Sup.  
 Clarksdale Circuit, H. G. Bloomfield.  
 Denver Circuit, P. M. Ham.  
 Eagleville Circuit, H. E. Cooper, supply.  
 Edinburg Circuit, S. J. Stonger.  
 Gallatin Station, F. E. Mosley.  
 Gallatin Circuit, J. O. Whitworth.  
 Jameson Circuit, Robin Gould.  
 Jamesport Station, N. F. Johnson.  
 Lineville Circuit, H. E. Ryan.  
 Lock Springs Circuit, William Ruther-  
     ford.  
 Maysville Station, C. L. Uht.  
 McFall Circuit, Thurman Bowen.  
 Mooresville, J. D. Hunt.  
 New Hampton Circuit, B. L. Holcomb.  
 Pattonsburg Station, J. W. Kimbrell.  
 Weatherby Circuit, A. P. Mathis.

## HANNIBAL DISTRICT.

W. P. Wynn, P. E.

Canton, C. V. Lanjus.  
 Florida Circuit, John L. Lawson, supply.  
 Hannibal: Arch Street, W. M. Alexander.  
     Park Church, J. N. Boyd.  
 Hunnewell Circuit, E. J. Speer.  
 Kahoka Circuit, S. O. Borland.  
 La Belle Circuit, J. W. Howerton.

La Grange Circuit, W. K. Moore.  
 Lewistown Circuit, L. R. Sparks.  
 Monroe City Circuit, R. O. Triplett, sup-  
     ply.  
 Monroe City Station, H. C. Bolen.  
 Monticello Circuit, B. B. Harvey.  
 New London Circuit, T. A. Allison.  
 Novelty Circuit, R. A. Mitchell.  
 Palmyra Circuit, C. M. Gray.  
 Palmyra Station, O. H. Phillips.  
 Shelbyville Station, E. E. Bostwick.  
 Shelbyville Circuit, W. O. Medley.  
 Superintendent of Northeast District Mis-  
     souri Anti-Saloon League, H. D. Thomp-  
     son.  
 Professor in Vanderbilt University, O. E.  
     Brown.  
 Student in Northwestern University, Ray  
     S. Tomlin.  
 Student in Yale University, L. E. Mur-  
     phy.

## MACON DISTRICT.

B. D. Sipple, P. E.

Brashear Circuit, J. T. Mitchell.  
 Bucklin Circuit, Marion Moore.  
 Cairo Circuit, C. H. French.  
 Callao Circuit, John Holland.  
 Center and Trinity, Hal B. Wimberly.  
 Clarence Station, Robert McIlvoy.  
 Downing Circuit, B. F. Leake.  
 Edina and Mount Carmel, J. M. England.  
 Gorin Circuit, to be supplied.  
 Kirksville Station, W. W. Richeson.  
 Lakenan Circuit, J. A. Lisenbee.  
 La Plata Circuit, F. A. Culmer.  
 Macon Station, G. B. Smith.  
 Macon Circuit, J. B. Lyle.  
 Madison and Leesburg, H. A. Shoemaker.  
 Memphis Station, J. W. Tanquary.  
 Paris Circuit, W. D. King.  
 Shelby Station, A. B. Culbertson.  
 Shelbyville Circuit, C. H. Werner.  
 Westville and Kern, H. H. McGrew.  
 Students in Yale University, P. P. Taylor  
     and F. C. Tucker.

## MEXICO DISTRICT.

A. C. Johnson, P. E.

Auxvasse Circuit, C. J. Chappell.  
 Centralia Station, A. C. Stormont; E. C.  
     Swann, Sup.  
 Centralia Circuit, B. E. Miller.  
 Fulton Station, W. L. Scarborough.  
 Fulton Circuit, J. H. Hubbard.  
 Halsville Circuit, F. P. Hanes.  
 McCredie Circuit, Henry Neighbors.  
 Mexico Station, S. W. Hayne; J. H. Jack-  
     son, Sup.  
 Mexico Circuit, J. M. Hornback.

Moberly: Fourth Street, C. N. Broadhurst.  
 North East, J. D. Wood, supply.  
 West Park, A. C. Zumbunnen.  
 Mokane Circuit, W. W. Wilson.  
 Montgomery City Station, G. A. Shadwick.  
 New Bloomfield Circuit, E. Y. Ginn.  
 Readsville Circuit, J. W. Slade.  
 Sturgeon Circuit, Ernest Jones.  
 Wellsville Circuit, W. H. Ellington.  
 Student in Boston University, Arthur F. Emig.

RICHMOND DISTRICT.

*S. M. Robinson, P. E.*

Arrington, J. L. Nickerson.  
 Avondale, John Wade, supply.  
 Bethel, H. I. Miller, supply.  
 Cowgill, W. Leslie Myers.  
 Edgerton, D. F. Bone.  
 Excelsior Springs Station, F. J. Mapel.  
 Fairmont, G. C. Todd.  
 Hardin Circuit, J. J. Reed.  
 Henrietta Station, E. M. Capp.  
 Jarbolo, W. H. Ezell.  
 Kearney and Holt, Orville Blackburn.  
 Lawson Station, G. C. Aker.  
 Liberty Station, M. H. Moore.  
 Millville Circuit, A. E. Barrett.  
 Orrick, D. L. Sayres.  
 Platte City, W. O. G. Potter.  
 Plattsburg Station, M. F. Crowe.  
 Polo Station, T. P. Middleton.  
 Rayville Circuit, P. W. Henry, supply.  
 Richmond Station, C. M. Aker.  
 Rushville Circuit, E. F. Adams, supply.  
 Smithville Circuit, J. A. Medley.  
 Turney Circuit, S. A. Smart, supply.  
 Weston Station, L. C. Maggart.  
 Waldron Circuit, M. L. McCoy.  
 Missionary to Japan, W. R. Weakley.

ST. CHARLES DISTRICT.

*V. O. White, P. E.*

Bellflower, W. C. Russell.  
 Center and Cross Roads, J. L. Roberts.  
 Clarksville Circuit, W. B. Rigg.  
 Defiance and McKittrick, R. M. Hardaway.

Elsberry and Smith Chapel, W. N. Giddens.  
 Foristell Circuit, M. Lewis Meyer.  
 Jonesburg and High Hill, J. W. Ramsey.  
 Laddonia Circuit, T. H. Swearingen.  
 Louisiana and Bowling Green, S. H. Milan.  
 Moscow Mills Circuit, H. L. Foster.  
 New Florence Circuit, D. H. Arbuthnot.  
 O'Fallon and Wentzville, B. F. Cline.  
 Silex Circuit, J. A. Hughes.  
 St. Charles Station, F. A. Henry.  
 Troy Station, I. T. Nash.  
 Vandalia and Frankford, W. E. Akers.  
 Warrenton and Wright City, Vada Davis.  
 Warrenton Circuit, George W. Schlueter.  
 Winfield Circuit, W. H. Utter, supply.

ST. JOSEPH DISTRICT.

*C. B. Duncan, P. E.*

Agency Circuit, S. E. Hoover.  
 Barnard Circuit, W. A. Chapman.  
 Bedford and Platte, to be supplied.  
 Craig Circuit, Karl T. Davis.  
 Dearborn Circuit, W. P. Hunt.  
 Elmo Circuit, Alfred Snowden.  
 Fairfax and Rupe's Grove, T. M. Taylor.  
 Forest City Circuit, E. F. Cooley, supply.  
 Guilford and Bethel, O. E. Lockart.  
 Hamburg Circuit, L. M. Kirby.  
 Julian and Downs, G. K. Vaughn.  
 Maryville Station, R. C. Holliday.  
 Ravenwood and Monroe, R. M. Wetzel.  
 Rock Port Circuit, George T. Ralston.  
 Savannah Station, W. C. Cowart; J. W. Keithley, Sup.  
 Skidmore Circuit, M. DeWitt, supply.  
 St. Joseph: Francis Street, Robert E. Goodrich.  
 Gooding, A. B. Pendleton.  
 Hundley, S. M. Williams.  
 Hyde Park, C. I. Hoy.  
 Olive Street, R. F. Davis.  
 Spruce Street, J. E. Baker.  
 St. Joseph Circuit, Ned Hill.  
 Superintendent of Children's Home Society, J. T. McDonald.

*Transferred.*—G. M. Hill, to the North Arkansas Conference; F. A. Downs, to the East Columbia Conference.

## EAST COLUMBIA CONFERENCE.

TWENTY-SEVENTH SESSION.

HELD AT WALLA WALLA, WASH., AUGUST 31-SEPTEMBER 3, 1916.

BISHOP LAMBUTH, *President*; JOHN H. DILLS, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
ANSWER. C. J. Taber. 1.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? David Skeen, John Spencer, J. A. Hall, C. R. Sims. 4.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? None.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? W. G. Forbis, S. B. Tabor. 2.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? F. M. Canfield, A. Thomas, W. A. Orr, A. L. Thoroughman, F. A. Downs, John B. Coan. 6.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? None.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? J. H. Lumper, M. T. Nolen. 2.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? E. R. Naylor, J. N. De Partee, Lester Taber. 3.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Eugene R. Naylor, Joseph I. De Partee, Lester E. Taber. 3.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? W. A. Orr. 1.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? W. B. Reese. 1.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? J. M. L. Hoyle, J. M. Turner, J. D. Crooks. 3.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? None.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called one by one, and their characters passed.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several cir-

cuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Washington District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Corbin Park .....	1	219
Kenwood .....	...	30
Coulee City .....	...	109
Oaksdale .....	3	57
Peach .....	...	111
Troy .....	1	72
Bethel .....	1	52
Lapwai (Indian) .....	1	54
Juliaetta .....	...	63
Lapwai and Sweet Water .....	1	141
Clear Water Circuit .....	2	28
Culdesac .....	1	39
Mission Creek .....	...	33
Gilbert .....	...	66
Leland .....	...	51
Nespelem .....	...	...
	11	1,125

*Oregon District.*

Milton .....	3	137
Walla Walla .....	1	157
Weston .....	...	112
Heppner .....	...	43
Lexington .....	...	36
Wingville .....	1	78
La Grande .....	...	62
Richland .....	...	153
Boise Valley .....	3	106
Rye Valley .....	1	20
	9	904

*Recapitulation.*

Washington District .....	11	1,125
Oregon District .....	9	904
Total this year .....	20	2,029
Total last year .....	17	2,224
Increase .....	3	...
Decrease .....	...	195

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 1; yes.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? None.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 54.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 103.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 17.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 419.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 30.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 270.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 2,476.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$345.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$241, Applied to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$368; Home and Conference Missions, \$498. Total, \$866.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$241.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$306.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$21.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$1,174; preachers in charge, \$10,058.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$84.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 34; houses of worship, 29.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$78,575; indebtedness, \$654.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 25; parsonages, 17.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$17,195; indebtedness, \$400.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 2; district parsonages, none.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? None.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? None.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance sta-

tistics? Insurance carried, \$33,450; premiums paid, \$173.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? One college: Value, \$75,000; endowment, \$20,000.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 25; Conference organ, 135.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? T. H. Howard.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Spokane, Wash.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

*J. H. Dills, P. E.*

Corbin Park, S. G. Rogers.

Kenwood, M. T. Nolen.

Coulee City, C. J. Taber.

Peach, Lester Taber.

Oakesdale, W. G. Forbis.

Troy, S. E. Powell.

Bethel, J. H. Kincaid, supply.

Juliaetta, F. M. Canfield.

Leland, J. A. Hall.

Clear Water Circuit, G. H. Gibbs.

Lapwai Indian Mission, S. J. Maxwell.

Nespelem Indian Mission, E. J. Conner.

Lapwai and Sweet Water, J. N. De Partee.

Mission Creek and Culdesac, John Spencer.

Gilbert, D. A. Skeen; W. B. Reese, Sup.

#### OREGON DISTRICT.

*A. L. Thoroughman, P. E.*

Milton, F. A. Downs; C. R. Sims, junior preacher:

Walla Walla, C. R. Howard.

Western, W. B. Smith.

Heppner, R. H. Lewelling.

Lexington, John B. Coan.

Wingville, S. B. Tabor.

La Grande, S. M. Roberts.

Richland, A. Thomas.

Boise Valley, J. H. Lumper.

Rye Valley, E. L. Gritton, supply.

President and Financial Secretary of Columbia Junior College, H. S. Shangle.

Dean of Columbia Junior College and Secretary of Education, E. R. Naylor.

Conference Missionary, N. D. Wood.

*Transferred.*—C. L. McCausland, to the Montana Conference.

## WESTERN VIRGINIA CONFERENCE.

SIXTY-THIRD SESSION.

HELD AT CHARLESTON, W. VA., SEPTEMBER 6-11, 1916.

BISHOP KILGO, *President*; W. L. REID, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. Anderson Lewis Spencer, Burleigh Floyd Wright, Walter Childs Harris, John Spurgeon McClung, James Everett McClung, Owen Henderson Dorsey, Arley J. Walton, Auxier Evans Mathews, Edgar Wilbur Underwood. 9. Continued in this class from last year: George W. Williams, Olin N. Foutty, Howard C. Conley.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? S. J. Campbell, W. A. O'Dell, E. P. Billups, B. B. Lambert, W. J. H. Knapp, I. T. Spencer, D. C. Wilhelm, A. M. Samuels, David Kirby, and J. N. Herald. 10.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? John P. Slaughter, Harry M. Sturm, Pascal D. Conley, Earnest W. Goff, Charles D. Lear. 5.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? George M. Moreland, elder, from the Holston Conference; R. T. Brown, elder, from the Kentucky Conference. 2.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? G. W. Alley, elder, from the United Baptist Church, by the Ashland District Conference. 1.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? None.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? G. W. Stewart, W. R. Hopson, C. G. Worrell, C. C. Jarvis. 4.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? John P. Slaughter, Harry M. Sturm, Pascal D. Conley, Earnest W. Goff. 4.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? John P. Slaughter, Harry M. Sturm, Pascal D. Conley, Earnest W. Goff. 4.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? Samuel J. Campbell. 1.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Samuel J. Campbell. 1.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Henry G. Sowards. 1.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Henry G. Sowards. 1.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? E. B. O'Dell, S. B. O'Dell, E. V. Parry, each at his own request. 3.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? A. B. Moore. 1.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? W. C. Leach, D. L. Bush, W. M. Hiner, P. G. Walker, H. B. Hewlett, J. A. H. Barrett, John Martin, C. H. Dowell, B. C. Davis, Bernard Spencer, M. V. Bowles, Elias Yoak. 12.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? Newman Lloyd Nutter. 1.

NEWMAN LLOYD NUTTER, son of Andrew S. and Laura A. Nutter, was born in Greenbrier County, West Virginia, May 29, 1883, and departed this life September 16, 1915. He was converted at the tender age of thirteen under the ministry of Rev. A. E. O'Dell, then pastor of the Hominy Falls Circuit, and united with the Church at Sugar Grove class. He was married to Lucy A. Amick, June 21, 1905. To this union were born the following children: Leslie, Lelia, Lloyd, Hubert, and Lambuth. Brother Nutter was admitted on trial into the Western Virginia Conference in the fall of 1904, and served the following charges: Madison Circuit, two years; Hamlin Circuit, three years; Summersville Circuit, two years; Mount Hope, two years, and was entering upon his third year there, and his tenth year in the ministry, when the lamentable accident which cost him his life deprived the family of a loving husband and father, the Church of a useful man, and the Western Virginia Conference of one of its most promising young men. The overturning of a piano which he was seeking to place in his home crushed out his splendid young life. Brother Nutter was a student of the best in literature. His research found utterance in his pulpit ministrations and his social intercourse. He was a preacher of a mighty gospel, a man of strong conviction, yet a most congenial, companionable, and successful man. He wrought most effectively on the Mount Hope Circuit, having built and dedicated the church at Long Branch and completed the church at Mount Hope



which it was his plan to dedicate at the new year. I knew him intimately but one brief year—alas, how swiftly the years go by!—but I knew him sufficiently well to say that few men are so devoted to the welfare of their family as he was. Each time I came to him he talked of his sense of responsibility for the children in the home, his plans for their future, and his deep concern about their eternal welfare. His devotion to his family was one of the strong traits of real manhood which I most ardently admired. Each and all of the large congregation of friends and neighbors, pastors of the other churches of the town, and men and women from all walks of life which assembled at the church at Hount Hope bore testimony to the high regard in which he was held at home. The funeral service held there, conducted by this writer and L. S. Cunningham, assisted by local pastors, was the forerunner of the final service held at Smoot and conducted by Rev. L. S. Cunningham. He was buried with Masonic honors in the Smoot cemetery, where he awaits the general resurrection. Peace to his memory! The blessings of God upon the widow and children!

"Servant of God, well done!

Thy glorious warfare's past;  
The battle's fought, the race is won,  
And thou art crowned at last;

Of all thy heart's desire  
Triumphantly possessed;  
Lodged by the ministerial choir  
In thy Redeemer's breast."

—Ivy Yoak.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were severally called in open Conference, and their characters passed.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### Ashland District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Ashland: Centenary .....	...	363
First Church .....	1	325
Oak View .....	2	207
Auxier Circuit .....	1	147
Beaver Mission .....	2	83
Blaine Circuit .....	4	280
Catlettsburg Station .....	...	223
Dwale Circuit .....	3	513
Grassland Circuit .....	1	266
Grayson Station .....	1	178
Greenup Circuit .....	...	135

#### Ashland District (Continued).

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Hitchens Circuit .....	2	74
Hopewell Circuit .....	1	339
Inez Circuit .....	3	73
Kavanaugh Circuit .....	1	317
Louisa Station .....	1	220
Paintsville Station .....	3	205
Pikeville Station .....	2	200
Prestonsburg Station .....	...	167
Russell Station .....	...	223
South Portsmouth Circuit .....	...	283
Van Lear Mission .....	...	85
Webbville Circuit .....	1	296
	29	5,202

#### Charleston District.

Ansted Circuit .....	...	254
Beckley Circuit .....	...	97
Big Otter Circuit .....	...	96
Cedar Grove Circuit .....	1	266
Charleston: Elizabeth Memorial .....	...	160
First Church .....	1	731
Roan Street .....	...	379
Charleston Circuit .....	2	526
Clendenin Circuit .....	...	142
East Bank Circuit .....	...	236
Fayetteville Circuit .....	...	367
Green Sulphur Circuit .....	1	113
Hominy Falls Circuit .....	3	491
Levisay Circuit .....	2	324
Minora Circuit .....	1	308
Montgomery Station .....	1	197
Mount Hope Circuit .....	...	230
Raleigh Circuit .....	3	107
Rupert Circuit .....	2	558
Sewell Circuit .....	1	336
Strange Creek Circuit .....	...	258
Summersville Circuit .....	2	422
Thurmond and Scarbro .....	...	85
	20	6,683

#### Fairmont District.

Boothsville Circuit .....	2	548
Burnsville and Flatwoods .....	1	235
Clarksburg Station .....	1	273
Cleveland Circuit .....	...	348
Cowen Circuit .....	3	300
Davis and Thomas .....	...	151
Elkins Circuit .....	1	219
Fairmont Station .....	1	381
Fairview Circuit .....	1	372
Farmington Circuit .....	1	440
Huttonsville Circuit .....	...	311
Ireland Circuit .....	1	410
Lane's Bottom Circuit .....	2	309
Meadowville Circuit .....	3	536
Mingo Circuit .....	3	344
Mount Morris Circuit .....	...	451
Parsons Circuit .....	...	269
Philippi Circuit .....	5	466
Richwood Circuit .....	1	151
Rivesville Circuit .....	...	500
St. George Circuit .....	...	234
Sutton and Gassaway .....	...	305
Webster Springs .....	...	97
	26	7,653

#### Huntington District.

Barboursville Station .....	3	240
Barboursville Circuit .....	1	63
Bowen Circuit .....	5	208
Buffalo Circuit .....	...	348
Fort Gay Circuit .....	5	140

*Huntington District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Gilbert Circuit .....	3	94
Glenwood Circuit .....	3	526
Hamlin Circuit .....	9	419
Holden Mission .....	2	50
Huntington: Central .....	2	243
Cottage Grove .....	2	242
Emanuel .....	4	514
Guyandotte .....	1	185
Johnson Memorial .....	2	1,540
Hurricane Circuit .....	1	150
Logan Station .....	2	192
Madison Circuit .....	2	115
Man Circuit .....	3	135
Milton Station .....	1	236
Point Pleasant Circuit .....	1	342
St. Albans Station .....	1	204
Wayne Circuit .....	2	237
	50	5,473

*Parkersburg District.*

Creston Circuit .....	212
Elizabeth Circuit .....	394
Garrison Circuit .....	1 260
Glenville Circuit .....	274
Grantsville Circuit .....	1 317
Liberty Circuit .....	2 181
Lubeck Circuit .....	223
New Martinsville Station .....	350
Paden City Circuit .....	1 138
Parkersburg: North Parkersburg .....	1 257
Liberty and Wesley .....	1 431
St. Paul's .....	623
Ravenswood Circuit .....	262
Reader Circuit .....	493
Reedy Circuit .....	1 447
Ripley Circuit .....	258
Sandyville Circuit .....	325
St. Mary's Circuit .....	112
Spencer Circuit .....	.81
	3 5,638

*Recapitulation.*

Ashland District .....	29	5,202
Charleston District .....	20	6,683
Fairmont District .....	26	7,653
Huntington District .....	50	5,473
Parkersburg District .....	8	5,638
Total this year .....	132	30,649
Total last year .....	144	31,343
Decrease .....	12	694

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 15.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? None.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 359.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,601.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 78.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 3,069.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 421.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 3,303.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 37,463.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$4,835.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$3,019. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$3,720; Home and Conference Missions, \$4,085. Total, \$7,805.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$2,339.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$6,209.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$186.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$9,164; preachers in charge, \$82,933.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$759.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 433; houses of worship, 378.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$989,509; indebtedness, \$66,364.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 114; parsonages, 93.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$213,800; indebtedness, \$11,988.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 5; district parsonages, 5.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$25,000; indebtedness, \$8,206.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 3; amount of damage, \$1,025.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statis-

tics? Insurance carried, \$371,350; premiums, paid \$2,963; losses sustained, \$811; collections on losses, \$811.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? No report.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 95; Conference organ, 3,400.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? D. W. Smith.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Louisa, Ky.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### ASHLAND DISTRICT.

*A. A. Hollister, P. E.*

Ashland: Centenary, P. E. Thornburg.  
First Church, C. A. Slaughter.  
Oak View, W. J. H. Knapp.  
Auxier Circuit, A. L. Spencer.  
Blaine Circuit, A. L. Moore, supply.  
Catlettsburg Station, A. P. Keyser.  
Dwale Circuit, V. D. Hannon, supply.  
Fallsburg Circuit, L. P. Kirk, supply.  
Grassland Circuit, W. C. Harris.  
Grayson Station, J. L. West.  
Greenup Circuit, A. E. Matthews.  
Hitchens Circuit, to be supplied.  
Hopewell Circuit, S. S. Booth, supply.  
Inez Circuit, H. M. Sturm.  
Kavanaugh Circuit, J. H. Dawson.  
Louisa Station, W. H. Foglesong.  
Paintsville Station, H. G. Sowards.  
Pikeville Station, J. L. Vinson.  
Prestonsburg Station, W. L. Reid.  
Prestonsburg Circuit, G. W. Alley, supply.  
Russell Station, J. R. Mullins.  
South Portsmouth Circuit, C. J. Campbell.  
Van Lear Mission, J. E. Brown.  
Wayland Circuit, J. T. Moore, supply.  
Student in Morris-Harvey College, B. F. Wright.

#### FAIRMONT DISTRICT.

*F. S. Pollitt, P. E.*

Boothsville Circuit, P. L. O'Dell.  
Burnsville and Flatwoods, H. H. Pownall.  
Camden-on-Gauley Circuit, C. C. Jarvis.  
Clarksburg Station, W. I. Canter.  
Cleveland Circuit, H. C. Conley.  
Cowen Circuit, J. P. Slaughter.  
Davis and Thomas, B. M. Keith.  
Elkins Circuit, A. J. Walton.  
Fairmont Station, R. T. Webb.  
Fairview Circuit, C. N. Coffman.

Farmington Circuit, I. S. Tyler.  
Ireland Circuit, J. N. Herald.  
Meadowville Circuit, S. H. Worrell; A. B. Moore, Sup.  
Mill Creek Circuit, J. J. McKinnon.  
Mingo Circuit, R. A. Fraley, supply.  
Mount Morris Circuit, C. W. O'Dell.  
Parsons Circuit, W. J. Richardson.  
Philippi Circuit, O. E. Thorn.  
Richwood Station, A. H. Perkins.  
Rivesville Circuit, J. B. F. Yoak.  
St. George Circuit, W. A. Law, supply.  
Sutton and Gassaway, R. J. Yoak.  
Webster Springs, A. E. O'Dell.  
Student in Morris-Harvey College, G. W. Stewart.  
Conference Missionary Secretary, W. I. Canter.

#### HUNTINGTON DISTRICT.

*H. K. Moore, P. E.*

Barboursville Station, Guy Coffman.  
Barboursville Circuit, A. H. Perkins, Jr., supply.  
Bowen Circuit, C. C. Sparks, supply.  
Buffalo Circuit, B. A. Winn.  
Ethel Circuit, P. O. Adkins, supply.  
Fort Gay Circuit, to be supplied.  
Gilbert Circuit, to be supplied.  
Glenwood Circuit, L. E. Harrison.  
Hamlin Circuit, C. B. Morris.  
Huntington: Central, J. W. Jackson.  
Cottage Grove, W. H. Surgeon.  
Emanuel, J. W. Crites.  
Guyandotte, C. D. Lear.  
Johnson Memorial, W. S. Walker.  
Hurricane Circuit, B. B. Lambert.  
Logan Station, C. C. Perkins.  
Madison Circuit, C. A. Goodwin, supply.  
Man Circuit, U. S. G. Allen.  
Milton Station, L. S. Auvil.  
Milton Circuit, P. D. Conley.  
St. Albans Station, J. M. Carter.  
Wayne Circuit, I. F. J. McMinster.  
President Morris-Harvey College, U. V. W. Darlington.  
Students in Morris-Harvey College, David Kirby and W. E. Bennett.  
Student in Chicago University, P. H. Willis.

#### CHARLESTON DISTRICT.

*I. N. Fannin, P. E.*

Ansted Circuit, C. T. Barton.  
Beckley Circuit, F. N. Nutter.  
Big Otter Circuit, W. B. F. Ball.  
Cedar Grove, M. G. Nutter, supply.  
Charleston: Elizabeth Memorial, I. T. Spencer.  
First Church, R. T. Brown.  
Roane Street, L. E. McEldowney.

Charleston Circuit, W. A. O'Dell.  
 Clendennin Circuit, W. M. Given.  
 Eastbank Circuit, O. H. Dorsey.  
 Fayetteville Circuit, L. S. Cunningham.  
 Gauley Circuit, Carl Scott, supply.  
 Hominy Falls Circuit, W. L. Dorsey.  
 Levisay Circuit, W. H. Beale.  
 Minora Circuit, G. W. Williams.  
 Montgomery Circuit, H. M. Smith.  
 Mount Hope Circuit, Ivy Yoak.  
 Raleigh Circuit, W. T. Brown, supply.  
 Rupert Circuit, J. E. McClung.  
 Sewell Circuit, C. M. Ball.  
 Smoot Circuit, W. T. Lantz.  
 Strange Creek Circuit, C. G. Worrell.  
 Summersville Circuit, S. H. Auvil.  
 Thurmond and Scarbro, E. W. Goff.  
 Trap Hill Circuit, W. E. Underwood.  
 Student in Morris-Harvey College, J. S. McClung.

#### PARKERSBURG DISTRICT.

*O. F. Williams, P. E.*

Creston Circuit, B. C. Wilhelm.  
 Elizabeth Circuit, W. A. Hopson.

Garrison Circuit, L. C. Talbott.  
 Glennville Circuit, H. V. Bennett.  
 Grantsville Circuit, B. F. King.  
 Liberty Circuit, O. N. Foutty.  
 Lubeck Circuit, J. F. Atkinson, supply.  
 New Martinsville, G. W. Twynham.  
 Parkersburg: North Parkersburg, F. E. Lambert.

Liberty Street, T. J. Hopson.  
 St. Paul's, G. M. Moreland.  
 Wesley, J. A. Wright.  
 Point Pleasant Circuit, H. L. Clay.  
 Ravenswood Circuit, B. F. Gosling.  
 Reader Circuit, E. B. Ware.  
 Reedy Circuit, W. K. Douth.  
 Ripley Circuit, N. C. Cochrane.  
 St. Mary's and Paden City Circuit, John Shorden; G. H. Farmer, junior preacher, supply.  
 Sandyville Circuit, A. M. Samuels.  
 Spencer Circuit, H. T. Watts.  
 Student in Emory University, E. P. Bil-lups.

*Transferred.*—R. N. Bush and G. W. Banks, to the Kentucky Conference.

### SOUTHWEST MISSOURI CONFERENCE.

FORTY-SIXTH SESSION.

HELD AT KANSAS CITY, MO., SEPTEMBER 13-18, 1916.

BISHOP HENDRIX, *President*; C. C. WOODS, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. Otis Gray Andrews, Homer Ulysses Campbell, Robert Cleveland Edwards, Enoch David Hicks, King Vivion, William Combs Teays, Joseph Millard Shockley, Lycurgus Monroe Starkey. 8.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Raymond Benefiel Kimbrel, Eldridge Wesley Bartley, Festus Earl Jenkins, James Russell Brown, Samuel Jones Starkey, Louis Nelson Pollock, Wilton Wilbur Garrett. 7.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? James Marion Lewis. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Ernest Delbert Baker, William Edward Brown, Walter Earl Hill, John Arthur Brown. 4.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? C. N. Clark, Ernest C. Webb, L. S. Nightwine, A. C. Gayle, A. N. James. 5.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? None.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? John Elisha Cox, Thomas Harrison Hickman, George Bertram Snapp, Otis Sims Firestone, James Dotrie Prater, Frederick William Culmer, William James Cox. 7.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Ernest Delbert Baker, William Edward Brown, John Arthur Brown, Louis Francis Filewood. 4.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Ernest Delbert Baker, William Edward Brown, John Arthur Brown, Louis Francis Filewood. 4.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? Joseph Millard Shockley, Eldridge Wesley Bartley, Elijah Hinkle. 3.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Joseph Millard Shockley, Eldridge Wesley Bartley, Elijah Hinkle. 3.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Hendy Grady Gatlin. 1.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Henry Grady Gatlin. 1.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? Otis Gray Andrews. 1.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? Otis Gray Andrews. 1.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? J. M. Clark, T. M. Cobb, C. M. Davenport, J. W. Ezell, J. C. Morris, C. W. Scarritt, S. G. Welborn, M. Larkin, W. P. Owen, J. M. King. 10.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? M. Adkisson, M. Bahrenburg, W. A. Brewer, J. P. Caldwell, J. A. Castell, W. F. Briggs, W. T. Eastwood, J. L. Hagler, J. E. Harney, H. D. Hogan, J. T. Loyall, J. A. Matthews, H. I. Miller, J. G. L. Mitchell, W. M. McAlister, W. L. McGuire, L. P. Norfleet, J. W. Ogdon, T. D. Payne, J. F. Pike, J. C. Shackelford, J. D. Wood, J. W. Payne, G. J. Warren, S. G. Keys, G. H. Green. 26.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? W. B. Cobb, A. G. Moore, Joab Spencer, J. W. Howell. 4.

WILLIAM BENSON COBB was one of thirteen children of James M. and Mary Cobb, born in Lafayette County Mo., near McKendree Chapel, April 13, 1844. He passed to the Church triumphant from Nevada, Mo., July 16, 1916, aged seventy-two years, three months, and three days. He grew to manhood and remained on the farm until, some time in the seventies, he sold his farm and entered business at Wellington, Mo. He was converted under the ministry of the Rev. Warren E. Pitts, at a schoolhouse near his father's home, and united with the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, at McKendree Chapel in 1858. He was baptized by the Rev. R. A. Young, then presiding elder of the Lexington District. His conversion was sound and satisfying, and his Christian life conscientious and zealously active from the beginning. He early felt the conviction of his duty to preach the gospel, but for reasons not known to the writer he deferred his response until 1880, when, on February 21, he was licensed to preach and recommended to the Annual Conference for admission into the traveling connection by the Wellington Quarterly Conference, Rev. L. W. Pierce being the pastor and Rev. J. L. D. Blevans presiding elder. In September of the same year at Marshall, Mo., he joined the Southwest Missouri Conference, Bishop Keener presid-

ing. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Granbery at Nevada in 1882, and elder by Bishop Linus Parker at Jefferson City in 1884. He was a good, faithful preacher and a tender, beloved pastor. While a man of strong convictions, his heart was so full of love to God and men that those whose sins he condemned respected him, and most of them even loved him. He was indeed a man full of the Holy Spirit and of faith. For twenty-nine years he served acceptably charges in Saline, Lafayette, Pettis, Jackson, Cass, Bates, and Cooper Counties, and received about six hundred persons into the Church. He belonged to a family of preachers, being one of four brothers preaching the gospel in this Conference, the others being Rev. Thomas M., Peter, and J. N. Cobb; only the first now survives. He was thrice married; first to Miss Ellen Price, by whom two children were born and survive him—William G. Cobb, of Lamonte, Mo., and Mrs. Lou Hereford, of Kansas City, Kans.; then to Mrs. Lizzie Cloudsley, by whom one daughter was born—Mrs. Nellie Pollock, of Blairstown, Henry County, Mo.; and last, in 1893, to Miss Ellen Swearingen, who survives him and lives at Independence, Mo. In September, 1909, on account of failing health, he took the superannuate relation and grew weaker continually, only attending his Conference twice afterwards before joining the great Conference above. Brother Cobb was indeed a good man, loving sincerely his friends and brethren, and bearing not the least ill will toward any man. If he ever had an enemy, he could not reasonably remain long so; for his gentleness would soon melt him to reconciliation. No man among us endeared himself more to his brethren than did Brother Cobb. We can easily imagine the scene in heaven when his happy, hopeful spirit was ushered into the presence of his blessed Lord, of his sainted loved ones and fellow itinerants of his Conference. Our burdened hearts to-day beat stronger and our weary feet step quicker as we recount his virtues and contemplate his triumphs in heaven. May an abundant measure of his spirit fall upon the young Elishas he leaves behind in his Conference; and may the Holy Comforter, along with the sweet memory of the love and goodness of this brother, husband, and father, console and keep all the bereft until we rejoin him in our Father's house above! His funeral services were conducted at Independence, Mo., July 18, 1916, by Rev.



F. M. Burton, his presiding elder, assisted by other brethren; and his body was tenderly laid to rest in the Independence Cemetery, in hope of a glorious resurrection at the last day.—*S. P. Cayton.*

JOAB SPENCER was born in Indiana on March 10, 1831, and went to the Better Land on December 6, 1915. When thirty years of age, he came to Missouri. Brother Spencer was converted and united with the Church when but a youth. He was licensed to preach and joined the Missouri Conference in 1855. He was transferred to the Kansas City Mission Conference in 1858, and remained in that Conference until 1874, when he transferred to the Southwest Missouri Conference. He was an itinerant preacher for fifty-nine years. In August, 1860, he was united in marriage with Miss Mary Munckers, who, with five daughters, survives him. Brother Spencer's home life was ideal. His wife entered into full sympathy and coöperation with him in his life work, and helped to make the home bright and happy. Brother Spencer was no ordinary man. His early advantages for education and proper equipment for the great work to which the Lord had called him were limited, but by giving himself to diligent and prayerful study of God's Word and the best literature at his command, he became well versed in the great doctrines of the Bible. As a preacher he was always interesting and instructive; many were brought to the Saviour through his instrumentality, and many more were helped forward in the way of life. As a pastor he was diligent and discreet. Many homes were blessed by his quiet, modest, devout presence and prayers. His mind was richly stored with the history of the Church and of our land. Having spent a large part of his life as a missionary among the Indians, he was familiar with the temperament, habits, and history of that race. His communications to our Church papers were always thrillingly interesting, and accepted as correct. Brother Spencer's true worth and greatness were demonstrated in his modest, humble, and truly consecrated life. He was always dependable and ever faithful. His friends trusted and loved him to the end. For a number of years he was too feeble to preach, but in his quiet superannuated life he was a blessing to his pastor, church, and family. He passed away in great peace, and is forever at rest.—*T. M. Cobb.*

A. G. MOORE was born in Cooper County, Mo., November 20, 1847, and passed away May 6, 1916. He was converted at Oak Grove, Mo., February 15, 1871, under the preaching of W. M. Rader. In January, 1872, he was licensed to preach, and in 1887 he was received into the Southwest Missouri Conference on trial. After some years of faithful service, his health failed; and he was granted a superannuate relation, at his own request. During his last and protracted illness he was a great sufferer, but bore all patiently; and we are glad to know that in his last hours his faith did not waver, and that great joy filled his heart as he anticipated a glorious future.—*W. C. Bewley.*

J. W. HOWELL was a native of Virginia and a splendid product of Virginia Methodism. In that State he ministered for some years with great acceptability and spiritual power. He was a soul winner. He came to Missouri in 1891, and at once took rank with the leading preachers of the Conference. He was stationed at such important churches as Lexington, Boonville, Sedalia, and Springfield. In 1916 failing health compelled him to go to Texas in an effort to regain his strength; but failing in this, he came to Arkansas, where he died in March, 1916, deeply mourned by his companion of many years and an only daughter who survive him. He was buried in Nevada, Mo., after an impressive funeral service conducted by the Rev. J. E. McDonald, assisted by other brethren. His training in Randolph-Macon College and Princeton University equipped him for a splendid and efficient ministry. His genial disposition made him an enjoyable companion; and his strong and faithful preaching made him a popular and successful pastor.—*W. H. Comer.*

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? One by one their names were called, and their characters were passed.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### Joplin District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Carterville .....	...	290
Carthage .....	...	347
Cassville .....	1	167
Cedarville .....	...	123
Diamond .....	...	149
Granby .....	1	102
Jasper Circuit .....	1	154

*Joplin District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Jericho Springs .....	1	213
Joplin: First Church .....	1	415
Kenoma Circuit .....		209
Milford Circuit .....		197
Miller and McNiel .....		179
Monett .....		180
Neosho .....	4	424
Newtonia Circuit .....	3	278
Pierce City Circuit .....		100
Pineville Circuit .....		275
Purcell Circuit .....	1	90
Red Oak Circuit .....		170
Sarcoie Circuit .....		185
Seneca Circuit .....	1	158
Southwest City Circuit .....		193
Stella Circuit .....		317
Webb City: Central .....		467
West Side and Blendville .....	1	120
	15	5,502

*Kansas City District.*

Bellevue and Fairmount .....		137
Belton and Young's Chapel .....		287
Blue Springs Circuit .....	3	447
Bucyrus and Stillwell .....	1	198
Daugherty Circuit .....	1	160
Garden City .....		234
Harrisonville .....		384
Hillsdale and Zion .....		122
Independence .....		573
Lee's Summit .....	1	169
Kansas City: Central .....	2	1,012
Cleveland Avenue .....		410
Epworth .....		205
Institutional and Garland .....	2	438
Melrose .....		442
Olive Street .....		219
Swope Park .....	1	314
Troost Avenue .....	1	357
Westport .....	5	505
White Avenue .....		271
Kansas City, Kan. ....	1	404
Martin City and Grand View .....		270
Mount Washington .....		248
Peculiar and Shiloh .....		283
Pleasant Hill .....		276
Rock Hill .....	1	106
Rosedale .....		219
Union and Blue Park .....		
Wyandotte Circuit .....	1	173
	20	8,863

*Lexington District.*

Bates City Circuit .....	1	383
Bethel and Basin Knob .....	1	284
Buckner Circuit .....		374
Corder and Blackburn .....		213
Cross Timbers Circuit .....		261
Higginsville .....		207
Hustonia and Hughesville .....		276
Lincoln and Prairie Chapel .....		228
Green Ridge Circuit .....	1	245
Lamonte .....		178
Lexington .....		512
Longwood Circuit .....		253
Montserratt Circuit .....		370
Oak Grove and Pleasant Prairie .....	2	319
Odessa and Mount Tabor .....	1	368
Sedalia .....		636
Sedalia Circuit .....		259
Sweet Springs Circuit .....	1	408
Warrensburg .....		266

*Lexington District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Warsaw Circuit .....		275
Waverly and Grand Pass .....	1	255
Wellington and Dover .....		207
	8	6,777

*Marshall District.*

Arrow Rock .....		268
Belle Air .....		140
Boonville .....	2	373
Bunceton .....		296
California .....		235
Chamolis Circuit .....		308
Gilliam .....		275
Jamestown .....		276
Jefferson City .....		1,051
Linn Circuit .....		293
Malta Bend .....		140
Marshall .....	1	724
Miami .....		299
Otterville Circuit .....		248
Pilot Grove .....		375
Russellville .....	1	
Slater .....		431
Smith's Chapel .....		267
Versailles .....	1	229
	5	5,999

*Nevada District.*

Appleton City Circuit .....	1	125
Archie Circuit .....		210
Austin and Marvin .....		333
Bronaugh Circuit .....		238
Bronson .....		36
Clinton .....	1	229
Butler .....		183
Calhoun .....	1	306
Chilhowie and Hickory .....		223
Council Grove Circuit .....		129
El Dorado Springs .....	1	180
Hume and Sprague .....		273
Huntingdale and Drake .....		212
Lowery City Circuit .....		179
Medford and Norris .....	1	197
Metz and Richards .....		325
Montrose Circuit .....		267
Moundville and Deerfield .....		120
Nevada: Centenary .....		550
Papinsville Circuit .....	1	148
Passaic Circuit .....	1	265
Rich Hill .....		248
Sheldon Circuit .....		173
Spruce Circuit .....		220
Stotesbury Circuit .....		256
Vista Circuit .....		225
Walker Circuit .....	1	235
Windsor .....		357
Windsor Circuit .....	3	191
	11	6,633

*Springfield District.*

Ash Grove Circuit .....	3	261
Crocker Circuit .....		237
Elwood Circuit .....	1	332
Fair Grove and New Salem .....	2	191
Lebanon .....		170
Marshfield .....		269
Marshfield Circuit .....	1	203
Morrisville .....	5	338
Morrisville Circuit .....	2	346
Mountain Grove .....		222
Nlangua Circuit .....	4	355
Norwood Circuit .....		36

*Springfield District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Phoenix Circuit .....	1	230
Rogersville Circuit .....	1	191
Sleeper Circuit .....	1	174
South Greenfield Circuit.....	1	304
Springfield: Campbell Street.....	1	503
Dale Street .....	1	284
St. Luke and Ozark.....	1	165
St. Paul .....	4	744
Stoutland Circuit .....	2	274
Vienna Circuit .....	1	132
Walnut Grove and Aldrich.....	1	269
Waynesville Circuit .....	1	191
Willard Circuit .....	1	223
	28	6,694

*Recapitulation.*

Joplin District .....	15	5,502
Kansas City District.....	20	8,863
Lexington District .....	8	6,777
Marshall District .....	5	6,228
Nevada District .....	11	6,633
Springfield District .....	28	6,694
Total this year .....	87	40,697
Total last year .....	84	38,670
Increase .....	3	2,027

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? No report.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? No report.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 333.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 2,175.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 130.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 4,695.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 304.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 3,276.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 39,707.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? Five per cent of salaries paid to preachers and presiding elders, or \$8,372.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$6,644. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$7,254;

Home and Conference Missions, \$9,520. Total, \$16,774.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$3,986.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$3,180.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$229.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$11,576; preachers in charge, \$122,831.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$1,353.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship, owned by them? Societies, 339; houses of worship, 327.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$1,508,375; indebtedness, \$27,744.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charge, 148; parsonages, 126.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$256,250; indebtedness, \$9,689.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 6; district parsonages, none.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? None.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 6; amount of damage, \$4,535.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$840,650; premiums paid, \$3,948; collections on losses, \$160.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? No report.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 123; Conference organ, 1,782.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? Perry S. Rader.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? W. C. Hill, F. M. Burton, and O. E. Vivion appointed to select the place.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

JOPLIN DISTRICT.

*J. R. Strong, P. E.*

Cartersville, A. N. James.  
 Carthage, R. J. Kyle.  
 Cassville Circuit, Herman Hays, supply.  
 Cedarville Circuit, C. F. Welch, supply.  
 Diamond Circuit, J. M. King.  
 Granby, J. B. Jordan, supply.  
 Jasper Circuit, L. L. Pinnell.  
 Jericho Springs, Claude Bridenthal.  
 Joplin: First Church, H. A. Wood.  
 Kenoma Circuit, to be supplied.  
 Milford Circuit, to be supplied.  
 Miller and McNeil, J. A. Reid, supply.  
 Monett, to be supplied.  
 Neosho, B. B. Pennington.  
 Newtonia Circuit, W. J. Cox.  
 Pierce City and Bethel, F. M. Price.  
 Pineville Circuit, J. N. Williams.  
 Purcell Circuit, C. A. Lewis, supply.  
 Red Oak Circuit, to be supplied.  
 Sarcoxie Circuit, T. H. Hickman.  
 Seneca Circuit, J. A. Scott.  
 Southwest City Circuit, W. H. Hatfield, supply.  
 Stella Circuit, W. E. Reid.  
 Webb City: Central, J. B. Swinney.  
 West Side and Blendville, S. E. Hogan, supply.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

*J. F. Caskey, P. E.*

Belton, O. G. Andrews.  
 Blue Springs and Young's Chapel, Alonzo Patison.  
 Blue Park and Union, J. F. Burlie, supply.  
 Bucyrus and Stillwell, H. J. Rand.  
 Daugherty and Pitt's Chapel, F. E. Jenkins.  
 Garden City and Dayton, H. G. Gatlin.  
 Grain Valley Circuit, G. C. Loch.  
 Grandview and Martin City, R. C. Edwards.  
 Harrisonville, W. E. Sullens.  
 Hillsdale Circuit, M. M. Sooter.  
 Independence, L. F. Shook.  
 Kansas City: Central, B. P. Taylor.  
 Cleveland Avenue, W. E. Brown.  
 Epworth, W. J. Snow.  
 Institutional and Garland, W. C. Hill, Superintendent and pastor; H. U. Campbell, junior preacher.  
 Melrose, I. D. Borders; J. C. Morris and C. F. Scarritt, Sup's.  
 Olive Street, A. B. Jackson.  
 Rock Hill, F. R. Chapman.  
 Swope Park, M. A. Magers.  
 Troost Avenue, C. N. Clark; J. M. Clark, Sup.  
 White Avenue, E. W. Bartley.

Kansas City: Westport, W. T. McClure.  
 Kansas City, Kans., J. E. Alexander.  
 Lee's Summit, R. B. Kimbrell.  
 Mount Washington, W. P. Buckner.  
 Peculiar and Shiloh, J. D. Robbins.  
 Pleasant Hill, W. H. Heslar.  
 Point Pleasant and Fairmount, to be supplied.  
 Rosedale, Walter H. Smith.  
 Wyandotte Circuit, A. C. Gale.  
 Missionary Evangelist, R. F. Campbell.

LEXINGTON DISTRICT.

*Frank M. Burton, P. E.*

Bates City Circuit, C. Bruner.  
 Bethel and Basin Knob, L. M. Starkey.  
 Buckner Circuit, C. T. Wallace.  
 Corder and Blackburn, B. V. Alton; M. Larkin, Sup.  
 Cross Timbers Circuit, D. E. Dowless.  
 Green Ridge Circuit, L. M. Dowdy.  
 Higginsville, C. L. Stouffer.  
 Houstonia and Hughesville, G. E. Hargis.  
 Lamonte, W. C. Bewley.  
 Lexington, R. N. Allen; C. M. Davenport, Sup.  
 Lincoln and Prairie Chapel, J. R. Brown.  
 Longwood Circuit, H. C. Green.  
 Mayview Circuit, W. F. Wagoner.  
 Montserratt Circuit, W. W. Garrett.  
 Oak Grove, J. T. Pinnell.  
 Odessa, T. B. Harris.  
 Sedalia, C. H. Briggs.  
 Sedalia Circuit, E. D. Hicks.  
 Sweet Springs Circuit, G. L. Coffman, and one to be supplied.  
 Warrensburg, R. M. Hawkins.  
 Warsaw, J. A. Jared.  
 Waverly and Grand Pass, E. I. Ailor.  
 Wellington and Dover, J. W. Owen.  
 President of Central College for Women, Z. M. Williams.  
 Chaplain to Confederate Soldiers' Home, T. M. Cobb.

MARSHALL DISTRICT.

*A. R. Faris, P. E.*

Arrow Rock Circuit, L. N. Pollock.  
 Bell Air and Bethlehem, J. G. Haynes.  
 Boonville, L. F. Clark.  
 Bunceton, W. H. Suddath.  
 Chamois Circuit, W. P. Barrett.  
 California, L. S. Nightwine.  
 Gilliam, J. H. Sneed.  
 Jamestown Circuit, C. F. Pryor.  
 Jefferson City, J. E. McDonald.  
 Linn Circuit, G. M. Blaine.  
 Otterville, T. A. Huffine.  
 Malta Bend, W. H. Hargrove.

Marshall, O. M. Rickman; J. W. Ezell, Sup.  
 Miami and Mount Carmel, J. R. Hedges.  
 Pilot Grove and Pleasant Green, U. V. Wyatt.  
 Russellville Circuit, A. C. Clendenning.  
 Slater, P. M. Cain.  
 Smith's Chapel and Shiloh, J. S. Emery.  
 Versailles, W. H. Comer.  
 Missionary to Japan, H. P. Jones.  
 Instructor in Central College, F. A. Culmer.

## NEVADA DISTRICT.

*J. T. Pritchett, P. E.*

Appleton City Circuit, S. J. Starkey.  
 Archie Circuit, D. B. Kazee.  
 Austin and Marvin, J. C. L. Boehm.  
 Bronaugh Circuit, J. A. Brown.  
 Butler, E. K. Wolfe.  
 Bronson and Deerfield, W. E. Hill.  
 Calhoun, T. H. Clayton.  
 Chilhowee Circuit, J. E. Cox.  
 Clinton, C. E. Ruyle.  
 Council Grove Circuit, to be supplied.  
 Drake and Hickory, G. L. R. Crook.  
 El Dorado Springs, W. D. Kelley.  
 Hume and Sprague, E. I. Hunt.  
 Lowery City Circuit, Clarence Walker, supply.  
 Lucas and Acorn, G. B. Snapp.  
 Metz and Richards, T. C. Puckett.  
 Medford and Norris, H. D. Huffine.  
 Montevallo and Vernon, Benjamin Stout, supply.  
 Montrose Circuit, C. C. Higbie.  
 Nevada: Centenary, W. M. Rader; S. G. Welbourne, Sup.  
 Papinville Circuit, Guy M. Hale, supply.  
 Passaic Circuit, W. A. Smith.  
 Rich Hill, S. P. Cayton.  
 Sheldon Circuit, R. W. Shemwell.  
 Spruce Circuit, W. C. Teays.  
 Stotesbury Circuit, L. Q. Hargrave.

Walker Circuit, S. E. Hinkle, supply.  
 Windsor, E. T. Raney.  
 Windsor Circuit, J. S. Burris, supply.

## SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

*Orion E. Vivion, P. E.*

Ash Grove Circuit, to be supplied.  
 Crocker Circuit, Polk Tull, supply.  
 Elwood Circuit, F. N. Looney.  
 Fair Grove Circuit, E. D. Baker.  
 Lebanon, A. I. Smith.  
 Marshfield, J. C. Saylor.  
 Marshfield Circuit, Mance Byrd, supply.  
 Morrisville, W. H. Winton.  
 Morrisville Circuit, Jacob Shook; O. E. Patton, junior preacher, supply, and one to be supplied.  
 Mountain Grove, J. H. Cleaves.  
 Niangua Circuit, W. H. Bostwick.  
 Norwood Circuit, Willis Staibus, supply.  
 Phoenix Circuit, J. J. Keller.  
 Rogersville Circuit, O. S. Firestone.  
 Sleeper Circuit, J. R. Hargis.  
 South Greenfield Circuit, Samuel Brooks.  
 Springfield: Campbell Street, C. A. Powers.  
 Dale Street, Lawrence Orr.  
 St. Luke and Ebenezer, J. B. Ellis.  
 St. Paul, W. A. McClanahan.  
 Stoutland Circuit, Ira Karr.  
 Vienna Circuit, C. J. Polston, supply.  
 Waynesville Circuit, Millard Shookley.  
 Willard Circuit, J. L. Weatherford, supply.  
 Student in Emory University, King Vivion.  
 Editor *St. Louis Christian Advocate*, C. C. Woods.  
 Superintendent of St. Joseph District Anti-Saloon League, W. G. Beasley.  
*Transferred.*—Arthur Bonner, to the North Alabama Conference; J. W. Smith, to the St. Louis Conference; Henry L. Du Pree and J. K. Beery, to the West Texas Conference.

## KENTUCKY CONFERENCE.

NINETY-SIXTH SESSION.

HELD AT NICHOLASVILLE, KY., SEPTEMBER 20-25, 1916.

BISHOP ATKINS, *President*; W. E. ARNOLD, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. W. L. Byrd, Ben T. Sewell, Edward Everett Jackson, J. J. Thomasson.  
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Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Enos

Waggoner, C. H. Caswell, E. M. Armitage, H. A. Longino, S. C. Williams, A. G. Cox, W. H. Vanderpool, J. M. Robinson. 8.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full con-



nection? L. C. De Armond, W. H. McGowan, E. H. Ritchie, S. T. Fitch, L. T. Allison. 5.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? O. J. Chandler, from the Louisiana Conference; F. T. Howard, from the Louisville Conference; James Crutchfield, from the Los Angeles Conference; R. N. Bush and G. W. Banks, from the Western Virginia Conference; John Paul, from the South Carolina Conference. 6.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? Thomas D. Walters and E. B. Schick, from the Methodist Episcopal Church; Hubert Bonny, from the Baptist Church. 3.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? Robert M. Criswell, a deacon, from the Methodist Episcopal Church. 1.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? J. A. MacClintock, S. W. Dean, Louis A. Fryman. 3.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Sidney Taylor Fitch, William Henry McGowan, Edgar Harlan Ritchie, Leonard Thompson Allison. 4.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Sidney Taylor Fitch, William Henry McGowan, Edgar Harlan Ritchie, Leonard Thompson Allison. 4.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? Henry Clay Thomas, Thomas Daniel Walters, Robert Valentine McClure. 3.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Henry Clay Thomas, Thomas Daniel Walters, Robert Valentine McClure. 3.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Hosea Milton Massie, William Morrison Williams, William Preston Fryman, Eugene Wesley Ishmael, Abraham Whitley Vanderpool, Beason Orland Beck, Samuel Johnson Bradley, James Russell Noland, Jordan Witt Carter, John William Gilbert. 10.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Hosea Milton Massie, William Morrison Williams, William Preston Fryman, Eugene Wesley Ishmael, Abraham Whitley Vanderpool, Beason Orland Beck, Samuel Johnson Bradley, James Russell Noland, Jordan Witt Carter, John William Gilbert. 10.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? C. K. Spell, at his own request. 1.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? W. F. Taylor, G. N. Buffington, J. R. Word, D. E. Bedinger, W. A. Penn, O. J. Chandler, J. W. Hughes, E. T. Caton. 8.

Ques. 20. Who are supernumerary? M. P. Morgan, M. W. Hiner, W. T. Rowland, George Froh, J. R. Peeples, W. W. Spates, T. F. Taliaferro, C. F. Evans, F. A. Savage, D. W. Robertson, E. E. Holmes, E. J. Terrill, J. R. Deering, W. B. Ragan, J. A. Sawyer, J. O. A. Vaught, W. S. Grinstead, J. M. Johnson, W. W. Green, A. Redd, J. H. Williams. 21.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? W. D. Gibbs, C. J. Nugent, J. S. Sims. 3.

WILLIAM D. GIBBS was the son of James J. and Margaret A. Gibbs. He was a native of North Carolina, having been born in that State on December 20, 1873. He came to Kentucky in 1898, and for several years engaged in teaching in Bell and Rockcastle Counties. On July 4, 1900, he was united in marriage to Miss Cora A. Yonce, of Broadhead, Ky. To them were born three children; one died in infancy, while Agnes and James remain to comfort their grief-stricken mother. The religious life of Brother Gibbs was very pronounced. While in his twelfth year he was converted and united with the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. As he grew in years, he grew in grace and in the knowledge of the Lord Jesus, until upon reaching mature manhood he had developed into one of the truest and noblest of Christian characters. His goodness and faithfulness were prime qualities, and I think it may be truly said of him that he never betrayed a trust, or failed under any test to exhibit the marks of one who had been with his Lord. He was gentle and kind and patient, and knew how to endure afflictions. He could bear as well as do; could suffer as well as triumph; could be reviled and revile not again; and could love and pray for those who would trample upon him, as well as preach the gospel to the multitudes. Brother Gibbs had a good mind, well stored with useful knowledge. I do not think he had much schooling except that which was afforded by his native mountains. But he was studious, and had read and thought until his acquirements were beyond those of the average man of his years. He was rapidly overcoming difficulties and forging his way upward, and

had he lived he would have steadily risen in the Conference and increased in usefulness among his brethren. Brother Gibbs was licensed to preach by the Danville District Conference in April, 1910. At the session of the Annual Conference held that year at Harrodsburg, he was admitted on trial and appointed to Pineville and Barbourville. This was the only charge he ever had. For three years he served faithfully the churches of this charge, and won a place in the affections of the people among whom he labored. Whether in the mining camps of Straight Creek or among the business and professional men of Pineville, wherever he labored, people were impressed by his sincerity and put a high estimate upon his Christian character. Just before Conference two years ago, he was taken sick. His lungs became involved, and it was seen that he could not long survive in the hopeless struggle with tuberculosis. As soon as he could travel upon a cot, he was taken back to the mountains of North Carolina, and for two years fought off the approach of death. He wanted to live and care for his wife and children, but was not afraid to die. Indeed, Christ had for him robbed death of all its terrors. He was patient in his weakness and suffering, joyous through hope, spent much time in prayer for the salvation of the world, preached the gospel to all he could reach, and rejoiced greatly in the conscious presence of his Lord. Requesting his family to meet him in the Better Land, he fell asleep, September 22, 1915, aged forty-one years, nine months, and two days.—*W. E. Arnold.*

CLARENCE JEWELL NUGENT was born in Opelousas, La., December 7, 1843. His father, John Nugent, was born and reared at Rathdowny, Ireland, and came to this country when quite a young man. His mother was the daughter of Judge Seth Lewis, who was for twenty-nine consecutive years the Circuit Judge of the Opelousas District. Both the father and mother of C. J. Nugent were members of the Methodist Church and devout Christians. I quote here from a sketch of his life, written by him at the request of his son while stationed at Frankfort in 1903. After affectionately mentioning the high Christian character of his mother, he proceeds to say: "No boy ever had a nobler, braver father than I had. He was a Christian from boyhood. He always held family worship. It was a part

of the daily life of our home, and it is now, in 1903, one of the sweetest recollections of my childhood. I can never fully know the good it did me. Nothing contributed more to stamp upon my mind and heart the importance of religion, and especially the importance of having the right sort. This is so true that I cannot remember when I was not convicted of sin, more or less." Thrice blessed is that child whose life is molded in the atmosphere of a home of prayer. We may forget many things connected with our childhood, but ever and anon the magic power of memory calls up the sacred scenes of the family altar and we feel their impress upon heart and life. Notwithstanding the hallowed influences of the home life, young Nugent drifted out for a while upon the tide of worldliness and frivolity; but conviction of his waywardness was ever present with him, and the prayers of his godly parents followed him until he laid down the arms of his rebellion and made an unconditional surrender to the Captain of salvation. When about eighteen years of age he entered the Confederate Army, and for over three years fought bravely to protect his beloved Southland from the cruelty of the invading hordes of the North. When the war ended he returned to find the old home gone, the blacks scattered, and, what most pained his heart, his mother in the kitchen doing the cooking. He says in his life sketch that this nearly broke his heart and impressed upon his mind the realization of the sad consequences of the war. Having fought, however, for what he thought to be right, he readjusted himself to the new conditions and became a loyal son of a reunited nation. His education was received in the public schools of New Orleans and several private schools, finishing at the Southern University, Greensboro, Ala., where he completed the four years' course in two years, graduating with the A.M. degree. Just before his graduation he was licensed to preach in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. About two months after this he was in Kentucky on business, and preached his first sermon in Frankfort. He says in regard to this, his maiden effort: "I read my sermon; and even with my manuscript before me, I was greatly embarrassed." He was received into the Mobile Conference on trial in December, 1869, at Selma, Ala., and assigned to the Eutaw charge, but was changed after the adjournment of Conference to Wetumka, the former capi-

tal of the State. At the end of that year he was transferred to the North Mississippi Conference and stationed at Friar's Point, in Coahoma County, Miss., one hundred and fifteen miles below Memphis. Here he met Miss Addie May Alexander, and the refined and cultured young preacher and the bright, vivacious young girl became lovers; and in February, 1874, while he was stationed at Holly Springs, Miss., they were married. At the end of this year he was transferred to the Mississippi Conference and stationed at Crystal Springs. In November of this year Clarence Jewell Nugent, Jr., entered upon his earth life; he was the first born of two sons, the younger dying in infancy. We pass over the next three or four years, when we find Brother Nugent a transfer to the Kentucky Conference and assigned to the Somerset Circuit in 1879. Here he received \$286 and a house to live in as his year's salary. He subsequently served Nicholasville, Versailles, Maysville, Mount Sterling, Carlisle, Mount Hope, Carrollton, Frankfort, New Castle, La Grange, and other charges. These are not given in regular order, as I have not the data. His faithful wife, who for fourteen years was the efficient Recording Secretary of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Kentucky Conference, fell at her post of duty in New Castle, about three years preceding her fond husband's death. Brother Nugent was most loved by those who knew him best. He was a man of culture—a Christian gentleman. I never knew him to say a coarse thing. He was unselfish in disposition. While in the army his brother, William, was made Assistant Adjutant General, and offered him the position of Secretary, which would have enabled him to be in the house or tent away from the hissing of ball and shell; but he refused the kind offer, saying: "There are men who have lost arm or leg in the war who can do that; I am needed in the active service." There we see something of the man's character. This unselfishness also characterized his ministerial work. In closing up his work, on the Oldham Circuit, although broken in health, hardly able to be on his feet, he tramped from house to house getting up his Conference collections. It was not necessary for him to walk, but he was making a brave, hard fight with death and refused to spare himself. He was at his best in his home. He was a devoted husband, ever tender and kind, and to his son a loving companion and

chum. When his son married, Daisey was received as his own beloved daughter and found a place in the warmest corner of his heart; and when the two children came, they too became the objects of his affections. Mrs. Nugent said to the writer: "Father was the best man I ever knew." For nearly two years he was my pastor when I was the chaplain of the prison. As a pastor he was faithful; as a preacher, instructive and helpful. He feared not to declare the whole counsel of God. He hated the liquor traffic and hurled his anathemas against it. This rendered him, at times, unpopular with the easy-going, but he would make no compromise, beg no quarter. This resulted, at the session of the Kentucky Conference held in Maysville, 1892, in his election on the first ballot to the General Conference, in which body he was chairman of his delegation. At the last session of the Conference, held at Millersburg, he was compelled, because of failing health, to ask for the superannuate relation, which caused him great sorrow. He left the seat of the Conference before adjournment, went home with his son to Louisville, grew gradually worse, was removed to the Deaconess Hospital, where he quietly and calmly passed into the Great Beyond, October 4, 1915. At the hospital he gained the admiration and love of the nurses and all who came in contact with him, by his patient and gentlemanly bearing. The funeral services were held in the church at La Grange, Ky., in charge of Dr. Foskett, the son's pastor, assisted by the writer and others. We laid his mortal remains by the side of his loved companion in the cemetery at La Grange. The last hours of the deceased were full of comfort. The gospel that he had so long and faithfully preached sustained him in the dying hour; his anchor held. He exclaimed: "The Bible is true! Yes, all the Bible is true!" He went to sleep as peacefully as a child in its mother's arms.

"How blest the righteous when he dies!

When sinks the weary soul to rest,  
How mildly beams the closing eyes!

How gently heaves the expiring  
breast!

So fades the summer cloud away;

So sinks the gale when storms are  
o'er;

So gently shuts the eye of day;

So dies the wave along the shore:

Life's duty done, as sinks the clay,

Light from its load the spirit flies;  
While heaven and earth combine to say,  
How blest the righteous when he dies!"

—T. F. Taliaferro.

JAMES SCOTT SIMS was a fullblooded Scotchman, born near Glasgow, Scotland, October 30, 1850. When but a lad his parents brought him to America and located in Virginia; thence to Indiana, where, by dint of thrift and frugality, James Scott was educated at De Pauw University, graduating with an A.B. degree. He received his A.M. in 1885, and the degree of Doctor of Divinity was conferred upon him in 1909. In 1876 he joined the Kentucky Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and served as pastor at Vanceburg, Stanford, Flemingsburg, and Shelbyville. He was then transferred to the Western Virginia Conference and stationed at Parkersburg, serving there four years. He then transferred back to the Kentucky Conference and served the charges of Maysville, Lexington, Frankfort, and Paris, with four years as presiding elder of the Covington District just following his pastorate of four years at First Church, Lexington, and one year on the Maysville District. His one year on the Maysville District was the only break in his unique and remarkable record of serving the maximum of four years in every charge to which he was assigned. Brother Sims possessed in a distinguished degree the characteristics of his Scotch ancestry. His sturdy strength and brilliant intellect were recognized by all who knew him, but a certain reserve of manner hid his fine qualities from those denied the privilege of intimate acquaintance. He possessed a deep, fervent spiritual life, but it did not give the emotional manifestation to which most of us Methodists are accustomed. He would have been better understood in a Synod or Presbytery of Presbyterians than in a Methodist Conference. But the members of his congregations and the citizens of the towns where he served as pastor, who listened to his eloquent and spiritual sermons, with whom he prayed in their homes, knew him and understood his heart of gold. No pastor was more highly esteemed or dearly beloved. He was not only popular with his own congregation, but he was universally esteemed by all who were so fortunate as to know him. His powerful sermons and loyal friendship made a lasting impression on every one. During his pastorate at Paris he

made a remarkable record: the membership of the Church was increased from two hundred and fifty to five hundred and fifty, the Sunday-school attendance was nearly doubled, and the Epworth League membership was increased from thirty-five to one hundred and fifty. Sunday, November 8, 1914, Brother Sims said: "This is the greatest day of my ministry. I have on previous occasions received as many as one hundred persons into the Church in one day, but to-day I have received nearly two hundred." This was a fitting climax to his useful life. On May 1, 1878, Brother Sims was married to Miss Mary Lovel, daughter of Hon. Robert B. Lovel, then of Vanceburg, later of Maysville, Ky. To them was born a son, Robert Lovel Sims, who now holds a responsible business position in Chicago. Sister Mary Lovel Sims died October 31, 1908. She had been a true helpmeet, and Brother Sims never quite rallied from the blow. While at Paris, God gave to him the love and support of Mrs. Rebecca Freeman, one of the most cultured and charming ladies of Bourbon County. They were married at her elegant home, January 4, 1916; and Brother Sims had planned to spend his eventide on her splendid farm. He was in comfortable circumstances financially, and had taken a supernumerary relation at our last Conference. Activity was satisfied, and he gracefully retired. He heard the voice which said: "Pause now, and lay down the tools of toil; there is something better than labor—there is reverie, there is rest." The evening, though short, completed the day as its coronation and benediction. In the tropical land of Florida, to which Brother and Sister Sims journeyed after their marriage, the eventide is short, the night descends swiftly. There among the orange groves the past was gathered up and laid at the feet of God, and his soul grew strong and longed for the morning of the glorious day when he should be clothed upon with his eternal house not made with hands. All clouds vanished from his skies, and with joy he looked into the face of his loving wife and said: "There is nothing to fear; God will take care of us." God took him, January 12, 1916, at Clermont, Fla. His devoted, heartbroken wife brought his body back to her home, and from there to Maysville, where the funeral services were held in the Methodist Church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. W. B. Campbell, assisted by Brothers J. D. Redd, C. F. Oney,

and W. O. Sadler. We placed the remains of his mortality by the side of her who had preceded him to the realm of life eternal. "Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth: Yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors."—W. O. Sadler.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Yes, except B. F. Chatham, who, during the year, was charged with immorality, and, upon trial, was expelled from the ministry and Church.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### Covington District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Alexandria .....	...	337
Augusta .....	1	311
Brooksville .....	1	342
Butler .....	...	314
California .....	2	504
Covington: Scott Street .....	...	381
St. Luke's .....	...	198
Cynthiana .....	...	443
Dry Ridge .....	...	180
Erlanger .....	...	64
Falmouth .....	1	472
Highland .....	...	307
Kelat and Curry .....	1	466
Newport .....	3	166
Oddville .....	...	406
Visalia .....	...	226
Walton .....	...	156
Williamstown .....	...	155
	9	5,428

#### Danville District.

Burgin .....	...	392
Burnside .....	...	67
Corbin .....	2	155
Danville .....	...	540
East Bernstadt .....	...	65
East Pulaski .....	...	225
Gravel Switch .....	1	88
Harrodsburg .....	1	295
Lancaster .....	...	90
London .....	1	128
Mackville .....	2	299
McCreary Mission .....	1	84
McKendree .....	...	125
Meadow Creek .....	5	224
Middlesboro .....	2	190
Moreland .....	1	203
Mount Zion .....	...	60
Perryville .....	1	237
Pineville .....	1	219
Preachersville .....	1	178
Richmond .....	...	216
Somerset .....	3	440
Stanford .....	...	219
Stanford Mission .....	...	...
West Pulaski .....	...	55
Wilmore .....	45	534
	67	5,328

#### Frankfort District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Carrollton .....	...	243
Corinth .....	1	236
Frankfort .....	...	330
Georgetown .....	1	201
Gratz .....	2	462
Hinton .....	1	552
Hughes Chapel .....	...	99
Hutchison and Oxford .....	...	142
Millersburg .....	1	240
Mount Hope .....	...	228
New Columbus .....	3	296
Paris .....	1	603
Petersburg .....	1	157
Polsgrove .....	1	374
Port Royal .....	...	425
Prestonsville .....	...	62
Warsaw .....	1	363
Worthville .....	1	263
	14	5,270

#### Jackson District.

Campbell and Hazel Green .....	2	199
Clay Mission .....	...	80
Fleming Mission .....	2	18
Frenchburg and Maytown Mission .....	...	174
Harlan Mission .....	...	25
Hazard .....	3	236
Hindman and Knott Mission .....	...	117
Jackson .....	...	170
Jenkins .....	1	69
Leslie Mission .....	...	...
McKee Mission .....	...	...
Quicksand Mission .....	...	25
Sandy Hook .....	3	240
West Liberty .....	3	120
Whitesburg .....	...	41
	14	1,514

#### Lexington District.

Camargo and Grassy Lick .....	1	240
Clay City .....	1	95
College Hill .....	2	350
Irvine .....	4	361
Lexington: First Church .....	...	587
Epworth .....	1	258
Park Avenue .....	...	157
Morehead .....	1	99
Mount Sterling .....	1	332
Mount Zion .....	1	393
Nicholasville .....	1	333
Owingsville .....	...	143
Spears .....	...	153
Versailles .....	...	216
Winchester .....	3	582
Winchester and Mount Abbott .....	2	213
	18	4,512

#### Maysville District.

Carlisle .....	...	356
East Maysville .....	1	206
Fairview Mission .....	2	203
Flemingsburg and Helena .....	...	560
Germantown .....	...	300
Hillsboro .....	3	552
Little Rock .....	2	210
Maysville .....	...	273
Moorefield .....	1	343
Mount Carmel .....	...	339
Mount Olivet .....	1	335
Salt Well .....	2	484
Sardis and Shannon .....	...	355
Sharpsburg and Bethel .....	...	148
Tilton .....	1	308



*Maysville District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Tollesboro .....	2	174
Vanceburg .....	1	189
Washington and Hebron .....	...	127
	16	5,462

*Shelbyville District.*

Bedford .....	2	439
Bloomfield .....	...	140
Campbellsburg .....	...	291
Chaplin and Mount Zion .....	1	423
Chaplin Circuit .....	1	260
Christiansburg .....	...	300
Crestwood .....	...	148
La Grange .....	1	295
Lawrenceburg .....	1	180
Milton .....	1	359
Mortonsville .....	...	322
New Castle .....	...	275
Oldham .....	...	223
Pleasureville and Eminence .....	...	229
Salvisa .....	1	233
Shelbyville .....	...	371
Simpsonville .....	...	200
Taylorsville .....	...	304
Woodlawn .....	...	212
West Port Mission .....	...	41
	8	5,245

*Recapitulation.*

Covington District .....	9	5,428
Danville District .....	67	5,328
Frankfort District .....	14	5,270
Jackson District .....	14	1,514
Lexington District .....	18	4,512
Maysville District .....	16	5,462
Shelbyville District .....	8	5,245
Total this year .....	146	32,759
Total last year .....	132	32,183
Increase .....	14	576

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? Not answered.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? Not answered.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 326.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,334.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 79.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 2,464.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 276.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 2,300.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 26,683.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$5,752.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$4,882. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$8,156; Home and Conference Missions, \$7,547. Total, \$15,703.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$4,238.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$5,163.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$281.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$10,638; preachers in charge, \$91,391.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$1,184.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 319; houses of worship, 305.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$1,176,500; indebtedness, \$14,522.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 129; parsonages, 96.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$225,704; indebtedness, \$11,186.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 7; district parsonages, 3.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$15,000; indebtedness, none.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 5; amount of damage, \$1,592.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$475,553; premiums paid, \$2,971; losses sustained, \$1,592; collections on losses, \$427.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Kentucky Wesleyan College: Value of property, \$121,500; endowment, \$82,194.93; professors, 10; pupils, 100.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ

are taken? General organ, 236; Conference organ, 2,012.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? W. W. Ball, Maysville, Ky.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Lexington, Ky.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

COVINGTON DISTRICT.

*W. E. Arnold, P. E.*

Alexandria, R. B. Baird.  
Augusta, J. R. Kendall.  
Benson and Curry, E. L. Griffy.  
Brooksville, T. W. Barker.  
Butler, S. J. Bradley.  
California, J. E. Roberts.  
Covington: Scott Street, J. B. Harris; W. F. Taylor, Sup.  
St. Luke's, J. E. Savage.  
Cynthiana, J. P. Strother; W. A. Penn, Sup.  
Dry Ridge, A. P. Jones.  
Falmouth, E. K. Pike.  
Fort Thomas: Highland Church, J. M. Fuqua.  
Newport, R. B. Wilson.  
Oddville, B. F. Cosby.  
Visalia, R. E. Colman.  
Walton and Erlanger, W. B. Garriott; G. N. Buffington and D. E. Bedinger, Sup.  
Williamstown, I. R. Hollon.  
Missionary to Korea, W. G. Cram.  
Students in Emory University, H. M. Masie and J. R. Noland.

DANVILLE DISTRICT.

*C. H. Greer, P. E.*

Burgin, R. M. Lee.  
Burnside, W. F. Vaughan.  
Corbin, W. P. Fryman.  
Danville, H. G. Turner.  
East Bernstadt, A. B. Potorf, supply.  
East Pulaski, W. P. Hopkins, supply.  
Gravel Switch, S. A. Arnold.  
Harlan Mission, to be supplied.  
Harrodsburg, M. S. Clark.  
Lancaster, F. D. Palmeter.  
London, H. C. Martin.  
Mackville, Enos Waggoner.  
McCreary Mission, H. V. Cummins, supply.  
McKendree, G. W. Hoffman.  
Meadow Creek, L. C. De Armond.  
Middlesboro, C. A. Tague.  
Moreland, S. L. Hockenbury, supply.  
Mount Zion, T. J. Francis, supply.

Perryville, W. S. Vanderpool.  
Pineville, R. F. Jordan.  
Preachersville, J. M. Robinson.  
Richmond, M. T. Chandler; O. J. Chandler, Sup.  
Somerset, W. L. Clark.  
Stanford, W. D. Welburn.  
Straight Creek, S. C. Williams; C. F. Chestnut, supply.  
West Pulaski, to be supplied.  
Willmore, F. B. Jones; J. W. Hughes, Sup.  
Asbury College: H. C. Morrison, President; John Paul, Vice President; S. A. Arnold, Professor.

FRANKFORT DISTRICT.

*C. F. Oney, P. E.*

Carrollton, James Crutchfield.  
Corinth, L. E. Williams.  
Frankfort, T. W. Watts.  
Georgetown, J. E. Moss.  
Ghent, R. M. Criswell.  
Gratz, J. R. Nelson.  
Hinton, C. W. Williams.  
Hughes Chapel, W. B. Hall.  
Hutchison and Oxford, J. J. Dickey.  
Millersburg, J. W. Gardiner.  
Mount Hope, F. T. Howard.  
New Columbus, J. W. Harris.  
Owenton Mission, J. J. Thomasson.  
Paris, W. O. Sadler.  
Petersburg, William Wood.  
Polsgrove, S. W. Dean.  
Port Royal, E. C. Hardin.  
Prestonsville, to be supplied.  
Warsaw, W. R. Jordan.  
Worthville, Josiah Godbey.  
Millersburg College, C. C. Fisher.  
Chaplain to State Reformatory, W. Q. Vreeland.

JACKSON DISTRICT.

*G. W. Crutchfield, P. E.*

Campton and Hazel Green, L. T. Allison.  
Clay Mission, G. A. Young, supply.  
Fleming Mission, Thomas D. Walters, supply.  
Frenchburg and Maytown Mission, W. B. Ragan.  
Hazard, R. A. Selby.  
Hindman, W. L. Byrd.  
Jackson, S. H. Pollitt.  
Jenkins, W. L. Hall.  
Quicksand Mission, E. M. Armitage.  
Sandy Hook, S. T. Fitch.  
West Liberty, L. A. Fryman.  
Whitesburg, W. H. McGowan.  
Wrigley Circuit, A. J. Fraley, supply.  
Conference Educational Secretary, G. W. Crutchfield.

## LEXINGTON DISTRICT.

*E. G. B. Mann, P. E.*

Camargo and Grassy Lick, J. L. West.  
 Clay City, E. S. Wilson, supply.  
 College Hill, J. A. MacClintock.  
 Estill Circuit, Hubert Bonny, supply.  
 Irvine, J. W. Carter.  
 Lexington: First Church, G. E. Cameron.  
 Epworth, F. T. McIntire.  
 Park Avenue, G. R. Combs.  
 Morehead, Ben T. Sewell.  
 Mount Lebanon and Siloam, C. M. Harmon, supply.  
 Mount Sterling, E. L. Southgate.  
 Mount Zion, G. W. Boswell.  
 Nicholasville, W. S. Maxwell.  
 Owingsville, E. C. Watts.  
 Spears and Roberts Chapel, C. M. Fawns, supply.  
 Versailles, C. L. Bohon.  
 Winchester, G. W. Banks.  
 Winchester and Mount Abbott, C. R. Thomas, supply.  
 Kentucky Wesleyan Collegè: J. L. Clark, President; W. B. Mitchell, Professor.  
 Missionary to Japan, T. W. Demaree.  
 Editor of *Central Methodist Advocate*, W. A. Swift.  
 Student in Emory University, W. H. Moore.

## MAYSVILLE DISTRICT.

*J. D. Redd, P. E.*

Carlisle, J. W. Crates.  
 East Maysville, E. E. Jackson; J. R. Word, Sup.  
 Flemingsburg and Helena, W. K. McClure.  
 Germantown, W. T. Eklar.  
 Hillsboro, W. F. Wyatt.  
 Little Rock, C. H. Caswell.  
 Maysville, W. B. Campbell.

Moorefield, C. M. Humphrey.  
 Mount Carmel, J. M. Mathews.  
 Mount Olivet, J. W. Simpson.  
 Salt Well, S. L. Moore.  
 Sardis and Shannon, W. M. Williams.  
 Sharpsburg and Bethel, Peter Walker.  
 Shiloh Mission, to be supplied.  
 Tilton, A. G. Cox.  
 Tollesboro, Robert V. McClure, supply.  
 Vanceburg, E. H. Ritchie.  
 Washington and Hebron, E. W. Ishmael.  
 Conference Missionary Secretary, W. B. Campbell.

## SHELBYVILLE DISTRICT.

*B. C. Horton, P. E.*

Bedford, Edward Allen.  
 Bloomfield, George D. Prentiss.  
 Campbellsburg, W. V. Cropper.  
 Chaplin and Mount Zion, P. F. Adams.  
 Christiansburg, J. S. Ragan.  
 Crestwood, F. K. Struve.  
 La Grange, E. K. Arnold.  
 Lawrenceburg, A. W. Vanderpool.  
 Milton, C. P. Pilow.  
 Mortonsville, W. H. Vanderpool.  
 New Castle, B. O. Beck.  
 Oldham, H. A. Longino.  
 Pleasant Valley Mission, J. W. Gilbert.  
 Pleasureville and Eminence, Price T. Smith.  
 Salvisa, R. N. Bush.  
 Shelbyville, O. B. Crockett.  
 Simpsonville, P. C. Eversole.  
 Taylorsville, P. J. Ross.  
 Woodlawn, James E. Wright.  
 National Anti-Saloon League, G. W. Young.

*Transferred.*—Rufus McMican and C. K. Dickey, to the Louisville Conference; R. T. Brown, to the Western Virginia Conference.

## ST. LOUIS CONFERENCE.

SIXTY-NINTH SESSION.

HELD AT CAPE GIRARDEAU, Mo., SEPTEMBER 27-OCTOBER 2, 1916.

BISHOP HENDRIX, *President*; MARVIN T. HAW, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. Caleb Pliney Thogmorton, Thomas Bradley Mather, Julian C. McPheeters, John Carroll Montgomery, Kirgie V. Propst, Carney C. Fesler, Fred William Matthews, Ora B. Medler, James A. Baxter. 9.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Charles

Richard Baker, Fletcher Standefer Crowe, Anthony William Darter, Ira Norman Sherrow, Reginald Lloyd Smith, Charles Lewis Phifer, Linus Eaker (class fourth year). 7.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? Jesse L. Gray, Luther E. Sitton. 2.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full con-

nection? Thomas Levi Bess, Clarence Lillard Dorris, William Scott Eskeridge, Joseph Lindsay Haw, James Thomas Hendrix. 5.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? Joseph B. Lyle, from the Missouri Conference; J. Wesley Smith, J. M. King, E. C. Webb, from the Southwest Missouri Conference; T. N. Morgan, from the Denver Conference; P. G. Thogmorton, E. A. Tucker, E. W. Nelson, from the Memphis Conference; J. Marvin Culbreth, from the North Carolina Conference. 9.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? Fred William Matthews, from the Methodist Episcopal Church; John P. McDonald, from the Baptist Church. 2.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? Madison Combs, from the Methodist Episcopal Church; H. W. Doss, from the Methodist Protestant Church; Wilson Bentley, from the Primitive Methodist Church. 3.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? B. S. McCann, O. C. Craig, C. J. Dohn, J. S. Newsome, L. M. Spivey. In class of third year: J. O. Evitts, T. M. Finley, J. L. Steward, H. H. S. Du Bois, Ernest Jones, R. C. Mayo. 11.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Thomas Levi Bess, Clarence Lillard Dorris, William Scott Eskeridge, Joseph Lindsay Haw, James Thomas Hendrix. 5.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Thomas Levi Bess, Clarence Lillard Dorris, William Scott Eskeridge, Joseph Lindsay Haw, James Thomas Hendrix. 5.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? Fletcher Standefer Crowe, Henry Thrasher, Elbert Thomas Brent, Milton John Schlaugenhauff. 4.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Fletcher S. Crowe, Henry Thrasher, Elbert Thomas Brent, Milton John Schlaugenhauff. 4.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Samuel Arthur Bennett, Archer Chester Gale, Charles Powell Kirkendoll, Ilus Quincy McCorkle, George Archie McFarland. 5.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Samuel A. Bennett, Charles P. Kirkendoll, Ilus Q. McCorkle, George A. McFarland. 4.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? Christopher J. Stanfil. 1.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? Christopher J. Stanfil. 1.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? E. C. Webb, Ed S. Tetley. 2.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? J. M. King. 1.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? S. C. Biffle, W. H. Cunningham, L. H. Davis, J. H. Early, T. P. Hill, W. L. King, J. E. Godbey, William Lowe, W. R. Mays, Z. T. McCann, W. H. Pascal, A. M. Robinson, E. J. Rinkel, W. F. Talley, A. T. Tidwell, W. S. Tyler, J. T. Winstead. 17.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? Lucilius F. Aspley, Hampton R. Singleton. 2.

HAMPTON RICHARDSON SINGLETON.—The record of the dates and places of the life and services of the Rev. Hampton Richardson Singleton is this: Born at Covington, La., on January 24, 1873; educated at Centenary College, Jackson, La.; on October 6, 1897, married Miss Harriet Theus, of Arcadia, La.; supplied as pastor at Vicksburg, Miss., for two months in 1895; joined the St. Louis Conference in September, 1895; served Washington, Mo., 1895-97; Malden, Mo., 1897-98; Mount Auburn, St. Louis, 1898-99; Ruston, La., 1899-1903; Cabanne, St. Louis, 1903-05; Farmington District, St. Louis Conference, 1905-06; Alexandria, La., 1906-10; Shreveport District, Louisiana Conference, 1910-11; Parker Memorial, New Orleans, 1911-13; Scruggs Memorial, St. Louis, September, 1913-March, 1916; died at St. Louis on March 22, 1916. Within these limits moved a serene and crystal man, whose "soul was a garden of roses." Gentleness was in his speech and generosity in his hand. He came forth from a refined and Christian home. His father was a Methodist minister of excellent gifts. His childhood was spent amongst the fragrance of Southern culture and the fervor of religious faith. His boyhood was the bloom and his manhood the fruit of sweet and strengthening influences. In dress and manner, in feeling and language, he was a gentleman. The struggle against hard circumstances, in which he heroically persisted, never embittered and seldom discouraged him. First upon his own education, and then upon the training of his sons, he bent his hope and energies. In companionship with his devoted wife, who was all that ever a minister's wife could be, he shaped a home of happiness that was a worthy example to his congregation and a delightful shelter of

hospitality to his guests. He had a genius for friendship. His wife has said of him: "His heart never changed toward a friend. After years of separation I have seen the love-light flash in his eye at the unexpected meeting of an old friend." He had faith in everybody. He believed no evil of any one. Though he saw a human derelict, after receiving his help, lapse time and again into his old ways, yet his patience and hope seemed never to be exhausted. He stood ready for the appeal of the next wanderer, and generously bestowing his aid, he would say: "The miracle may be wrought this time." He was a true servant of "the Lord God of the outcast." The currents of spirituality in Brother Singleton ran deep and strong. He was not marked by ecstasy, but by steadiness of experience. Preaching was the natural blooming of his mind. The tides of his being lifted his speech into sermons. He was a faithful minister of Jesus Christ. His theme was salvation; his armory was the Word of God. His messages brought meat in due season, to every need a portion. There was comfort, encouragement, counsel, and warning. Though he was a successful revivalist, his favorite work was that of the pastor. He knew his people by name, and they loved him. He knew how to enter and be a blessing to the homes of the humble and the homes of the prosperous. The sound of his footfall was welcome at all thresholds. He loved the beautiful, and thought upon the things in which there are virtue and praise. Music and art appealed to him. By careful planning and saving, he secured for himself and his wife the means of a trip to Europe, where he went to see the products of genius. Of the charming wonders he saw—the sea, the mountains, the temples, the galleries of sculpture and painting—he never tired of telling. In the social circle, on the platform, he reveled in reflections, sometimes humorous, always genial and wholesome. In church administration he was uniformly successful. As pastor and as presiding elder he strengthened and extended the kingdom. The splendid churches and two commodious parsonages, at Ruston, La., and at Alexandria, La., built under his pastorates, give evidence of his wise and industrious leadership. Brother Singleton's life was spent upon the best things. Not much of time or force did he consume upon trivialities or blunders. His attainments, steadily increased, were satisfying and

permanent. His sun had not yet reached its earthly zenith when other gravitations bent its orbit upward beyond our sight. He was not left to gleam in the glow of late dissolution. He has been "changed from glory unto glory." His transit was like a nightingale's dash for the sky. As he went up, the song of his life sifted through the air, becoming fainter but firmer, the keynote unchanged, till he "passed in music out of sight."—*Alfred F. Smith.*

**LUCILIUS FRANKLIN ASPLEY.**—In the translation of Lucilius Franklin Aspley on Saturday evening, July 29, 1916, there passed from the walks of men the oldest member of the St. Louis Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, both in length of life and years of service. He was born near where at present stands the town of Gallatin, Tenn., on March 19, 1831; but while he was yet a babe his father moved across the line into Kentucky, hence he considered himself a Kentuckian. His parents were pious Methodists, and many of his relatives were prominent in Methodist circles, notable among whom was Dr. J. H. Hanna, his mother's brother. With such a heritage it is not surprising that he was converted in early boyhood, and that at nineteen he answered the call to preach the gospel. He was licensed to preach at Stevens Chapel, Elizabethtown, Ky., in 1850. He served a few charges as a supply, came to Bates County, Mo., with his father, and in 1857 was admitted into the St. Louis Conference at Boonville; Bishop J. O. Andrew, presiding. He was ordained deacon in 1859, and elder in 1866. In 1860 Bishop Kavanaugh appointed Brother Aspley to Arcadia charge. When he arrived on his work he found that a \$5,000 brick church had already been projected, and that an acre of ground as a site for that purpose had been deeded by Mrs. Flavia Pease to Theodore F. Tongue, Prof. A. C. Farnham, George W. Farrar, and Philip Pipkin, the trustees of the Arcadia church. The young preacher threw himself heart and soul into the enterprise, raised the subscription, collected the most of it, and turned the money over to the treasurer of the building committee. During the winter all the material was bought, paid for, and delivered on the site of the present church. Work on it was begun in the spring, and it was made ready for the roof when United States troops, seeing the strategic advantage of the hill,



occupied it and built a fort thereon, utilizing all the material of the church in constructing it. It was this fort that gave to the hill its present name, "Fort Hill." Brother Aspley went to his father's in Bates County, and a little later to Illinois, where he assisted in the organization of the Illinois Conference and organized the church at Nashville. Returning to Missouri, he had a long and useful career as a member of the St. Louis Conference, serving there important charges, among which he three times served Arcadia, where he closed his career as an itinerant preacher by taking the superannuate relation at the advanced age of seventy-nine, and after an active service in the ministry of fifty-three years. He served the Charleston charge five years, Salem four, Washington seven, De Soto and Flat River four each, and resided four years at Salem while serving the Salem District. He also served the Poplar Bluff District. He organized the Sikeston church soon after the Civil War, holding his meeting in a box car on a side track. From a box car to the splendid cathedral in which the Sikeston church now worships, may be taken as indicating the marvelous progress of our Church in Southeast Missouri since those days. He was a successful presiding elder, a popular preacher, a good pastor, a fine personal worker, and quite a revivalist. I believe he never employed an evangelist, but always depended upon his brother pastors for such help as he needed in his revival meetings. After his superannuation, Brother Aspley continued to reside in Arcadia until he was released from his sufferings, which much of the time were very severe. It was a keen disappointment to him that his feebleness kept him so long absent from the Lord's house. He bore his affliction with great fortitude. At no time did his memory fail him. He would often recite whole chapters from the Bible, and quote at length many of the hymns which he had so often used in winning men to Christ. He would instantly recognize friends whom he had not seen for many years. As long as his strength would permit he preached little sermons to his visitors, and thus magnified his ministry almost to the end. As he had opportunity he sent messages of affection to his brethren and urged them to preach the love of God. His end was just as he wished it might be—peaceful. The fire refused longer to burn, and the vital

spark went out as his pastor was offering a short plea for the Comforter to come to the help of the one on the threshold of widowhood. The way was brighter than ever, notwithstanding it had been very bright all along, for "there is no night there." Three days, according to his wish, his body tarried with us, and then it was taken to the little church near by where he had so often ministered in holy things. The members of his official board the last year of his active ministry were the pallbearers; his pastor was in charge of the services, assisted by Revs. H. P. Crowe, M. H. Markley, and Dell Longgear; and the sermon was preached by Rev. M. T. Haw, who remembers the sainted servant of God not only as his first Sunday-school teacher, but as the first Methodist pastor he ever saw,—and all by our late brother's appointment. It seems that the only things not on the program by his direction, more than two years before it was rendered, was "Face to Face," sung very sweetly by Mrs. Mildred Langdon, and a beautiful tribute to Brother Aspley's helpfulness to her in a spiritual way by Mrs. James P. Duncan, of St. Louis. The funeral was largely attended, notwithstanding it was held on the day of the primary election. The remains were laid to rest in the Knights of Pythias Cemetery, according to the Methodist Ritual. This sketch could not be properly closed without reference to his partner in life for more than fifty years. Her devotion to him was not only beautiful, but wonderful. It was not her wish, as long as she was able to attend him herself, that any one else should have any part in that service. He was practically helpless for more than two years, during nearly all of which time his good wife ministered to him with her own hands. When they failed, as they did at the last, her sister, Mrs. Anderson, took her place in the loving service.—*Nelson B. Henry.*

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called one by one, and their characters approved.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Charleston District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Benton .....	...	61
Bertrand .....	...	195
Blodgett .....	...	117

## Charleston District (Continued).

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Bridges and New Prospect .....	1	129
Cape Girardeau .....		796
Chaffee .....		212
Charleston .....	2	653
Charleston Circuit .....	1	287
Commerce .....		108
East Prairie .....		253
Fornfelt .....		131
Ilmo .....		99
Jackson .....	1	662
Liburn .....	3	460
Marston Circuit .....		273
Morley .....	1	148
New Madrid .....		250
Oran .....	1	131
Portageville .....	2	171
Richwood .....		347
Rockview Circuit .....		150
Sikeston .....	1	653
South Cape Girardeau .....		77
	13	6,368

## De Soto District.

Annutt Circuit .....		384
Bethel and Mount Carmel .....		82
Blackwell Circuit .....		144
Bourbon Circuit .....	1	250
De Soto .....		204
Eureka and Crescent .....	1	148
Fenton .....		44
Festus .....	1	339
Hematite Circuit .....	1	99
Herculaneum .....		92
Labadie Circuit .....		106
Licking Circuit .....	1	200
Manchester and Trinity .....		95
Mill Creek Circuit .....	1	133
Mount Zion .....		54
New Haven .....		147
Plattin Circuit .....		300
Potosi .....	1	119
Red Bird Circuit .....		345
St. Clair and Anaconda .....	1	182
St. James .....	2	146
Salem .....	1	269
Scotia Circuit .....		141
Steelville Circuit .....	2	161
Washington .....	1	98
Valley Park .....	1	262
	15	4,544

## Dexter District.

Advance .....		217
Bell City Circuit .....	4	252
Bernie Circuit .....	1	467
Bloomfield .....	1	245
Campbell .....		148
Cardwell Circuit .....	2	260
Caruthersville .....		443
Clarkton Circuit .....		220
Cooter Circuit .....	2	405
Deering .....	1	258
Dexter .....	1	294
Dexter Circuit .....	1	184
Essex .....	1	142
Gideon .....		128
Harkey's Circuit .....		128
Hayti .....	1	151
Holcomb Circuit .....	1	339
Hornersville .....		150
Kennett .....		366
Kennett Circuit .....	1	240
Malden .....	2	306
Morehouse .....		200

## Dexter District (Continued).

Parma .....		101
Senath .....		87
Zalma Circuit .....	1	117
	20	5,991

## Farmington District.

Arcadia and Ironton .....		192
Bismarck and Hickory Grove .....		395
Bellevue Circuit .....		258
Bonne Terre .....	1	497
Caledonia .....		173
Des Loge .....	1	165
Elvins .....	1	335
Esther Circuit .....		255
Flat River .....		375
Farmington .....	2	481
Farmington Circuit .....		299
Fredericktown .....	7	649
Fredericktown Circuit .....		248
Irondale Circuit .....		155
Leadwood .....		204
Libertyville Circuit .....		178
Lutesville and Glen Allen .....	1	246
Marble Hill Circuit .....	1	319
Marquand Circuit .....	2	266
Neeley's Landing Circuit .....	1	312
Oak Ridge Circuit .....		479
Sedgewickville Circuit .....		410
Whitewater Circuit .....		354
York Chapel and Eureka .....		231
	17	7,476

## Poplar Bluff District.

Alton and Thomasville .....	1	208
Birch Tree and Eminence .....		224
Cabool Circuit .....	2	301
Coldwater Circuit .....		355
Corridor Circuit .....		183
Couch Circuit .....	3	283
Des Arc and Patterson .....		186
Doniphan .....	1	234
Ellington Circuit .....	2	161
Elsinore Circuit .....	2	250
Fremont Circuit .....	3	371
Greenville Circuit .....		224
Houston Circuit .....	1	148
Hunter Circuit .....	2	102
Lowndes and Liberty .....		220
Montier Circuit .....	3	275
Naylor and Neeleyville .....	1	200
Oxley Circuit .....	1	245
Piedmont .....		171
Poplar Bluff .....	2	548
Poplar Bluff Circuit .....		383
Poyner Circuit .....		327
Qulin Circuit .....		228
Summerville Circuit .....	1	185
Thayer and Koskonong .....		257
Van Buren Circuit .....	1	284
West Plains .....		236
West Plains Circuit .....	1	343
Williamsville and Leeper .....		473
	27	7,843

## St. Louis District.

Arlington Heights .....		76
Bellefontaine .....		136
Bridgeton and Stephan Memorial .....	2	99
Clayton .....		153
Ferguson .....		157
St. Louis: Cabanne .....	4	543
Carondelet .....	1	242
Centenary .....	1	2,615

St. Louis District (Continued).

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
St. Louis: Christy Memorial .....	2	266
Grand Avenue .....	2	288
Immanuel .....	1	380
Kingdom House .....	1	360
Kirkwood .....	1	321
Lafayette Park .....	1	740
Marvin Memorial .....	1	234
Mount Auburn .....	1	587
St. John's .....	1	824
St. Paul's .....	1	610
Scruggs (First) .....	2	576
Shaw Avenue .....	1	504
University City .....	1	78
Vinita Park .....	1	70
Wagoner Place .....	2	750
	20	10,533

Recapitulation.

Charleston District .....	13	6,368
De Soto District .....	15	4,544
Dexter District .....	20	5,991
Farmington District .....	17	7,476
Poplar Bluff District .....	27	7,843
St. Louis District .....	20	10,533
Total this year .....	112	42,831
Total last year .....	115	40,484
Increase .....	3	2,347
Decrease .....		.....

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 14. They have.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? No answer given.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 757.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 2,033.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 87.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 3,176.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 295.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 2,865.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 42,854.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$8,809.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$6,682. Paid to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$7,395;

Home and Conference Missions, \$7,291. Total, \$14,686.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$4,635.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$4,307.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$182.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$14,396; preachers in charge, \$111,306.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$1,426.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 353; houses of worship, 313.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$1,639,204; indebtedness, \$74,334.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 150; parsonages, 110.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$209,355; indebtedness, \$10,784.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 6; district parsonages, 3.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$8,700; indebtedness, \$787.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 5; amount of damage, \$4,913.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$886,831; premiums paid, \$3,946; losses sustained, \$1,137; collections on losses, \$3,776.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Marvin College, value \$90,000; one-third interest in Central College, value \$450,000; one-third interest in Central College for Women, value \$180,000.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 142; Conference organ, 1,499.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? R. M. McCombs.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Fredericktown, Mo.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

### CHARLESTON DISTRICT.

*A. H. Barnes, P. E.*

Benton, L. D. Nichol.  
 Bertrand, William Stewart.  
 Blodgett, J. O. Evitts.  
 Bridges and New Prospect, W. C. McKenzie, supply.  
 Cape Girardeau: Centenary, J. C. Handy.  
 Second Church, G. A. McFarland.  
 Chaffee, W. H. Jordan.  
 Charleston, C. M. Hawkins.  
 Charleston Circuit, S. M. Clack, supply.  
 Commerce, E. W. Nelson.  
 East Prairie, O. A. Bowers.  
 Farnfelt, C. J. Barham.  
 Illmo, C. L. Dennis.  
 Jackson, L. R. Jenkins.  
 Marston Circuit, W. C. Galloway, supply.  
 Matthews Circuit, J. F. Holland, supply.  
 Morley, W. E. Forsythe.  
 New Madrid, J. L. Haw.  
 Oran, Fred W. Matthews.  
 Portageville, I. Q. McCorkle.  
 Richwoods Circuit, R. C. Mayo.  
 Rockview Circuit, J. A. Scamahorn, supply.  
 Sikeston, C. Burton.  
 Professor in Southern Methodist University, Ivan Lee Holt.  
 Conference Missionary Secretary, Clarence Burton.  
 Educational Secretary, L. R. Jenkins.

### DE SOTO DISTRICT.

*William Court, P. E.*

Bethel and Mount Carmel, R. C. Carpenter.  
 Blackwell Circuit, J. E. Ellis, supply.  
 Bourbon Circuit, M. M. Blaese, supply.  
 De Soto, W. J. Heys.  
 Eureka and Crescent, Thomas Lord.  
 Fenton, Charles Bowler, supply.  
 Festus, R. E. Foard.  
 Hematite Circuit, R. Walton.  
 Herculanum, W. Q. Donnan.  
 Ladabie Circuit, J. T. Hendrix.  
 Licking and Annutt Circuit, W. H. Son, supply.  
 Manchester and Trinity, J. B. Lyle.  
 Mill Creek Circuit, J. F. Eveland, supply.  
 Mount Zion, H. S. Du Bois.  
 New Haven, George Walker.  
 Plattin Circuit, J. W. Ward, supply.  
 Potosi, J. T. Self.  
 Red Bird Circuit, Smith McNutt, supply.  
 St. Clair and Anaconda, W. E. Judy.  
 St. James, B. L. Wright.

Salem, J. W. Ham.  
 Scotia Circuit, M. A. Clayton, supply.  
 Steelville Circuit, C. L. Phifer.  
 Valley Park, C. C. Berry.  
 Washington, C. C. Fesler.

### DEXTER DISTRICT.

*W. A. Humphreys, P. E.*

Advance, J. T. Ricketts.  
 Bell City Circuit, F. A. Hearn.  
 Bernie, J. G. Craig.  
 Bloomfield, J. D. Tussey, supply.  
 Campbell, Linus Eaker.  
 Cardwell Circuit, J. M. Michael, supply.  
 Caruthersville, P. G. Thogmorton.  
 Clarkton Circuit, B. S. McCann.  
 Cooter Circuit, Joseph Newsome.  
 Deering Circuit, A. N. Burris, supply.  
 Dexter, R. P. Basler.  
 Dexter Circuit, Charles A. Wood, supply.  
 Essex, A. D. Rankin.  
 Gideon, J. C. Montgomery.  
 Harkey's Circuit, E. E. Burton, supply.  
 Hayti, K. V. Propst.  
 Holcomb Circuit, F. M. Mayfield, supply.  
 Hornersville, W. S. Eskeridge.  
 Kennett, J. R. A. Vaughan.  
 Malden, J. Wesley Smith.  
 Morehouse, A. S. J. Baldridge.  
 Norris Chapel Circuit, J. L. Wolverton, supply; J. M. King, Sup.  
 Parma, H. W. Doss.  
 Senath, Fred Eaker.  
 Zalma Circuit, W. H. Stewart, supply.

### FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

*H. P. Crowe, P. E.*

Arcadia and Ironton, and Superintendent of Arcadia Assembly, N. B. Henry.  
 Bellview Circuit, I. N. Sherrow.  
 Bismarck and Hickory Grove, Del Long, gear.  
 Bonne Terre, W. J. Velvick.  
 Caledonia Circuit, R. D. Kennedy.  
 Des Loge, Madison Combs.  
 Elvins, S. A. Bennett.  
 Esther and Russell Chapel, H. E. Corbin, supply.  
 Farmington, O. H. Duggins.  
 Farmington Circuit, J. R. Kincaid.  
 Flat River, Morse H. Markley.  
 Fredericktown, E. A. Tucker.  
 Fredericktown Circuit, F. G. Seyforth, supply.  
 Irondale Circuit, Roy J. Badgely, supply.  
 Leadwood, C. L. Dorris.  
 Libertyville Circuit, J. N. Sitton.  
 Lutesville and Glen Allen, J. T. Evitts.  
 Marble Hill Circuit, W. S. Tussey, supply.  
 Marquand Circuit, Levi Bess.

Neely's Landing Circuit, D. M. Margraves, supply.

Oak Ridge Circuit, J. B. Wilburn.

Sedgwickville Circuit, C. R. Baker.

Whitewater Circuit, D. R. Davis.

York Chapel and Eureka, John H. Doherty.

Financial Secretary of Marvin College, H. P. Crowe.

#### POPLAR BLUFF DISTRICT.

*J. E. Martin, P. E.*

Alton and Thomasville, J. C. Reid.

Birch Tree and Eminence, J. A. Wood.

Cabool Circuit, A. R. Sanders, supply.

Coldwater and Des Arc, A. W. Darter.

Corridon Circuit, George B. Brown, supply.

Couch Circuit, A. W. Hill, supply.

Doniphan, J. W. Worsnop.

Ellington and Bunker, C. J. Dohn.

Elsinore Circuit, I. B. Medler.

Fremont Circuit, J. D. Clark, supply.

Greenville Circuit, J. W. Duncan.

Houston, to be supplied.

Hunter Circuit, J. L. Steward.

Lowndes and Liberty, Wilson Bentley.

Montier Circuit, M. P. Smotherman, supply.

Naylor and Neelyville, R. L. Smith.

Oxley Circuit, J. A. Bertram, supply.

Piedmont, M. A. Myers.

Poplar Bluff, W. T. Morgan.

Poplar Bluff Circuit, J. A. Baxter.

Poyner Circuit, S. L. Johnson, supply.

Qulin Circuit, J. P. Alexander, supply.

Summerville Circuit, Henry Thresher, supply.

Thayer and Koshkonong, H. L. Taylor.

Van Buren Circuit, R. S. Warren.

West Plains, T. M. Finley.

West Plains Circuit, S. I. Young, supply.

Williamsville and Leeper, J. C. McPheeters.

#### ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

*L. E. Todd, P. E.*

Arlington Heights, G. D. Davis, supply.

Bellefontaine, S. R. Dillman.

Bridgeton and Stephan Memorial, A. H. Godbey.

Clayton, J. N. Broadhead.

Ferguson, T. E. Smith.

St. Louis: Cabanne, M. T. Haw.

Carondelet, Elmer Peal.

Centenary, C. W. Tadlock.

Christy Memorial, J. R. Bullington.

Grand Avenue, J. M. Bone.

Immanuel, Lloyd Marlin.

Kingdom House, Arthur Mather.

Kirkwood, John McCarthy.

Lafayette Park, H. H. Johnson.

Marvin Memorial, C. P. Kirkendoll.

Mount Auburn, E. H. Orear.

St. John's, John A. Rice.

St. Paul's, A. F. Smith.

Scruggs (First), L. M. Spivey.

Shaw Avenue, E. T. Clark.

University City, J. M. Culbreth.

Vinita Park, C. P. Thogmorton.

Wagoner Place, R. L. Russell.

Chaplain to Barnes Hospital, J. W. Lee.

Missionary to Japan, S. H. Wainright.

Missionary to Korea, R. A. Hardy.

Secretary of Board of Church Extension, W. F. McMurry; Assistant Secretary, F. S. Crowe.

Student in Princeton University, Thomas Mather.

*Transferred.*—George J. Evans, to the Memphis Conference, and stationed at Fountain Avenue, Paducah, Ky.; C. N. Clark, to the Southwest Missouri Conference, and stationed at Troost Avenue, Kansas City; to same, A. G. Gayle, and stationed on Wyandotte Circuit; to same, L. S. Nightwine, and stationed at California, Mo.; Harry Showmaker, to the Missouri Conference.

### LOUISVILLE CONFERENCE.

SEVENTY-FIRST SESSION.

HELD AT FRANKLIN, KY., SEPTEMBER 27-OCTOBER 2, 1916.

BISHOP MURRAH, *President*; SAM M. MILLER, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. Jacob Marvin Perryman. 1.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Earnest

Marvin Holman, Daniel Thomas Penick,

Robert Lee Sleamaker, Albert Henry

Reynolds, Phillips Harper Ryan, William

Lucian Shell, Adam Louis Schanzenbacher, James A. Wallace, Seth M. Bailey, and Daniel Mode Spears (in class of the second year), and Fountain A. Saunders, Richard O. Gilpin, and Samuel Sumpter Daughtry (in class of the first year). 13.



Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? Robert Chester McDowell. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? T. Byron Bandy, Boyd Winchester Hardin, Elmer Claud Lampton, T. Whitt Stodghill, W. De Witt Millican, and Rufus B. McMican. 6.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? E. D. Boggess. 1.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? C. K. Dickey, from the Kentucky Conference. 1.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? None.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? Jackson Grover Akin, William C. Frank, Freeman Waller Qualls, Robert E. Bailey, Mont Mourning Murrell, and Everett Powell Deacon (in the class of the fourth year), and Isaiah W. Napier (in class of the third year). 7.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? T. Byron Bandy, Boyd Winchester Hardin, Elmer Claud Lampton, T. Whitt Stodghill, W. De Witt Millican, and Rufus B. McMican. 6.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? T. Byron Bandy, Boyd Winchester Hardin, Elmer Claud Lampton, T. Whitt Stodghill, W. De Witt Millican, and Rufus B. McMican. 6.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Richard O. Penick, C. Foster Allen, W. Gracy Montgomery, J. Richard Gunn, Paul S. Powell, Benjamin F. Copas, Daniel R. Peak, Reginald V. Bennett, William C. Christie, Job W. Caughron, Andrew C. Johnson, James F. Black, and Summers Brinson. 13.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Richard O. Penick, C. Foster Allen, W. Gracy Montgomery, J. Richard Gunn, Paul S. Powell, Benjamin F. Copas, Daniel R. Peak, Reginald V. Bennett, William C. Christie, Job W. Caughron, Andrew C. Johnson, James F. Black, and Summers Brinson. 13.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? Levingstone L. Freeman. 1.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? Levingstone L. Freeman. 1.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? P. H. Davis and B. A. Hunter. 2.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? R. C. Alexander, S. C. Allen, S. F. Ashbrook, James S. Chandler, George F. Cundiff, J. F. De Witt, G. W. Dennis, J. D. Frazer, A. J. Frazer, Smith Givan, E. M. Gibbons, W. C. Hayes, R. F. Hayes, R. C. Love, G. B. Overton, J. C. Petrie, E. E. Pate, W. W. Prine, W. T. Reid, J. T. McCormick, J. D. Gilliam, E. N. Metcalf, D. F. Walton, R. D. Bennett, A. C. Gentle, J. T. Cherry, J. C. Brandon, D. S. Campbell, B. F. Orr, J. S. Mitchell, G. W. Shugart, and F. A. Mitchell. 32.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? Samuel K. Breeding, Robert W. Browder, William R. Godbey, and Thomas J. Randolph. 4.

WILLIAM R. GODBEY, son of Rev. Joshua L. and Sallie Randolph Godbey, was born December 23, 1837. He was married to his now lonely and bereaved widow, August 19, 1864. The ceremony was performed by Rev. I. W. Emerson. To this happy union three children were born: Mrs. T. L. Stiles (deceased), Mrs. S. D. Winstead, and J. H. Godbey, all of Howe Valley, Ky. No doubt the beloved daughter, Mrs. Stiles, was awaiting his Homecoming. Brother Godbey was born of religious parents. His father was a minister of the Methodist Church, and his mother was a shouting Christian of the same communion. His father's home was one of great devotion and much prayer. Breathing the atmosphere of such deep piety, and so carefully and prayerfully trained according to the Word of God, young William was converted in his eleventh year and joined the Methodist Church, and was licensed to preach the gospel in his seventeenth year. He was a successful local preacher up to the time he was received on trial into the traveling connection; held many revivals and assisted that wonderfully successful man of God, Rev. B. A. Cundiff, in many gracious meetings. Brother Godbey received his education in the public schools of Casey County, Ky., where he was reared, and in the Perryville College. His cousin, Dr. W. B. Godbey, was principal of the Perryville school when this consecrated young man was a student. The bloody battle fought in that town during our Civil War broke up the school. Dr. Godbey went to Indiana, and the young, ambitious student came down to Somerset, Ky., and there took up a school and taught until he was married. In May, after his marriage in August, great affliction came upon him

suddenly. He retired one night with undimmed eyes; the next morning he awoke blind. His eyes went out in a single night. This for the young preacher, so hopeful for the future, was a strange Providence. Mrs. Godbey believes it was due to hard study and work beyond his power of endurance. He was never strong in body. Blind in a single night. How sad to one so young and hopeful of accomplishing so much in the years to come! His widow writes me: "He was heartbroken, at the thought of having to give up the ministry. He wept and prayed—asked our heavenly Father to give him just enough sight that he might see how to get around, and it was given." Very strange—blind in one night—and very wonderful; in answer to prayer, enough sight restored that he was able to preach the gospel of which, like the great Apostle to the Gentiles, he was not ashamed. In 1865 Brother Godbey traveled the Albany Circuit under the presiding elder, Rev. Schuyler L. Murrell. In the fall of 1866 he was admitted on trial into the traveling connection, at Elizabethtown, Ky., Bishop Doggett, President, and Dr. N. H. Lee, Secretary. During his active ministry of forty years, he traveled the following charges: Jamestown, Wayne, Tompkinsville, Burkesville, Tompkinsville, Horse Cave, Sacramento, Leitchfield, Hudsonville, McDaniels, Vine Grove, Custer, Long Grove, McDaniels, Upton, Summer Shade, Rock Port, Seralvo, Lewisport, Temple Hill, Brownsville, Hardin Springs. During forty years of itinerant life, by the assistance of his faithful, good wife, he traveled a large number of hard circuits on very meager salaries, never receiving, during the forty years, an amount that might be called a comfortable living; and yet, by observing strict economical rules, he and his family lived well, and he educated his children. Notwithstanding Brother Godbey traveled circuits and missions that were difficult to serve, on small salaries, yet the itinerant life was a joyful, happy life to him. He expected the toils of the road to be nothing when he would reach the end of the way. Ten years ago last fall Brother Godbey was superannuated, but he never lost interest in his Church. He attended services as long as he was able, but finally, under the burden of fifty long years of itinerant life, the body, never very robust, began to fail and grow feeble rapidly. Mrs. Godbey wrote me: "He had not been well for two months before he left

us, but was able to go about the house. One day he felt better, and went over to the crib to shell some corn. It was a damp day. He came back to the house sneezing, took the grippe, was confined to his bed one week. He said to me: 'I have been in bed almost one week. This is longer than I have ever been confined to my bed before. I never thought I would linger longer. I want to go up to heaven without being confined to my bed, but the Lord's will be done.' That night he rested well, was cheerful next morning, and we thought was doing well. The doctor had said the grippe had left his heart in bad condition. At 10 A.M. he said, 'I am getting cold.' I asked him if he was suffering. He answered, 'No.' I wrapped him up and straightened his pillow. He said, 'That will do,' and just went up to heaven." As a preacher Brother Godbey was generally popular, and considering the difficulties under which he labored, having largely to depend upon others to do his reading, he was at times a remarkable preacher. His preaching was positive and forceful. During his long ministry he won many to Christ. He was a faithful friend, a beloved brother in Christ, a devoted husband, a kind, loving father. Now, that he is gone, he is not blind, but is able to behold Him whom he loved so well, and whose gospel he delighted to preach, and is feasting his glad eyes upon the glories and beauties of the New Jerusalem. He now rests in peace.

"The pains of death are past,  
Labor and sorrow cease;  
And life's long warfare closed at last,  
His soul is found in peace.  
Soldier of Christ, well done;  
Praise be thy new employ;  
And while eternal ages run,  
Rest in thy Saviour's joy."

—S. G. Shelley.

THOMAS J. RANDOLPH was born near Cadiz, Trigg County, Ky., October 4, 1838. Here, under the influence of a genuinely religious home, he grew to manhood. His father, David Randolph, was a devoted Methodist, and a strong Christian man, being for forty years a class leader in his own church. His mother, Mary Cameron, was a woman of great faith and much piety. It was through her influence that his father was brought to know the love and mercy of God in the transformation of his life through faith in Christ. She was a Methodist of the

old type. She often spoke in the congregation concerning her faith in Christ, and led souls to the altar of prayer. The clear Christian experience of the father and mother found expression in the lives of the family of ten children, seven sons and three daughters, all of whom were humble followers of their crucified Lord. Of the sons, four were ministers of the gospel, William, John, Richard, and Thomas. John, a member of the Louisville Conference, died in 1863. Early in life Brother Randolph heard the call of the gospel under the preaching of Rev. J. C. Petrie, and entered into that sweet fellowship with his Lord which was such a comfort and source of strength in all his after days. To him, the Christian life meant a life of service; to follow the Master meant to give up all and to live for him, and for his fellows who needed the comfort of the glorious gospel which he had received. Accordingly in 1859, when just coming to his majority, he applied to the Conference which met at Brandenburg, Ky., for admission on trial into the traveling ministry. This was the beginning of a long and fruitful active ministry of fifty-two years. He was very happily married in June, 1866, to Miss Cannazelle Cosby, the happy-spirited, lovable woman who henceforth bore with faith and courage the hardships incident to the varying fortunes of the itinerant ministry. To this union were born seven children, two sons and five daughters. The older son died in infancy, and only two daughters survive, Mrs. Flovilla Sider and Mrs. Mattie Cooper, both of Corydon, Ky. The younger son, Rev. J. D. Randolph, is pastor of the Southern Methodist church in Fayette, Mo. Five years ago Brother Randolph asked for a superannuate relation, and moved to Corydon, Ky., where, twenty-one years before, he had begun a pastorate of four very successful years, the fruit of which remains until this day. During these five years his saintly life was a benediction, not only to the church, but also to the whole community. By his earnest prayers and faultless example, he pointed out more clearly the way of life to all who came in touch with him. For six months before his release came Brother Randolph was confined to his bed. During this time he suffered very severe pain, notwithstanding the fact that all was done which loving hands could minister for his comfort. While he suffered much, his patience was never exhausted. The gospel which he had

preached so earnestly to others sustained him in the sore trials of his last days. He said to his friends that he wanted his room to be a Bethel. This thought took possession of him. He desired with his last strength to preach his most powerful sermon and give the clearest testimony to his faith in a crucified and risen Lord. Two weeks before his departure, he began very noticeably to decline. His voice weakened and his strength failed. On Monday night, September 18, he called his family to his bedside, and with broken breath and halting speech, but with face aglow with the light of another world, he said: "John—John, three, sixteen. That is the anchor of my soul." Soon after, he passed into a state of unconsciousness, and lingered thus until a few minutes before ten o'clock on Tuesday morning, when he quietly took his departure. His outgoing was without a struggle. Worn and weary from the long contest with disease and pain, the brave soldier closed his eyes and slept. The battle was ended; the victory won. A crowd of sorrowing friends followed the earthly remains of this saintly soul to the church he had loved so well to show their love and appreciation for his noble life and his unselfish devotion to the cause of Christ. The services were conducted by the writer, assisted by Revs. E. F. Goodson, J. C. Brandon, G. W. Hummel, and R. F. Hayes. He was laid to rest in the Corydon cemetery beneath a bank of roses, near his daughter, Mrs. Mary Randolph Foote. Brother Randolph was a choice spirit. He saw the glory of the conquering kingdom when many others could see only the threatening clouds of disaster. Because of his strong faith in God, he was calm as the lake under the hand of the Master. He believed that God was back of all, and that out of every apparent defeat would come a larger victory for the Church of Christ. What he believed in regard to the Church he believed also in regard to himself and his family. He felt that over him were the wings of mercy, and underneath the everlasting arms, while the angels of the Lord pitched their tents around about him. He often spoke in terms of the greatest confidence and trust of the comforting, helping presence of God. The secret of Brother Randolph's calm, sweet life lay in his constant communion with the Father. He lived in the spirit of prayer, whether in the public congregation or in the privacy of his own home. He was powerful when on

his knees. He approached the throne of God with the deepest reverence and awe, and yet with an earnestness and a trust which indicated that he was talking to one whom he knew. As a pastor and preacher Brother Randolph was a decided success. He was a fisher of men and never despaired of their salvation, believing that God would some day hear his prayer. When he led one to the cross, he did not leave him to fight his battles alone, but pressed his own life up against the life of his weaker brother and helped him to bear his burdens. His capacity for the closest friendship was remarkable. Those who knew little of him admired the beauty of his life, but little suspected the depth of his sympathies or the warmth of his heart. Those who drew nearest to him saw the greatest beauty in him. His light shone most brightly in his associations with his nearest and dearest friends. He practiced his religion first and then preached it. For his brethren in the ministry he had the warmest regard. During his last days he spoke much of his work in the ministry, and of those faithful brethren with whom he had labored. He loved their fellowship, and often spoke of the happy days he had spent with them in annual Conference. He said to the writer a few days before his death: "I shall never be able to attend another Conference and meet on earth with my brethren, but give them my kindest regards and tell them that I hope to meet them where we shall suffer no more and where we shall nevermore say good-by." Truly Brother Randolph was a great man—great in consecration, great in sympathy, great in good deeds, great in all those things that make a real man. There was no occasion of stumbling in him. His consistent life and triumphant death are sources of inspiration and hope, and not only to his friends and brethren in the ministry, but also to his children and his devoted wife who smiles through her tears and puts her hands bravely to her task, confidently hoping to see again the noble soul she has lost a while.—*R. V. Bennett.*

SAMUEL KING BREEDING, son of Rev. James and Elizabeth Patterson Breeding, was born in Adair County, Ky., May 18, 1850. He was converted and joined the Church in his boyhood, but fell away, and, to use his own language, became "very wicked." During a meeting held at Breeding Church, by Rev. J. W. Love, in 1877, he was wonderfully saved, and

soon after called into the ministry. He was licensed to preach October 26, 1878, by Rev. John S. McGee, presiding elder of the Columbia District, and sent that year as a supply to the Albany Circuit. He was admitted on trial into the traveling connection at Madisonville, Ky., in October, 1879, in a class of seven, as follows: Robert M. Hardaway, Dewitt C. Clarkson, Edward M. Gibbons, David J. Hagerman, John T. Hines, Samuel K. Breeding, and Schuyler G. Shelley. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Keener at Owensboro, in October, 1881; and was ordained elder by Bishop McTyeire at Louisville, in September, 1884. His appointments after his admission on trial were as follows: Albany Circuit, one year; Summer Shade, three years; Auburn, two years; Louisville Circuit, three years; Marion, four years; Princeton, one year; Hardinsburg, two years; Leitchfield, one year; Hardinsburg again, two years; and chaplain to the Branch Penitentiary at Eddyville, Ky., three years. In the fall of 1901, on account of failing health of himself and members of his family, he took a superannuate relation and moved to Hendersonville, N. C., where he remained till 1912, when he returned to Kentucky and was employed on the Greensburg Circuit as a supply, by the presiding elder, the preacher in charge having given up the work. At the Conference at Morganfield, in 1912, he was reported effective and sent to the Mannsville Circuit; however, the Mannsville Circuit was divided immediately after Conference, Elkhorn and Hogard's Chapel being made a station, and Brother Breeding was put in charge. He had had three prosperous years on this charge and was beginning the fourth with fine prospects for a great year, when in the latter part of January he was stricken down with the grippe. Serious complications soon developed, and after suffering intensely he passed away on the afternoon of February 8, surrounded by his weeping family and a large number of sorrowing friends. His funeral services were conducted by his very dear friend, Rev. W. F. Hogard, in the Methodist church at Columbia, Ky., assisted by the following brethren: S. G. Shelley, W. R. Wagoner, J. L. Piercy, J. R. Marrs, and the writer of this sketch; after which his remains were laid to rest in the Columbia Cemetery in his native county, to await the resurrection of the just. In this same county of Adair sleeps also the dust of his father, grandfather, and great-



grandfather Breeding. Brother Breeding was married three times; first to Miss Julia Hines, of Bowling Green, Ky., December 22, 1870. To this union six children were born, three of whom survive: Hines Breeding, Sturgis, Ky.; Miss Mattie L. Breeding, Asheville, N. C.; and Mrs. Julia Wood, Christian County, Ky. Sister Breeding was an invalid for two years, and died while they were on the Auburn Circuit in April, 1885. On September 19, 1886, he was married to Miss Agnes Aydelotte, of Valley Station, Ky. To this union three children were born, all of whom died in infancy. After being in poor health for four years, she died at Hendersonville, N. C., in August, 1911. September 3, 1912, he was married to Mrs. Mary Wilborn, of Barren County, Ky., who survives him. This was a most beautiful and harmonious union. She is amongst us, and has our deepest sympathy. To her children he was as kind and tender as if they had been his own; indeed, he was true to all the relationships of life. Sam Breeding was a gentleman by nature, clean in person, clean in thought, and clean in word. He had a genius for making strong and lasting friendships, and as a friend he was as true as steel. With congenial company he was a most delightful companion, but there was not an ounce of counterfeit in his make-up. He read much and read the best, therefore he always had something good to talk about, but the book of books with him was the Bible. He was a great Bible teacher. His influence for good on the Methodist Church of Hendersonville, N. C., through his large men's Bible class, can never be fully estimated. He believed with all his heart that the gospel of Jesus Christ was the power of God unto salvation to every one that believed, and he preached it. He was not only mighty in the Scriptures, but he was mighty in prayer and in faith. We have seen him under the baptism of the Holy Ghost when he would rise to the sublimest heights of faith and seem to argue with the Almighty, as man with man, and on such occasions things always came to pass. Brother Breeding had a rare faculty for discovering men, organizing them, and putting them to work. Many a useful layman in the Methodist Church owes his success in Christian work to this fact. He was deeply interested in young preachers, and happy indeed was the young preacher who came under his godly influence. He urged the young men to read and took

great pleasure in citing them to the very best to be obtained. He was at once father and brother to all the young men who came into his life, and all soon learned to love and trust him implicitly. Brother Breeding was an efficient man with his pen. He served the Louisville Conference fourteen years as statistical secretary, and, without disparaging any, we never had a better. He served as District Conference secretary in almost every district in which his pastoral charge happened to fall. Much more might be said of this splendid Christian man, but we close with one further observation: We have already spoken of him as a companion, but as a correspondent he was *par excellence*. We corresponded, he and I, for more than twenty-five years, and I saw without hesitation that some of his letters were masterpieces, deep, tender, inspiring, and, oh, so helpful! In order to give a better idea on this point, and to give his brethren a clear conception of his spiritual outlook at the time of his going, I append, by permission, a letter, written just a little more than a month before he was stricken, to his kinsman and friend, Rev. George B. Breeding, of Breeding, Ky. By this it will be seen that his sun set in a clear sky. All was well with him at the end. Just before he passed away he raised his hand toward heaven, and said to Brother J. R. Marrs, who was at his bedside, "Robert, preach the Word"; and in a little while he crossed into the other world with these words on his lips: "Behold the Lamb!" "Let me die the death of the righteous, and let my last end be like his."—Joe S. Chandler.

"ELKHORN, Ky., Dec. 21, 1915.

"Dear George: As the Xmas season approaches I feel drawn toward my friends in an unusual manner. I wish I could make everybody happy. My heart seems to enlarge, and I love all the world with a love fresh and warm. It is the love of God shed abroad in my heart by the Holy Ghost. I hope you and Mary are both well and comfortable. You are growing old, and that means you are getting nearer home. I pray the way may grow brighter and brighter. It is like our own heavenly Father to make up to us in richer experiences that which time steals away of our natural strength. I find it helpful these days to look ahead. The mountains round about Jerusalem appear in sight—the songs of the redeemed like the sound of many waters



float out on the air—the saints made perfect are calling. The beaming faces of loved ones gone on make me eager. I think of the good start you gave me when I first entered the race. We prayed together, talked together, and the Lord helped us both. You will have a glorious crown when your day of coronation comes. I am expecting many a long walk and talk with you when we both get there. Oh, the blessed company that will greet us when we step on shore! Somehow, every time I look that way I see the glad face of Brother Rich. There is such an unearthly gladness in his expression. When Jesus says 'Come,' I want to be off. Not that I am tired of earth, but heaven is better. I have good health and a sweet home. God is wondrously good to us. May Jesus give you his peace which passeth understanding. Wife joins in love to you both.

S. K. B."

ROBERT W. BROWDER, D.D.—The passing of Robert Browder was that of no ordinary man. In some respects, in executive ability and capacity for friendships, he was a great man. He came from a noble stock. His father, Rev. George "Dick" Browder, was one of the large and noble figures of this Conference for many years. Three of his sons entered the ministry. They were reared in a home that united piety with intelligence and refinement. They were all gentlemen, but above all Methodists, devoted to its doctrines and polity. Born as he was of such a noble and stable family, nurtured in such a godly home, with the inspiration that came to him from the life of his father and mother, as well as of many kindred who are true Methodists and examples of the Christian faith, we do not wonder that Robert Browder was always what might be termed a good boy. It was a healthy, active goodness. He was robust physically, robust mentally and morally, with a ready response to the calls of the spiritual world. Early he felt the call to preach and set about to fully prepare himself for this great work. He was a member of one of the first, if not the first, theological classes graduated from Vanderbilt University. He spoke often of his teachers, among whom were Dr. T. O. Summers and Professor Granbery, afterwards Bishop Granbery. His classmate and closest friend of that period was John J. Tigert. Together they joined the Louisville Conference in the fall of 1877, being members

of a most notable class, composed of Messrs. Gross Alexander, J. J. Tigert, J. H. Walton, Samuel A. Link, James M. Dempsey, James W. Bingham, William F. Cashman, James T. Rushing, and Robert W. Browder. But two are now living—William F. Cashman and James T. Rushing. From the day of his admission to the day of his death, Robert Browder served this Conference with a devotion, wisdom, and unflagging love such as has been seldom equaled and never surpassed. This writer knew him intimately for the past twenty years, was with him for days at a time, and there was scarcely an hour when some interest of the Conference was not the topic of conversation. Whether as pastor, serving some important stations most acceptably, or in the presiding eldership where he had no superior, he set every energy of his being in the direction of the larger interest of the Conference. As a pastor he was beloved for the beauty and nobility of his character, for his unceasing interest in every member of the flock of Christ; as a presiding elder he was noted for his rare judgment of men, his consideration of his preachers, and his unusual executive ability. Yet it is but proper to say that as valuable as were his services to the Church in these two capacities, it was in another field that he rendered his most important and lasting services to this Conference. Himself a splendidly educated man, this cause always claimed his most earnest thought and attention. Bishop McTyeire early discovered his bent in this direction, and when he was quite a young man made him a trustee of Vanderbilt University. When he was retired from that Board in 1914, he was then the oldest trustee in point of service. It is but just to his memory to say that he made every effort to save this school to the Church, and it was because of his active opposition to the gentlemen who took advantage of the inchoate legal status to deprive us of the university that he was retired from the Board. Yet not here did he render the Church his greatest service. It was in planning and carrying forward the educational system which the Louisville Conference now possesses. For several years he was Chairman of the Educational Board of the Conference, and when that was consolidated with the Board of Education he became its President. So, for a quarter of a century he directed the educational activities of this Conference. Our school system with its three plants,

representing an investment of some \$226,000, is his public monument. While Logan College was in existence long before its connection with the Conference, it is not too much to say that its present physical condition and prosperity are largely due to his planning. Dr. Browder was a marvel at solving difficult problems in our educational policy. Time and again during the past twenty years we have seemed to come face to face with some insuperable difficulty, but sooner or later he found the key to the problem and the barrier fell away. Only those who have served with him know what a remarkable capacity he possessed along these lines. One secret of this unusual ability was his absolute freedom from prejudice of every kind. He brought to every subject a mind unimpaired by petty private considerations, a mind moved solely by a desire to do the right and the wise thing. If occasionally he made a mistake, it arose out of a yearning love to advance the cause of the kingdom of Christ. Personally he was as free from selfish motives as any man I have ever known. This brings us to a last word concerning the beauty of his character. If I were asked to name one man we have known in the Louisville Conference who fully illustrated the Pauline conception of the mind of Christ, that man would be Robert W. Browder. This is to make a large claim for him in a body which has had many large and luminous souls, yet I cite but one proof. He came into the Conference at a time when the question of "sanctification" was stirring and dividing the brethren. He saw this fierce controversy become more bitter until finally it threatened to divide the Conference. In those days many unchristian blows were struck on both sides, yet Robert Browder moved through it all unscathed, not seeking, as some did, a refuge in silence, but dealing out an unbroken brotherly charity to the men of both wings, rebuking each when the law of Christian brotherhood was transgressed. While presiding elder he selected his men regardless of their personal views on this issue, and was thus true to the largeness of love which ought to characterize every Methodist preacher. He was absolutely without self-seeking. He literally obeyed the gospel precept: "In honor preferring one another." Time and again when he was logically entitled to preferment, he stood aside and presented the interests of friends like Drs. Tigert and Alexander. In losing such a

man, we have lost more than we realize. It is not every man, even one who claims to be a minister of the meek and lowly Jesus, who can be absolutely true to the highest when his own interests are involved. Yet, such a man was Robert Browder. I would like to speak of him as a friend—one of the purest, truest, dearest that ever lived. What a gentleman he was, always so thoughtful and considerate of every person with whom he came in contact! But space is left for only a word or two concerning his relation to the unseen and the eternal. Dr. Browder was a man of deep, unshaken faith. The energies of his life were all fed and sustained by the spirit of Christ. His Christian experience was not subjected to those fluctuations of hope and depression that so frequently characterize the lives of good men. It seemed to be a steady, serene, ever-deepening current, flowing onward and upward toward God. I have seen him when death entered his family circle, when the blow smote him sorely, but he said: "The Lord gave and the Lord hath taken away. Blessed be the name of the Lord." I watched him through the long months when the disease which ended his physical life was fastening upon him. I was with him almost every day in the hospital at Louisville when he was suffering intense pain. No shadow or doubt of God's love seemed to cross his soul. Some time after returning to Russellville, he wrote: "Every human anchor is dragging, but my trust in Christ is strong and clear." Do we wonder that his passing was triumphant? Providentially he was spared much pain in his last hours. He talked beautifully to his dear wife and children, exhorted the nurse and the doctor, and then exclaimed, "I will soon be in the beautiful city!" And then he passed out through the midnight of this earth into "the city that hath no need of the sun, neither of the moon to shine in it; for the glory of God doth lighten it, and the Lamb is the light thereof." As he wrote last year of Dr. Alexander, we can say even as truly of him:

"Servant of God, well done!

Thy glorious warfare's past;  
The battle's fought, the race is won,  
And thou art crowned at last."

Dr. Browder was twice married. Early in his ministry he married Miss Williamson, of Elizabethtown, a refined Christian woman, who died one year after marriage, leaving a daughter, now Mrs.

Mary Stewart, of Elizabethtown. He was married again on February 19, 1896, to Miss Lydia Sullivan, of South Carrollton, Ky. Two sons were born of this marriage, George Dick Browder and Stephen Rowan, and they, with their mother, mourn his loss and remember his great and noble virtues.—*Frank M. Thomas.*

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called, one by one, and their characters passed.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Bowling Green District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Adairville and Oakland.....	...	210
Allensville Circuit .....	...	345
Auburn Circuit .....	1	423
Bowling Green: Broadway Mission	2	221
State Street .....	...	790
Bowling Green Circuit .....	2	254
Canmer Circuit .....	1	274
Chapel Hill Circuit .....	1	800
East Franklin Mission .....	2	283
Epley Mission .....	8	234
Franklin Station .....	...	370
Franklin Circuit .....	...	222
Glasgow Station .....	1	446
Hadley Circuit .....	...	80
Hiseville Circuit .....	1	491
Horse Cave Circuit .....	3	529
Morgantown Mission .....	...	196
Munfordville Mission .....	1	328
Richardsville Mission .....	1	215
Rocky Hill Mission .....	...	311
Russellville Circuit .....	...	318
Russellville Station .....	...	266
Scottsville Station .....	1	192
Smith's Grove Circuit .....	...	388
South Scottsville Circuit .....	4	537
Woodburn Circuit .....	1	157
	20	8,890

*Columbia District.*

Albany Mission .....	1	298
Bear Creek Circuit .....	2	556
Bethlehem Circuit .....	1	300
Burkesville Circuit .....	1	140
Campbellsville Circuit .....	2	403
Campbellsville Station .....	...	375
Cane Valley Mission .....	2	313
Casey Creek Mission .....	2	404
Clinton Mission .....	2	590
Columbia Station .....	6	471
Elkhorn Station .....	1	385
Gradyville Circuit .....	2	657
Greensburg and Early .....	1	282
Jamestown Mission .....	3	300
Mannsville Circuit .....	1	735
Mill Springs Circuit .....	1	442
Monticello Circuit .....	1	294
Parnell Mission .....	...	98
Peytonsburg Mission .....	...	456
Pierce Circuit .....	2	430
Renox Mission .....	1	300
Russell Springs Mission .....	...	474
Sparksville Mission .....	1	134
Summerville Circuit .....	1	350
Temple Hill Mission .....	3	373

*Columbia District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Tompkinsville Mission .....	1	237
West Monticello Circuit .....	1	486
	39	10,283

*Elizabethtown District.*

Bardstown Station .....	...	160
Battletown Mission .....	2	226
Big Clifty Mission .....	...	42
Big Springs Circuit .....	4	580
Bradfordville Circuit .....	1	316
Braidenburg and West Point .....	...	378
Buffalo Circuit .....	2	573
Cecilla Circuit .....	2	322
Elizabethtown Station .....	1	436
Falls of Rough Circuit .....	1	159
Hardinsburg Circuit .....	1	371
Hodgenville Station .....	...	127
Irvington Circuit .....	...	328
Kingswood Circuit .....	4	329
Lebanon Station .....	...	329
Lebanon Circuit .....	...	289
Leitchfield and Clarkson .....	...	254
McDaniels Circuit .....	2	325
Mount Washington Circuit .....	...	235
Shepherdsville and Lebanon Junction	...	102
Shepherdsville Circuit .....	...	225
Sonora Circuit .....	...	194
Springfield Station .....	...	85
Stithton Circuit .....	1	309
Upton Circuit .....	...	405
Vine Grove Circuit .....	1	480
	22	7,579

*Henderson District.*

Beech Grove Mission .....	1	245
Carrsville Mission .....	1	253
Clay and Wheatcroft .....	...	134
Corydon Station .....	1	180
Dekoven Mission .....	1	274
Earlington Mission .....	...	253
Hampton Mission .....	...	145
Hanson Circuit .....	4	522
Hebbardsville Mission .....	...	131
Henderson: Clay Street Mission..	1	177
First Church .....	2	540
Madisonville Station .....	...	512
Marion Station .....	3	378
Morganfield Station .....	...	380
Morganfield Circuit .....	1	250
Poole Circuit .....	...	357
Providence Station .....	2	300
Robard Circuit .....	...	438
Sebree Station .....	...	425
Shady Grove Circuit .....	2	351
Slaughtersville Circuit .....	...	568
Smith Mills Circuit .....	1	300
Sturgis Station .....	1	278
Tolu Circuit .....	1	389
	22	7,780

*Hopkinsville District.*

Cadiz Station .....	2	221
Cadiz Circuit .....	...	309
Crofton Circuit .....	2	484
Dawson Springs Mission .....	...	216
Eddyville Circuit .....	1	352
Eddyville Station .....	...	213
Elkton and Bells .....	...	289
Elkton Circuit .....	3	587
Elkton Mission .....	...	362
Golden Pond Mission .....	...	....
Grand Rivers Circuit .....	2	344
Hopkinsville Station .....	...	940

*Hopkinsville District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Hopkinsville Circuit .....	2	484
Kuttawa Circuit .....	1	393
Lafayette Circuit .....	...	371
Lamasco Mission .....	...	120
North Cadiz Circuit .....	3	295
Pembroke Circuit .....	1	435
Pisgah Mission .....	4	270
Princeton Station .....	1	230
Salem Mission .....	1	335
Smithland Station .....	...	98
Smithland Circuit .....	5	288
Trenton and Guthrie .....	...	225
	28	7,861

*Louisville District.*

Jeffersontown and Cooper's .....	...	290
Jeffersonville; Morton Memorial..	...	279
Louisville: Asbury Mission .....	...	101
Beechmont Mission .....	...	116
Broadway .....	1	682
Clifton .....	...	496
Davison Memorial Mission .....	...	170
Fourth Avenue .....	...	602
Highland Park Mission .....	...	118
Hill Street Mission .....	1	107
Jefferson Street .....	...	427
Lander Memorial .....	...	505
Marcus Lindsey Memorial ....	1	659
Messick Memorial Mission .....	...	183
Oakdale Mission .....	1	201
Portland .....	...	411
Rivers Memorial .....	...	451
Union (The Temple).....	...	683
Virginia Avenue .....	...	452
West Broadway .....	2	417
Woodburn Avenue and Fern Creek .....	...	89
Louisville Circuit .....	...	425
Lynhurst Mission .....	1	71
Middletown and Anchorage .....	...	200
	7	8,135

*Owensboro District.*

Beaver Dam Circuit .....	...	234
Calhoun Circuit .....	1	330
Centertown Circuit .....	...	361
Central City Station .....	...	505
Cloverport Station .....	...	231
Drakesboro Mission .....	...	269
Dundee Circuit .....	1	601
Fordsville Mission .....	3	220
Greenville Station .....	...	395
Greenville Circuit .....	1	286
Hartford Circuit .....	...	365
Hawesville Circuit .....	1	293
Lewisburg Circuit .....	...	195
Lewisport Circuit .....	...	309
Livemore Circuit .....	...	386
Maceo Circuit .....	...	324
North Hartford Mission .....	...	83
Owensboro: Breckenridge Street..	2	160
Settle Memorial .....	...	661
Third Street .....	2	241
Woodlawn Mission .....	...	176
Owensboro Circuit .....	...	408
Rochester .....	1	271
Stanley Circuit .....	...	301
Sacramento Circuit .....	...	262
South Carrollton and Island .....	...	258
Stephensport Mission .....	...	211
	12	8,336

*Recapitulation.*

Bowling Green District.....	30	8,890
Columbia District .....	39	10,283
Elizabethtown District .....	22	7,579

*Recapitulation (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Henderson District .....	22	7,780
Hopkinsville District .....	28	7,861
Louisville District .....	7	8,135
Owensboro District .....	12	8,336
Total this year .....	160	58,864
Total last year .....	165	59,812
Decrease .....	5	948

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? Not known.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? Not known.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 606.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 2,163.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 119.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 4,592.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 476.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 3,735.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 46,131.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$6,648.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$5,918. Paid to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$10,681; Home and Conference Missions, \$11,612. Total, \$22,293.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$6,250.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$6,440.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? 645.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$14,200; preachers in charge, \$120,853.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$1,933.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 547; houses of worship, 525.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$1,774,040; indebtedness, \$119,983.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 178; parsonages, 157.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$286,417; indebtedness, \$23,431.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 7; district parsonages, 7.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$32,000; indebtedness, \$4,150.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 3; amount of damage, \$8,179.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$804,625; premiums paid, \$3,309; losses sustained, \$8,179; collections on losses, \$1,084.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Logan College: Value of property, \$80,000; professors, 15; pupils, 105. Elkton School for Boys: Value of property, \$65,000; professors, 4; pupils, 50. Lindsay-Wilson Training School: Value of property, \$52,000; professors, 9; pupils, 136. Endowment, \$29,000. Indebtedness, \$23,000.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 453; Conference organ, 2,686.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? Charles Williams.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Princeton, Ky.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### BOWLING GREEN DISTRICT.

*J. B. Adams, P. E.*

Adairville, T. W. Stodghill.

Allensville, R. H. Roe.

Auburn, C. P. Walton.

Bowling Green: Broadway, J. G. Akin.

State Street, R. B. Grider.

Bowling Green Circuit, B. F. Copas.

Canmer, J. P. Van Hoy.

Chapel Hill, Henry Kelley, supply.

East Franklin, DeWitt Millican.

Epley, Porter Napier, supply.

Franklin Station, C. F. Wimberly; P. H. Davis, Sup.

Franklin Circuit, B. S. Harper, supply.

Glasgow Station, A. D. Leitchfield.

Hadley, V. S. Polston, supply.

Hiseville, J. B. Galloway.

Horse Cave, L. W. Turner.

Morgantown, A. L. Schanzenbacher.

Munfordsville, Earnest M. Holman.

Richardsville, E. C. Cole, supply.

Rocky Hill, A. D. Davis.

Russellville Circuit, H. C. Napier.

Russellville Station, Leonidas Robinson.

Scottsville Station, J. B. Seay.

South Scottsville, R. T. McConnell.

Smith's Grove, G. Y. Wilson.

Woodburn, Curtis Yates, supply.

President of Logan College, J. W. Repass.

#### COLUMBIA DISTRICT.

*S. G. Shelley, P. E.*

Albany, W. A. Beck, supply.

Bear Creek, C. L. Shelley, supply.

Bethlehem, L. E. Squires, supply.

Burkesville, I. W. Napier.

Campbellsville Circuit, P. C. Long.

Campbellsville Station, J. S. Chandler.

Cane Valley, Owen T. Lee, supply.

Casey Creek, Ivey Allen, supply.

Clinton, J. H. Epley, supply.

Columbia, L. F. Piercy.

Elkhorn, S. L. C. Coward.

Gradyville, W. C. Christy.

Greensburg and Early, R. E. Balley.

Jamestown, J. A. Wallace.

Mannsville, J. R. Marrs.

Mill Springs, Oscar M. Capshaw, supply.

Monticello, J. L. Piercy.

Parnell, T. R. Atkinson, supply.

Peytonsburg, L. C. Risen, supply.

Pierce, Marion Capshaw, supply.

Renox, L. I. Chandler, supply.

Russell Springs, E. Pennycuff.

Sparksville, D. L. Vance, supply.

Summerville, F. A. Sanders.

Temple Hill, J. W. Caughron.

Tompkinsville, A. H. Gregory, supply.

Student in Emory University, C. Foster Allen.

West Monticello Circuit, H. C. Wilson, supply.

#### ELIZABETHTOWN DISTRICT.

*W. F. Hogard, P. E.*

Bardstown and Samuel, M. M. Murrell.

Battletown, R. L. Lockard, supply.

Big Clifty, R. O. Gilpin.

Big Spring, E. P. Deacon.

Bradfordsville, H. E. Jarbo.



Brandenburg and West Point, C. R. Crowe.  
 Buffalo, D. T. Penick.  
 Cecilia, R. L. Sleamaker.  
 Elizabethtown Station, J. H. Nicholson.  
 Falls of Rough, W. C. Chapell, supply.  
 Hardinsburg, Robert Johnson.  
 Hodgenville Station, R. O. Penick.  
 Irvington, T. J. Wade.  
 Kingswood, H. T. Speak, supply.  
 Lebanon Station, C. A. Humphrey.  
 Lebanon Circuit, J. L. Murrell.  
 Leitchfield and Clarkson, P. A. Kasey.  
 McDaniels, Ivan Allen, supply.  
 Mount Washington, D. R. Peak.  
 Shepherdsville Circuit, B. W. Hardin.  
 Shepherdsville and Lebanon Junction, P. H. Ryan.  
 Sonora, J. L. Reid.  
 Springfield Station, W. C. Brandon.  
 Stithton, B. M. DeWitt.  
 Upton, W. E. Sutherland.  
 Vine Grove, B. F. Wilson.

#### HENDERSON DISTRICT.

*E. F. Goodson, P. E.*

Beech Grove, P. C. Duvall.  
 Carrsville, F. W. Qualls.  
 Clay and Wheatcroft, W. A. Grant.  
 Corydon, F. E. Lewis.  
 Dekoven, G. W. Dame.  
 Earlington, W. F. Cashman.  
 Hampton, A. H. Reynolds.  
 Hanson, J. A. Johnson.  
 Henderson: Clay Street, E. D. Ryan.  
 First Church, W. P. Baird.  
 Mission, to be supplied.  
 Madisonville Station, G. P. Dillon.  
 Marion Station, H. R. Short.  
 Marion Circuit, R. S. Richardson, supply.  
 Morganfield Station, G. W. Hummell.  
 Morganfield Circuit, W. R. Wagoner.  
 Poole Circuit, F. W. Denton, supply.  
 Providence, P. L. King.  
 Robard, G. A. Gailor.  
 Sebree, J. R. Randolph.  
 Slaughtersville, D. T. Tarter.  
 Smith Mills, W. G. Montgomery.  
 Sturgis, J. Frank Baker.  
 Tolu, Alexander Royster.

#### HOPKINSVILLE DISTRICT.

*T. L. Hulse, P. E.*

Cadiz and Gracy, E. W. Smith.  
 Cadiz Circuit, D. M. Spears.  
 Crofton, J. A. Wheeler, supply.  
 Dawson Springs, Summers Bronson.  
 Eddyville and Saratoga, A. L. Mell.  
 Eddyville Circuit, J. M. Perryman.  
 Elkton and Bells, J. C. Rawlings.  
 Elkton Circuit, Fletcher Stamps, supply.

Golden Pond, R. C. Bogard.  
 Grand Rivers, J. E. King.  
 Hopkinsville Station, Lewis Powell.  
 Hopkinsville Circuit, Virgil Elgin.  
 Kirkmansville, J. R. Gunn.  
 Kuttawa, A. J. Bennett.  
 Lafayette, W. H. Hickerson.  
 North Cadiz Circuit, G. W. Pangburn.  
 Pembroke Circuit, W. P. Gordon.  
 Pisgah, H. S. Gillett.  
 Princeton, W. H. Archey.  
 Salem, J. H. Richardson.  
 Smithland Station, E. S. Moore.  
 Smithland Circuit, Mack Harper, supply.  
 Trenton and Guthrie, H. H. Jones.

#### LOUISVILLE DISTRICT.

*A. P. Lyon, P. E.*

Jeffersontown and Cooper's, R. M. Wheat.  
 Jeffersonville: Morton Memorial, T. L. Crandell.  
 Louisville: Asbury, J. T. De Monbrun, supply.  
 Beechmont, R. V. Bennett.  
 Broadway, J. R. Savage.  
 Clifton, S. J. Thompson.  
 Davison Memorial, John C. Hoskinson.  
 Fourth Avenue, F. M. Thomas.  
 Highland Park, J. M. Woolridge.  
 Hill Street, C. E. Carter.  
 Jefferson Street, W. T. Miller.  
 Lander Memorial, James A. Chandler.  
 Marcus Lindsey Memorial, B. M. Currie.  
 Messick Memorial, J. D. Sigler.  
 Oakdale, George E. Foskett.  
 Portland, C. G. Prather.  
 Rivers Memorial, F. M. Petty.  
 Union (The Temple), A. R. Kasey.  
 Virginia Avenue, C. K. Dickey.  
 West Broadway, L. K. May.  
 Woodburn Avenue, J. W. Lewis.  
 Louisville Circuit, J. O. Smithson.  
 Lynhurst, S. H. Lovelace.  
 Middletown and Anchorage, A. C. Johnson.  
 Commissioner for Emory University, J. H. Young.  
 Missionary to Japan, S. E. Hager.  
 Conference Missionary Secretary, S. J. Thompson.  
 Conference Evangelist, J. W. Weldon.  
 Student in Chicago University, H. T. Reed.

#### OWENSBORO DISTRICT.

*J. T. Rushing, P. E.*

Beaver Dam, W. C. Frank.  
 Calhoun, E. R. Bennett.  
 Centertown, J. B. Rayburn, supply.  
 Central City Station, J. R. McAfee.  
 Cloverport, M. L. Dyer.

Dundee, S. M. Bailey.  
 Fordsville, T. B. Bandy.  
 Greenville Station, Paul S. Powell.  
 Greenville Circuit, L. M. Russell.  
 Hartford, B. W. Napier.  
 Hawesville, R. H. Higgins, supply.  
 Lewisburg, W. L. Shell.  
 Lewisport, W. S. Buckner.  
 Livermore, R. L. Tally.  
 Maceo, J. F. Black.  
 North Hartford, Raymon Oliver, supply.  
 Owensboro: Breckenridge Street, W. O. Rickard.

Owensboro: Settle Memorial, S. M. Miller.  
 Third Street, B. F. Atkinson.  
 Woodlawn, M. H. Alexander.  
 Owensboro Circuit, C. F. Hartford.  
 Rochester, E. D. Boggess.  
 Stanley, E. C. Lampton.  
 Sacramento, H. F. Higgins.  
 South Carrollton, R. B. McMican.  
 Stephensport, C. B. Gentry, supply.

*Transferred.*—U. G. Foote, to the Baltimore Conference; F. T. Howard, to the Kentucky Conference.

## HOLSTON CONFERENCE.

NINETY-THIRD SESSION.

HELD AT BLUEFIELD, W. VA., OCTOBER 4-10, 1916.

BISHOP ATKINS, *President*; J. A. BURROW, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. Grover Fielden Thomas, Floyd Bunyan Shelton, Clyde Enoch Lundy, Harrill Stras Dyer, Joshua Jones Clark, William Henry Harrison, Elbert Dayton Worley, Poindexter Patrick Tabor, Wiley Bruce Peck, James Harvey Witt, Henry Austin Carlton. 11. Remaining in class of the first year: John T. Booth, Glenn C. Emmett, Elmer W. Dean, Roy E. Morrison, Joseph P. Little, Ellis C. Jessee.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Edgar R. Lewis, Frank K. Suddath, George E. Erwin, James A. Bays, George W. Fox, Paul P. Martin, John Thirtle, Carl H. Wright. 8. Remaining in class of the second year: Robert Lee Evans and Robert V. Harlow.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? Walter G. Porter. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? James M. Wysor, Lorenzo D. Mayberry, Robert Edward Greer, Bradley Talmage Sells, Samuel Emmett Jones, Ernest Roy Roach, Sumpter H. Austin, Walton M. Bunts, John G. Helvey, Lee Mitchell Burriss, Marion Augustus Stevenson. 11. Already in orders, Charles G. McKay. Remaining in class of the third year: James C. Cornett, Enoch L. McConnell, Onnie C. Wright, Frank R. Snavelly.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? Charles L. Stradley. 1.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? J. Nelson Jones, from the South Georgia Conference; Roy E. Early, from the New Mexico Conference. 2.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? None.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? Elbert W. Fisher, Robert N. Havens, Jesse W. Morris, Richard W. Watts, Robert H. Ballard, James Harle Lotspeich, James H. Watkins. 7. Remaining in class of the fourth year: Allen J. Thomas and Bascom Waters.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Marion Augustus Stevenson, James Miller Wysor, Robert Edward Greer, Bradley Talmage Sells, Samuel Emmett Jones, Lee Mitchell Burriss, Ernest Roy Roach. 7.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Marion Augustus Stevenson, James Miller Wysor, Bradley Talmage Sells, Samuel Emmett Jones, Lee Mitchell Burriss, Ernest Roy Roach, Robert Edward Greer. 7.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? Floyd Bunyan Shelton, Roy Lee Osborne, James Harvey Witt, Wiley Bruce Peck, James Emory Fogleman. 5.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Floyd Bunyan Shelton, Roy Lee Osborne, James Harvey Witt, Wiley Bruce Peck, James Emory Fogleman. 5.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Joseph Arnold Henderson, William Lee Dykes, Samuel Clemens Beard, Thomas Edward Brooks, Charles Newton Kennedy, John Wesley Stewart,

Andrew Madison Qualls, Marion Quessenberry, Ernest McGhee Ritchey. 9.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Joseph Arnold Henderson, William Lee Dykes, Samuel Clemens Beard, Thomas Edward Brooks, Charles Newton Kennedy, John Wesley Stewart, Andrew Madison Qualls, Marion Quessenberry, Ernest McGhee Ritchey. 9.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? C. R. Melton and J. H. Summitt. 2.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? J. I. Cash, C. A. Beard, G. W. Jackson, D. McCracken, G. W. Simpson, G. A. Maiden, J. A. Lyons, J. T. Frazier, C. R. Brown, L. L. H. Carlock, J. W. Helvey. 11.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? J. A. Bilderback, J. W. Smith, W. H. Price, L. C. Delashmit, H. S. Hamilton, D. H. Carr, L. K. Haynes, C. M. James, W. D. Mitchell, J. M. Maiden, W. C. Carden, A. D. Stewart, J. M. Wolfe, R. S. Umberger, J. C. Maness, A. Kincaid, B. F. Nuckolls, L. M. Neel, J. W. Carnes, F. Alexander, Jacob Smith, C. T. Carroll, J. N. Hobbs, J. C. Bays, J. H. Parrott, H. C. Clemens, W. C. Hicks, W. R. Barnett, G. S. Wagner, D. Sullins, J. S. W. Neel, R. N. Price, J. W. Repass, C. A. Pangle, G. D. French, F. M. Reynolds, W. I. Fogleman, G. A. Carner. 38.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? John A. Duvall. 1.

JOHN A. DUVAL.—The news of the death of Brother Duvall came as a shock to his many friends. Only a few weeks previous thereto he was in attendance upon the session of the Holston Conference at Broad Street, Knoxville, seemingly in the enjoyment of as good health as usual and looking forward and planning for another year of work. Some of those plans he had already put into operation and others were in process of being carried out when he was taken ill, went to Knoxville for treatment, and in a few days died. John A. Duvall was born in Ashe County, N. C., on January 12, 1860, and died on December 7, 1915. He was converted on the day he was seventeen years old, and was admitted on trial into the Holston Conference at Knoxville, Tenn., in 1886. On September 2, 1891, he was married to Miss Alice V. Alexander. She and their three children—Elmo C., Mae French, and Layne Witten—survive him. The following charges were served

by him: Watauga Circuit, Kingston Circuit, St. Elmo Station, Hill City Station, Mount Airy Circuit, East Tazewell Circuit, Jonesville Circuit, Big Stone Gap Station, Washington Circuit, Burke's Garden Circuit, Bland Circuit, Benham Circuit, North Fork and Crozier, Sevierville Circuit. Seven years, 1900 and 1906 to 1912, he was on the superannuate list. When the writer of this paper joined the Conference in 1893, he was sent as junior preacher to the old Mount Airy Circuit, and Brother Duvall was his senior. From that time I have known him intimately, and record here my deliberate judgment that he was one of the best men I have ever known. Measured by the New Testament rule of faithfulness, he was an extraordinary man. No cause that was ever put into his hand suffered from neglect, and his record in the ministry, extending through twenty-nine years, will show a close and conscientious attention to all the details of an itinerant's duties. He was not a strong man physically, and once or twice had to give up his effective relation in the Conference and take that of a superannuate. But even then he preached almost as much as if he had a regular charge, and never let an opportunity pass for accomplishing good. He was not overly concerned about the affairs of this world, his supreme passion being to show men the way to heaven; and while these years of noneffective relationship were hard ones, he bore their disappointments and hardships with a serenity that comes only to those who have a firm grip upon the Almighty. His home life was all that one could desire. He loved those who dwelt there, and they returned his love in full. Thus was created an atmosphere in which he always found new strength and greater hopefulness for the tasks which lay outside, and in which there was for him contentment and joy. His fort was not in the pulpit, though there he was at home and far above the average as a sermonizer, but in the influence he wielded in everyday life upon those with whom he came in contact. There was that about him that impressed people with the fact that he had "been with Jesus," and his religion was of such a joyous, happy kind, and so free from all trace of cant, that it drew people to his Lord. And who that ever heard him lead a congregation in prayer, especially at some crisis in a revival, will ever forget it? In these realms lay his greatest strength, and therein no one surpassed him. His conversion he

never doubted for an instant. Nothing was so certain with him as his acceptance with God through Jesus Christ. He had his conflicts and doubts, but not on this ground; and the consciousness of Christ's presence remained with him to the end. "It is sunshine everywhere," was among the last sentences he uttered. Sunshine! We are not surprised that he used that word; it typifies his religion and his life. From the lowest depths of that valley, now clear of shadows, into which he was entering, to the highest peak of that fair land to which he was drawing nigh—sunshine! And where he rests now the sunshine is brighter, and there is no night.—*J. S. French.*

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called in open Conference one by one, and their characters were passed.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Abingdon District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Abingdon .....	1	625
Abingdon Circuit .....	..	650
Benham .....	1	414
Blountville .....	1	793
Bluff City .....	1	633
Bristol: Anderson Street.....	1	400
Mary Street .....	..	488
State Street .....	1	1,154
Virginia Avenue .....	1	344
Bristol Circuit .....	1	462
Damascus .....	2	527
Emory .....	..	465
Glade Spring .....	..	365
Mountain City .....	..	132
Rich Valley .....	..	516
Saltville .....	..	748
	10	8,716

*Big Stone Gap District.*

Appalachia .....	1	262
Big Stone Gap .....	..	339
Blackwood .....	..	459
Clinchport .....	..	282
Coeburn .....	..	536
Cumberland Gap .....	2	415
Fort Blackmore .....	3	278
Gate City .....	..	591
Jonesville .....	1	57
Kingsport .....	..	471
Kingsport Circuit .....	..	752
Nickelsville .....	3	256
Norton .....	1	264
Norton Mission .....	2	545
Pennington Gap .....	1	438
Powell's Valley .....	5	..
St. Charles .....	..	250
Stickleyville .....	..	25
Stonega .....	..	96
Tom's Creek .....	1	192
Wise .....	1	..
	21	6,508

*Bluefield District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Berwind .....	..	113
Big Sandy and Marytown.....	..	129
Bluefield: Bland Street.....	3	1,027
Grace Church .....	..	1,937
Bramwell .....	..	225
Coalwood .....	..	40
Chattaroy .....	..	151
Davy and Twin Branch.....	2	270
Eckman .....	..	81
Gary .....	..	765
Glen Alum and War Eagle.....	..	32
Jaeger and Premier .....	..	114
Jenkin Jones and Pageton.....	..	399
Keystone .....	2	108
Kimball .....	..	134
Matewan .....	..	107
Matoka .....	..	202
Maybuary and Cooper .....	1	244
McDowell and Crumpler .....	..	230
Mora .....	2	260
Mullens .....	1	135
Naugatuck .....	..	28
North Fork and Crozler.....	..	126
Pineville .....	1	153
Pond Creek .....	..	8
Rock .....	4	558
Thacker and Freeburn .....	1	82
Welch .....	..	147
Williamson .....	..	503
Winding Gulf .....	..	12
	17	8,320

*Chattanooga District.*

Ætna .....	1	205
Chattanooga: Centenary .....	4	1,396
Dodson and Wisdom Memorial.	1	128
East Lake and McFerrin.....	2	281
Highland Park .....	..	750
King Memorial .....	1	303
North Chattanooga .....	..	233
Ridgedale .....	..	365
Rossville .....	4	395
St. Elmo .....	3	396
Trinity .....	1	267
Whiteside Street .....	..	379
Dayton .....	..	297
Dunlap .....	..	266
Evansville .....	1	269
Hixson .....	..	150
Jasper and Whitwell .....	..	159
Lookout .....	1	217
Melvin .....	..	105
Pikeville .....	..	112
Rising Fawn and Trenton.....	2	275
Sequatchie .....	1	183
South Pittsburg .....	1	139
Spring City .....	..	185
	23	7,455

*Cleveland District.*

Athens .....	2	217
Athens Circuit .....	1	194
Benton Circuit .....	4	150
Cleveland .....	..	413
Charleston .....	..	270
Concord .....	..	238
Decatur .....	1	436
Ducktown .....	1	221
Etowah .....	..	243
Lenoir City .....	..	403
Little River .....	1	207
Louisville .....	2	457
Madisonville .....	3	390
Maryville .....	1	329
Mount Vernon .....	2	359
New Hope .....	1	171

*Cleveland District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Ooltewah .....	1	350
Philadelphia .....	...	340
Riceville .....	...	276
South Cleveland .....	1	218
Sweetwater .....	1	601
	22	6,492

*Knoxville District.*

Andersonville .....	1	277
Coal Creek .....	1	182
Clinton .....	...	217
Harriman .....	1	186
Harriman Circuit .....	1	184
Jacksboro .....	...	252
Knoxville: Broad Street .....	...	870
Centenary .....	4	1,145
Church Street and Mission .....	3	1,166
East Park .....	...	268
Emerald Avenue .....	1	152
Epworth .....	1	215
Fountain City .....	...	409
Lincoln Park .....	1	207
Virginia Avenue .....	...	142
Washington Pike .....	...	134
West Lonsdale .....	...	77
Knoxville Circuit .....	2	246
La Follette .....	...	232
Luttrell .....	...	304
Macedonia .....	1	383
Robertsville .....	...	80
Rockwood .....	...	185
Sevierville .....	...	390
Straw Plains .....	...	314
Tazewell .....	2	344
	19	8,561

*Morristown District.*

Afton .....	2	293
Bull's Gap .....	...	526
Elizabethhton .....	1	270
Embreenville .....	1	198
Erwin .....	...	156
Fall Branch .....	...	290
French Broad .....	1	315
Greeneville .....	...	260
Hawkins .....	...	668
Jefferson City .....	...	261
Johnson City .....	...	765
Johnson City Circuit .....	...	452
Jonesboro .....	...	290
Limestone .....	1	452
Mooreburg .....	...	252
Morristown .....	...	608
Morristown Circuit .....	3	620
Mosheim .....	1	472
Newport .....	1	165
Parrottville .....	3	360
Rogersville .....	...	241
Rutledge .....	...	189
Surgoinsville .....	2	437
	16	8,540

*Radford District.*

Athens .....	1	719
Auburn .....	2	840
Blue Ridge .....	2	547
Draper .....	1	300
Dublin .....	...	446
East Princeton .....	...	176
East Radford .....	...	502
East River .....	...	360
Eggleston .....	...	512
Floyd .....	1	439
Fries .....	...	299
Galax .....	2	428

*Radford District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Hillsville .....	1	279
Hylton Mission .....	2	231
Lead Mines .....	2	691
Mercer and Summers .....	3	333
New River .....	2	361
Pearisburg .....	...	894
Princeton .....	1	702
Pulaski .....	...	514
Radford .....	...	135
Spanishburg Mission .....	3	186
Staffordsville .....	...	453
	23	10,347

*Tazewell District.*

Belfast .....	1	115
Burke's Garden and Tazewell .....	1	900
Castlewood .....	...	127
Cedar Bluff .....	1	280
Clintwood .....	...	146
Dickensonsville .....	2	597
East Dickenson .....	...	40
Elk Garden .....	1	220
Graham .....	...	628
Graham Circuit .....	1	680
Grundy .....	3	215
Honaker .....	2	224
Maxwell .....	2	373
Lebanon .....	3	325
Pocahontas .....	...	271
Richlands .....	...	550
Rocky Gap .....	1	309
Tazewell .....	2	503
Wilder .....	...	80
	21	6,583

*Wytheville District.*

Bland .....	...	460
Cedar Springs .....	2	623
Ceres .....	...	576
Chilhowie .....	...	785
Coveton .....	...	364
Cripple Creek .....	...	538
Elk Creek .....	4	675
Grant .....	...	647
Independence .....	2	460
Marion .....	1	520
Marion Circuit .....	1	585
Max Meadows .....	2	674
Mechanicsburg .....	5	591
Rural Retreat .....	3	763
Spring Valley .....	4	672
Sugar Grove .....	2	268
Wytheville .....	2	491
Wytheville Circuit .....	2	1,107
	30	10,799

*Recapitulation.*

Abingdon District .....	10	8,766
Big Stone Gap District .....	21	6,508
Bluefield District .....	17	8,320
Chattanooga District .....	23	7,455
Cleveland District .....	22	6,492
Knoxville District .....	19	8,561
Morristown District .....	16	8,540
Radford District .....	23	10,347
Tazewell District .....	21	6,583
Wytheville District .....	30	10,799
Total this year .....	202	82,371
Total last year .....	206	81,479
Increase .....	...	892
Decrease .....	4	....



Ques. 24 and 25 not answered.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 996.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 4,065.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 128.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 4,569.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 809.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 5,996.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 85,801.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$14,917.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$12,609. Paid to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$14,856; Home and Conference Missions, \$30,463. Total, \$45,319.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$8,270.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$7,832.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$856.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$26,098; preachers in charge, \$163,747.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$2,559.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 856; houses of worship, 745.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$2,119,890; indebtedness, \$95,752.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 221; parsonages, 173.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$500,190; indebtedness, \$27,109.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 10; district parsonages, 11.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$46,000; indebtedness, nothing.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Church damaged, 1; amount of damage, \$3,000.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$756,850; premiums paid, \$5,353.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Emory and Henry College: Value of property, \$260,000; endowment, \$60,000; indebtedness, \$12,000; teachers, 15; scholars, 238. Martha Washington College: Value of property, \$210,527; indebtedness, \$34,000; teachers, 19; scholars, 197. Centenary College: Value of property, \$150,000; indebtedness, \$42,000; teachers, 19; scholars, 148. Hiwassee College: Value of property, \$25,000; teachers, 9; scholars, 178.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 726; Conference organ, 3,747.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? B. F. Fritts, Chattanooga, Tenn.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Pulaski, Va.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### ABINGDON DISTRICT.

*I. P. Martin, P. E.*

Abingdon, G. C. Rector; G. A. Maiden, Sup.

Abingdon Circuit, I. N. Munsey.

Benham, Sumpter H. Austin.

Bristol: Anderson Street, J. L. Mullens.

Mary Street, H. B. Vaught.

State Street, John C. Orr.

Virginia Avenue, Lee M. Burris.

Bristol Circuit, D. M. Graybeal, supply.

Blountville, S. L. Browning.

Bluff City, R. A. Owen.

Damascus, J. M. Paxton.

Emory, R. K. Sutherland, T. R. Handy.

Glade Spring, J. L. Prater.

Keywood, Harrill Stras Dyer.

Mountain City, H. S. Hutsell.

Rich Valley, S. C. Beard.

Saltville, C. K. Wingo.

President of Emory and Henry College, C. C. Weaver.

President of Martha Washington College, S. D. Long.

Secretary of Children's Home Society, E. F. Kahle.

District Evangelist, R. T. McDowell.

Student in Emory and Henry College,  
James C. Cornett.  
Commissioner of Education for Martha  
Washington College, E. H. Cassidy.

## BIG STONE GAP DISTRICT.

*M. P. Carico, P. E.*

Appalachia, R. E. Early.  
Big Stone Gap, W. N. Wagner.  
Clinchport, J. N. Smith.  
Coeburn, W. W. Hicks.  
Cumberland Gap, S. K. Byrd.  
Fort Blackmore, W. N. Baker, supply.  
Gate City, T. R. Wolfe.  
Jonesville, C. L. Vaughan; E. N. Wood-  
ward, junior preacher.  
Kingsport, French Wampler.  
Kingsport Circuit, A. B. Moore; Joseph  
P. Little, junior preacher.  
Nickelsville, Frank R. Snavelly.  
Norton, H. E. Kelso.  
Norton Mission, W. R. Miller, supply.  
Pennington Gap, W. H. Troy.  
Powell's Valley, W. R. Carbaugh.  
St. Charles, ———.  
Stickleyville, W. H. Walker.  
Stonega, Samuel Emmett Jones.  
Tom's Creek, Robert H. Ballard.  
Wise, C. W. Dean.

## BLUEFIELD DISTRICT.

*E. E. Wiley, P. E.*

Berwind, W. L. Vernon, supply.  
Big Sandy and Marytown, W. A. McCor-  
mick, supply.  
Bluefield: Bland Street, T. S. Hamilton.  
Grace Church, W. M. Morrell.  
Bramwell, J. R. Brown.  
Chattaroy, Floyd B. Shelton.  
Coalwood, Elbert W. Fisher.  
Davy and Twin Branch, B. N. Water-  
house.  
Eckman, S. W. Bourne.  
Gary, J. F. Benton.  
Glen Alum and War Eagle, Robert Ed-  
ward Greer.  
Jaeger and Premier, Grover F. Thomas.  
Jenkin Jones and Pageton, W. S. Lyons.  
Keystone, J. B. Simpson.  
Kimball, C. E. Painter.  
Matewan, J. M. Jennings, supply.  
Matoaka, J. D. Spitzer, supply.  
Maybuary and Cooper, W. A. Gose, supply.  
McDowell and Crumpler, G. K. Patty.  
Mora, James M. Wysor.  
Mullens, J. D. Wright, supply.  
Naugatuck, W. R. Neal, supply.  
Northfork and Crozier, Robert N. Havens.  
Pineville, Jesse W. Morris.  
Pond Creek, D. L. Smith, supply.

Rock Circuit, C. N. Kennedy.  
Stone Coal, B. W. Fitch, supply.  
Thacker and Freshburn, P. H. Horner,  
supply.  
Welch, L. W. Pierce.  
Williamson, Walton M. Bunts.  
Winding Gulf, T. E. Brooks.  
Wyco, G. W. Pressly, supply.

## CHATTANOOGA DISTRICT.

*J. B. Ward, P. E.*

Ætna, C. B. Hall, supply.  
Chattanooga: Centenary, J. W. Moore.  
Dodson and Wisdom Memorial, Ernest  
Roy Roach.  
East Lake and McFerrin, R. R. Brooks,  
supply.  
Highland Park, N. M. Watson.  
King Memorial, R. K. Triplett.  
North Chattanooga, S. S. Catron.  
Ridgedale, Frank K. Suddath.  
Rossville, C. R. Jones.  
St. Elmo, W. H. Briggs.  
Trinity, C. W. Kelley.  
Whiteside Street, W. R. Snider.  
Dayton, J. H. Barnett.  
Dunlap, C. T. Gray.  
Evensville, W. T. Evans.  
Hixson, G. O. Gannaway.  
Jasper and Whitwell, W. D. Farmer.  
Lookout, A. H. Mathes, supply.  
Pikeville Circuit, J. M. Walker.  
Rising Fawn and Trenton, J. A. Hender-  
son.  
Sequatchie, Edgar R. Lewis.  
South Pittsburg, W. L. Patton.  
Spring City, Henry A. Carlton.  
Missionary to Cuba, S. A. Neblett.  
Student Secretary of Board of Missions,  
C. G. Hounshell.  
Conference Missionary Secretary, J. W.  
Moore.  
Student in Emory and Henry College, On-  
nie C. Wright.  
Student in Hiwassee College, John Talley  
Booth.  
Sunday School Field Secretary, S. S.  
Boyer.

## CLEVELAND DISTRICT.

*E. A. Shugart, P. E.*

Athens, J. A. Early; C. A. Beard, Sup.  
Athens Circuit, George E. Erwin.  
Benton, J. E. Fogleman, supply.  
Charleston, Allen J. Thomas.  
Cleveland, W. S. Neighbors.  
Concord, J. Y. Bowman.  
Decatur, C. L. Stradley.  
Ducktown, S. A. McGee.  
Etowah, W. S. Hendricks.

Lenoir City, L. M. Cartright; G. W. Jackson, Sup.

Little River, O. H. Logan, supply.

Louisville, R. M. Walker.

Madisonville, J. Nelson Jones.

Maryville, T. C. Schuler.

Mount Vernon, G. M. Shelley, supply.

New Hope, W. L. Tate, supply.

Ooltewah, E. M. Ritchie.

Philadelphia, J. H. Wagner.

Riceville, James Harvey Witt.

South Cleveland, Wiley Bruce Peck.

Sweetwater, R. A. Kelly.

Centenary College: President, B. Thompson; Professor, G. W. Summers.

Hiwassee College: President, J. E. Lowry; Associate President, Eugene Blake.

Conference Secretary of Church Extension, T. C. Schuler.

#### KNOXVILLE DISTRICT.

*P. L. Cobb, P. E.*

Andersonville, W. L. Dykes.

Clinton, L. J. Williams.

Coal Creek, Robert Lee Evans.

Corryton, ———.

Fountain City, E. H. Yankee.

Harriman, D. S. Hearon.

Harriman Circuit, J. A. L. Perkins.

Jacksboro, C. G. McKay.

Knoxville: Broad Street, J. A. Baylor.

Centenary, J. M. Carter.

Church Street, J. S. French.

Church Street Mission, George F. Carr, supply.

East Park, J. A. Burrow.

Emerald Avenue, K. C. Atkins.

Epworth, B. W. Lee.

Lincoln Park, L. S. Reynolds.

Virginia Avenue, J. L. Scott.

Washington Pike, C. H. Williams, supply.

West Lonsdale, C. L. Thomas, supply.

Knoxville Circuit, H. E. Bradshaw.

La Follette, Carlock Hawk.

Luttrell, Austin White, supply.

Macedonia, James H. Watkins.

Mascot, W. T. Roby, supply.

Robertsville, Ross Craig, supply.

Rockwood, R. C. Camper.

Roseberry, O. E. Householder, supply.

Sevierville, R. G. Reynolds.

Strawberry Plains, D. F. Wyrick.

Tazewell, K. W. Cox.

Tazewell Circuit, C. R. Cline, supply.

Conference Evangelist, Bascom Waters.

Secretary of Evangelism, J. A. Baylor.

Editor of *Midland Methodist*, J. A. Burrow.

#### MORRISTOWN DISTRICT.

*J. W. Perry, P. E.*

Afton, J. S. Henley

Bull's Gap, W. E. Browning.

Elizabethton, Joshua Jones Clark.

Embreeville, Clyde Enoch Lundy.

Erwin, T. J. Houts.

Fall Branch, Roy E. Morrison.

French Broad, J. C. Logan.

Greeneville, J. B. Ely.

Hancock, N. M. Moneyhun, supply.

Hawkins, Elmer W. Dean.

Jefferson City, A. B. Hunter.

Johnson City, J. M. Crowe.

Johnson City Circuit, N. F. Walker.

Jonesboro, Paul P. Martin.

Limestone, K. G. Munsey; G. W. Simpson, Sup.

Mooreburg, James H. Lotspeich.

Morristown, T. J. Eskridge.

Morristown Circuit, W. E. Bailey.

Mosheim, George W. Fox.

Newport, J. A. Ellison.

Parrottsville, William H. Harrison.

Rogersville, Elbert D. Worley.

Rutledge, C. W. Williams, supply.

Surgoinsville, Enoch L. McConnell.

Greeneville Orphanage, M. J. Wysor.

Students in Emory and Henry College, Glenn C. Emmett and Poindexter P. Tabor.

#### RADFORD DISTRICT.

*D. P. Hurley, P. E.*

Athens, D. T. Miles.

Auburn, W. B. Belchee.

Bland, W. C. Crockett.

Ceres, Z. A. Wall, supply.

Draper, John Thirtle.

Dublin, J. T. Guy.

East Princeton, M. Quessenberry.

East Radford, H. B. Brown.

East River, Bradley T. Sells.

Eggleston, A. M. Qualls.

Floyd, W. A. Warner, supply.

Hylton, R. L. Parks, supply.

Jumping Branch, W. C. Shrewsberry, supply.

Lead Mines, E. W. Mort.

Mechanicsburg, W. M. Ellis.

Mercer, Z. F. Mayberry, supply.

New River, S. D. Lambert.

Pearisburg, J. F. Jones.

Princeton, Thomas Priddy.

Pulaski, R. M. Standefer.

Radford, Marion A. Stevenson; R. V. Harlow, Sup.

Spanishburg, E. G. Smith, supply.

Staffordsville, S. H. Hall.

Principal of Montgomery Normal, Preparatory Branch, A. S. Thorn.  
Conference Evangelist, E. L. Addington.  
Student in Emory and Henry College, Ellis C. Jessee.

## TAZEWELL DISTRICT.

*J. E. Wolfe, P. E.*

Belfast, S. V. Morell.  
Burke's Garden and Tazewell, W. C. Thompson.  
Castlewood, J. E. Spring.  
Cedar Bluff, F. M. Buhrman.  
Clintwood, J. W. Stewart.  
Dickensonville, J. D. Dame.  
Elk Garden, C. E. Steele.  
Graham, J. W. Browning.  
Graham Circuit, E. H. Cole.  
Grundy, John G. Helvey.  
Honaker, A. H. Towe.  
Lebanon, N. R. Cartright.  
Maxwell, J. E. Graham, supply.  
Pocahontas, Z. D. Holbrook.  
Richlands, S. A. McCanless.  
Rocky Gap, Albert Gentry, supply.  
Tazewell, R. B. Platt, Jr.; C. R. Brown, Sup.  
Whitewood, B. C. Wise, supply.  
Wilder, J. H. Bowling, supply.

## WYTHEVILLE DISTRICT.

*J. W. Rader, P. E.*

Blue Ridge, Carl H. Wright.  
Cedar Springs, W. M. Patty.  
Chilhowie, J. R. King.  
Coveton, T. D. Strader.  
Cripple Creek, Walter Hodge.  
Elk Creek, G. T. Jordan.  
Fries, James A. Bays.  
Galax, C. H. Varner.  
Grant, H. S. Johnston.  
Hillsville, Richard W. Watts.  
Independence, L. D. Yost.  
Marion, F. Y. Jackson.  
Marion Circuit, J. E. Naff.  
Max Meadows, J. H. Umberger.  
Rural Retreat, J. A. H. Shuler.  
Spring Valley, Lorenzo D. Mayberry.  
Sugar Grove, S. T. M. McPherson.  
Teas, E. Z. Blankenbeckler, supply.  
Wytheville, G. L. Lambert.  
Wytheville Circuit, J. V. Hall.  
Commissioner for Emory University, S. B. Vaught.

*Transferred.*—Z. B. Randall, to the Baltimore Conference; G. M. Moreland, to the Western Virginia Conference; G. R. Stuart, to the North Alabama Conference.

## NEW MEXICO CONFERENCE.

TWENTY-SEVENTH SESSION.

HELD AT CLOVIS, N. MEX., OCTOBER 4-8, 1916.

BISHOP LAMBUTH, *President*; J. C. JONES, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
ANSWER. Fred Francis, H. M. Barton, J. G. Chancy, C. B. Brooks. 4.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? W. M. Beauchamp, J. A. Scoggins, R. A. Crawford, G. C. Emmons. 4.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Dorsey Sale Mewborn, Robert Lewis Armour, W. L. Jenkins. 3.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? L. L. Thurston. 1.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? W. F. Packard, from the West Texas Conference; R. E. Early, from the Montana Conference; Percy Knickerbocker, from the North Texas Conference; A. C. Douglas, from the Memphis Conference; Robert L. Armour, D. H. Holland, from the North Arkansas Conference; Jerry Jeter, from the East Oklahoma Conference. 7.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? None.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? W. L. Jenkins, E. B. Bowen. 2.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Dorsey Sale Mewborn, Robert L. Armour. 2.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Dorsey S. Mewborn, Robert L. Armour. 2.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? J. A. Scoggins. 1.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? James Arthur Scoggins. 1.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? John Newton Shields Webb, John Irving Kelly. 2.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are

ordained elders? John Newton Shields Webb, John Irving Kelly. 2.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? J. F. Ethison. 1.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? George Ward, W. E. Faulks, J. A. Trickey. 3.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? None.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? The names of all the preachers were called one by one, and their characters were passed, with the exception of Ellis Smith, who surrendered his credentials.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### Albuquerque District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Albuquerque .....	2	251
Carrizozo .....	1	145
Clayton Circuit .....	.....	.....
Cuerro Circuit .....	.....	.....
Gallup .....	.....	97
Grady Circuit .....	1	206
Magdalena .....	1	52
Melrose .....	1	148
McAlister Circuit .....	2	155
San Jon Circuit .....	.....	125
San Marcial .....	.....	76
Tucumcari .....	.....	249
Vaughn Circuit .....	1	190
Watrous .....	.....	45
	9	1,739

#### El Paso District.

Alamogordo .....	3	167
Alpine .....	.....	229
Buena Vista Circuit .....	.....	113
Clint .....	.....	65
Deming .....	2	268
El Paso: Alta Vista .....	.....	174
East El Paso .....	.....	84
Highland Park .....	.....	69
Trinity .....	.....	806
Fort Davis .....	1	101
Fort Stockton .....	1	195
La Mesa Circuit .....	.....	45
Las Cruces .....	1	231
Lordsburg .....	.....	71
Marfa .....	.....	221
Sierra Blanca .....	.....	120
Toyah .....	.....	149
Tularosa .....	.....	99
	8	3,212

#### Roswell District.

Artesia .....	2	276
Clovis .....	.....	310
Clovis Circuit .....	2	308
Carlsbad .....	3	376

#### Roswell District (Continued).

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
EliCa Circuit .....	.....	165
Eunice Circuit .....	2	88
Hagermann .....	1	139
Hope and Lake Arthur .....	1	162
Lakewood Circuit .....	1	118
Lovington Circuit .....	5	292
Odessa Circuit .....	2	125
Pecos .....	1	298
Portales .....	1	340
Roswell .....	2	602
Rogers Circuit .....	4	283
Sacramento Mission .....	1	76
Texico .....	1	97
	29	4,055

#### Recapitulation.

Albuquerque District .....	9	1,739
El Paso District .....	8	3,212
Roswell District .....	29	4,055
Total this year .....	46	9,006
Total last year .....	44	8,128
Increase .....	2	878

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 3; yes.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? None.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 265.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 538.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 26.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 776.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 66.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 614.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 7,626.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$1,331.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$1,040. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$1,960; Home and Conference Missions, \$2,472. Total, \$4,432.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? On assessment, \$1,202; special, \$2,328. Total, \$3,530.



Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$938.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$106.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$5,746; preachers in charge, \$36,701.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$355.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 118; houses of worship, 58.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$342,600; indebtedness, \$38,389.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 49; parsonages, 46.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$76,150; indebtedness, \$5,923.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 3; district parsonage, 1.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$4,500; indebtedness, \$100.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Church damaged, 1; amount of damage, \$24.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$160,325; premiums paid, \$917; losses sustained, \$24; collections on losses, \$24.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? No report.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 187; Conference organ, 336.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? W. M. Sanford.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Trinity, El Paso, Tex.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### ALBUQUERQUE DISTRICT.

*George H. Givan, P. E.*

Albuquerque, J. C. Jones.  
Carrizozo, to be supplied.

Clayton Circuit, D. H. Holland.  
Capitan Mission, L. W. Carlton, supply.  
Gallup, G. C. Emmons.  
Grady Circuit, R. A. Crawford.  
Magdalena and Kelly, C. B. Brooks.  
McAlister Circuit, W. L. Self, supply.  
Melrose Circuit, R. E. Stevenson.  
Murdock Circuit, C. H. Hatfield, supply.  
San Jon Circuit, J. I. Kelly.  
San Marcial, H. M. Barton.  
Tucumcari, E. D. Lewis.  
Vaughn Circuit, J. A. Scoggins.  
Watrous Circuit, J. J. Richards.  
Conference Evangelist, Jerry Jeter.  
Conference Missionary Secretary, George H. Givan.  
Student in Iliff School of Theology, D. S. Mewborn.

#### EL PASO DISTRICT.

*H. M. Smith, P. E.*

Alamogordo, J. J. Golden.  
Alpine, J. H. Messer.  
Buena Vista, A. C. Douglas.  
Clint and Ysleta, A. B. Weaver.  
Deming, J. B. Cochran.  
El Paso: Trinity, Percy Knickerbocker.  
Asbury, C. K. Campbell.  
Highland Park, H. P. Bond, supply.  
East El Paso, F. C. Collins, supply.  
Fort Davis, J. W. Campbell.  
Fort Stockton, M. O. Williams.  
Hachita Circuit, Fred Francis.  
Las Cruces, T. L. Lallance.  
Lordsburg, J. E. Fuller.  
Marfa, K. C. Morgan.  
Sierra Blanca and Valentine, F. B. Faust.  
Toyah and Toyah Valley, R. L. Armour.  
Tularosa, J. T. Lane.  
Van Horn, W. S. Huggett.  
Secretary of Education, E. C. Morgan.  
Student in Southern Methodist University, J. A. Johnson.

#### ROSWELL DISTRICT.

*S. E. Allison, P. E.*

Artesia, W. W. Nelson.  
Carlsbad, A. C. Bell.  
Clovis, J. T. Redmond.  
Clovis Circuit, John G. Chancey; J. N. S. Webb, junior preacher; one to be supplied; J. F. Etchison, Sup.  
Elida Circuit, L. L. Thurston.  
Eunice Circuit, to be supplied.  
Hagerman, J. W. Hendrix.  
Hope, H. W. Carter.  
Lakewood Circuit, W. P. West.  
Lovington Circuit, W. M. Beauchamp; one to be supplied.  
Odessa Circuit, E. B. Bowen.  
Pecos, J. H. Walker.

Portales, W. W. Turner.  
Richland Circuit, T. A. Knight, supply.  
Rodgers Circuit, W. L. Jenkins.  
Roswell, J. T. McClure.  
Sacramento Mission, E. W. Morton.  
Texico, H. B. Ellis.

*Transferred.*—W. F. Packard, to the Texas Conference; G. H. McAnally, to the Northwest Texas Conference; W. H. Duncan, to the Los Angeles Conference; J. A. Foster, to the West Texas Conference; R. E. Early, to the Holston Conference.

## TENNESSEE CONFERENCE.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD SESSION.

HELD AT MOUNT PLEASANT, TENN., OCTOBER 11-16, 1916.

BISHOP ATKINS, *President*; GEORGE L. BEALE, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
ANSWER. Fred Clarence Bain, George Solomon Duncan, Oscar Pittman Gentry, Robert Hall, Isaac Newton Hulme, Daniel G. Leidig, Jacob Wayman Madewell, George Edward Poole, Daniel Buie Raulins, John H. Settle, Thomas Marion Wilson. 11.

Wilbur Cleveland Folks remains in this class. James Egbert Thomas continues in this class the third year.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Robert Lee Allen, Clarence Melvin Charles, James Oscar Crawford, Alva Rady Gibbons, Warren B. Josselyn, Edward Lee Knowles, Gertise Dempsey McReynolds, Percy Reese Russell, James Henry Whitfield, Mark Bailey Williams. 10. Remaining in this class five years: Malcolm M. Stewart.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Walter Lee Armstrong, Omar Charles, Ophni Charles, Claude Preston Givens, William Malachi Lantrip, William Louis Nelson, James Madison Putnam, Edgar Urban Robinson. 8. Remaining in this class the second year: John J. Mabry.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? James T. Brown, in elder's orders, from the West Oklahoma Conference; Wilbur Cleveland Folks, in the class of the first year, from the North Georgia Conference. 2.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? J. B. Waggoner, an elder, from the Presbyterian Church, U. S. A. 1.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? None.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? William Lafayette Brown, Boyd Smith Fielder, Maut Kendrick Harwell, William Oliver Largen, William Walker Pullen, Richard Andrew Skelton, Lannie Wright Stewart, Charles Short Wilson. 8.

Remaining in this class the second year: Archibald L. Hodge, James W. Syler.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Omar Charles, Ophni Charles, William Malachi Lantrip, William Louis Nelson, James Madison Putnam, Edgar Urban Robinson. 6.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Omar Charles, Ophni Charles, William Malachi Lantrip, William Louis Nelson, James Madison Putnam, Edgar Urban Robinson. 6.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? Wilbur Cleveland Folks, Robert Egbert Hudson, Fred Rand, and Samuel Spencer. 4.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Robert Egbert Hudson, Fred Rand. 2.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Asa Walter Barr, William Edgar Couser, Fred Brenning Cox, James Talmage Parsons, Douglass Tucker Reed, Elijah Robinson, John Lafayette Taylor. 7.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Asa Walter Barr, William Edgar Couser, Fred Brenning Cox, James Talmage Parsons, Douglass Tucker Reed, Elijah Robinson, John Lafayette Taylor. 7.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? Thomas Marion Wilson. 1.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? Thomas Marion Wilson. 1.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? Nathan B. Taylor, John W. Estes, Thomas E. Marshall, and William P. McMickin, in the class of the third year, each at his own written request. 4.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? E. C. Atkins, T. A. Covington, T. H. Hinson, J. R. Holmes, Jr., J. B. Jordan, L. R.

Long, T. A. Matthews, A. H. Shannon, and P. A. Sowell. 9.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? S. W. Bransford, R. K. Brown, G. D. Byrne, M. W. Charles, A. C. Couey, T. L. Darnell, A. G. Dinwiddie, Jo B. Erwin, S. L. Fain, M. N. Ford, J. P. Funk, J. W. Gilbert, G. D. Guinn, J. R. Harris, H. J. Ivie, G. P. Jackson, J. M. Jordan, J. L. Kellum, H. S. Kennedy, W. A. Klyce, J. M. Oakley, J. H. Ray, J. R. Reagin, J. C. Roberts, G. M. Sanders, R. E. Travis, T. H. Woodward. 27.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? Jeremiah W. Cullom, John R. Thompson, John G. Molloy, William T. Dye, Thomas R. Curtis, Robert A. Reagan, Thomas L. Mobdy. 7.

JEREMIAH WALKER CULLOM, "Uncle Jere," as every one lovingly called him, was born, or, as he facetiously puts it, "discovered America," on December 20, 1828. His parents, Gaius F. and Cynthia Hooper Cullom, lived on Sam's Creek, in Davidson County, about twenty miles below Nashville. The Culloms came to Tennessee from Halifax County, N. C., about the beginning of the nineteenth century. The country where they settled was at that time considered "backwoods," but Brother Cullom assures us there were "some woods back of that." Brother Cullom's early environment was that of the country boy of his day. The schools were poor and lasted only about three months during the year. He says: "I am glad I was reared on a farm. I took my place between the plow handles at about ten years of age, and have kept it up a good deal through life. There is no better training for a boy." On June 16, 1848, he was converted under the ministry of Rev. Carroll C. Mayhew. For weeks and even months prior to his conversion he was under deep conviction and seeking for peace. He says: "I was a chronic mourner. The preachers got to understand that if they saw me in the congregation they would be certain to have at least one penitent. I started perhaps a dozen revivals. The Lord made me so sick that I never forgot it; but on the night of June 16, 1848, while kneeling in the straw at Bethel Church, a full surrender was made, and great peace came into my heart." Soon afterwards he was licensed to exhort, and then to preach. He taught school for a few years; but in the fall of 1851 he was admitted on trial into the Tennessee Annual Conference and appointed as junior preacher on the

Lincoln Circuit, with W. G. Hensley as his senior. Sixteen others were admitted at the same time with Brother Cullom, one of whom, Rev. George D. Guinn, died soon after this memoir was written. It would be interesting, and the material is available, to follow Brother Cullom in detail in his early ministry, but time forbids. Suffice it to say that he formed then the habit, which he kept up through life, of preaching short sermons and doing much pastoral visiting. His second year in the Conference was spent as junior preacher on the Middleton Circuit, in Bedford andutherford Counties, with Allen Tribble as his senior in office. In 1853 he was appointed preacher in charge of Short Mountain Circuit. At the close of this year he wrote: "I have great reason to thank God for his mercy and help during the year. We have had more than two hundred conversions. The circuit paid me all my claim, one hundred and fifty dollars, and gave me a fine suit of clothes. May God bless them!" It was while on Short Mountain Circuit, in 1854, that he began keeping a journal, which he continued to do for more than fifty-eight years, rewriting it when he was eighty-four years old. The manuscript of this journal, in clear, bold handwriting, is now in the hands of this writer. In the fall of 1854 he was sent to the Fayetteville Circuit, where he had another very successful year, with more than two hundred conversions, and where he met the young woman who afterwards became his wife. In 1855 Brother Cullom was sent to his first station, Springfield, where he served for two years, which was then the time limit for the pastorate. Here he left impressions, as this writer can testify, that the sixty years intervening have not been able to blot out. During this pastorate he bought a lot and built the first Methodist church in the town, the same lot on which the present magnificent structure is being built. Springfield at that time was famous for her saloons, and Robertson County for whisky as well as tobacco; but Brother Cullom, without in the least compromising principle, made friends with all. He visited the saloon keeper in his place of business, as well as in his home. Here is a quotation from his journal: "You disarm a man of his prejudices when you kindly enter his home, and he is apt to pay you back in kind by coming to church. I find by referring to my journal that one day, Monday, April 27,

1857, I called on forty-one families, and that was half the population of the town. This might be styled 'Legs *versus* Brains,' but in our itinerant system legs play a very important part." It would be impossible to follow in detail his various pastorates. I merely give the list: White's Creek Circuit, 1857-59; Harpeth Circuit, 1859-61; the full pastoral term in both cases. When the War between the States broke out, he enlisted as a private soldier. He says: "Most of the young men of my charge were enlisting, and their parents said they would feel easier if I would go with them. After mature deliberation, I fell into line as a private soldier and put on the uniform of the Wilson Guards." Soon he was elected chaplain of the Twenty-fourth Tennessee Regiment, serving in this capacity for about two years. Here he was the same loving, faithful man, sharing the privations of camp life, preaching to the soldiers at night, attending them in their tents when sick, comforting them when dying, writing letters home to their friends for the soldiers after they were dead. Two years of this kind of life caused his health to give down, and he resigned his chaplaincy and settled on a farm near Decatur, Ala., where he remained until the fall of 1866. However, he was not idle. He maintained regular preaching appointments and cultivated the farm to support his family. Brother Cullom never ceased to take interest in the old Confederate soldier. He had a roster of the Twenty-fourth Regiment, which he kept till the last, carefully noting the facts he could gather about each survivor of the war, just as he had before recorded the battles in which his regiment was engaged, with the killed and captured. In the fall of 1866, at the Conference which met in Huntsville, Ala., he was appointed to the Asbury Circuit, in Montgomery County, where he spent four years of the prime of his ministry, and where, later in life, he was returned and spent another four years, much to the delight of the people. In 1870 he was sent to the Montgomery Circuit for one year; then for four years he was presiding elder of the Sparta District (the last two years it was called Carthage District). At the close of his work on the district he was sent again, in 1875, to Springfield Station for a term of two years. Brother Cullom acceptably served several pastoral charges a second time, a thing not always easy to do. Asbury Circuit, as before indicated, he

served two full quadrenniums; Stone's River Circuit, four years and three, respectively; Springfield, twice; Beech Grove Circuit, twice; and when he was past seventy years of age he began and completed a very successful and popular quadrennium on the Wesley Circuit, in Williamson County. His last pastorate was the Almaden Mission. He knew how to take appointments of lesser grade and serve them gladly and well. To him no appointment was small, and there was nothing of petty jealousy in his make-up. When eighty years of age, the number and satisfactory character of his pastoral visits were such that a much younger man would have been put to his mettle to keep pace with him. I was his presiding elder the last year of his active ministry. As the year drew to a close, he sent me a report of his work and closed by saying: "I reckon my place is now on the roll of honor—superannuate." His people wanted him returned, and I so told him, but he thought it best to retire. Who can forget the scene when, at McMinnville in 1908, he asked for the superannuate relation? "Bishop," said he, "when I was a boy I used to go out into fields at harvest time and watch the reapers as they gathered the grain. Sometimes I would be called on to carry them a drink of water. Now, Bishop, my presiding elder tells me that it is not necessary that I retire, but I feel that it will be better; and if I may but sit by the roadside and watch the laborers, and if I may occasionally be permitted to carry them a gourd of water, I shall be satisfied." Though he ceased to "travel" in the technical sense, he really did more preaching after his superannuation than when he was in the pastorate. He was in great demand for funeral occasions and for revival services. On October 13, 1857, Brother Cullom was married to Miss Mary B. Isom, of Lincoln County, who was his helpmeet and companion for more than thirty years. Three sons and three daughters blessed this union and honor the memory of their father and mother and, in turn, are an honor to them. This wife died in 1888. After some years, he was married again to Miss Mattie Hyde, of Triune, Tenn., who for nearly twenty years made him a faithful wife, preceding him to the heavenly world just a little more than a year. Brother Cullom was not a great preacher as the world counts greatness, but he was great in the scriptural sense, in that he served and brought blessings to others.

He was sunshiny. He was a Christian all the way through and all the time. He professed the "higher life" in his Christian experience, though he gave no definite name to his experience. He lived the life of perfect love day by day. After a brief illness, he died on November 21, 1915, at Wilson, Ark., at the home of his son, Mr. Charles Cullom. His body was brought back to Triune, his home, where the funeral services were conducted in the Methodist church. People from all the surrounding country and the near-by towns were there. More than two thousand persons, by actual count, passed through the churchyard gates to testify to their love for him. Such a funeral in the country is rarely seen. The children from the public school furnished the music, singing his favorite songs, "I will sing of my Saviour and tell of his love" and "I want to go there, don't you?" After a simple service conducted by his pastor, Rev. W. T. S. Cook, Rev. T. C. Ragsdale, and the writer, the Masonic fraternity buried him with the honors of their order. How we missed our father in Israel this morning in the Conference love feast! For nearly twenty years no one else was thought of to conduct this service when he was present, and he was rarely absent. Heaven is brighter for his going, and many will say, "I want to go there, don't you?" Though we miss him, we do not weep for him. We say, rather, Thanks be unto God for his life and presence among us!—*George L. Beale.*

W. T. DYE was born at Warrenton, N. C., March 8, 1831. Like many others who have served with efficiency and fidelity in our ministry, he had the good fortune to be born and brought up in a Methodist parsonage, his father, Rev. George W. Dye, having been for many years an itinerant preacher in the Methodist Episcopal Church. He seems to have responded readily to the gracious influences of his Christian home, the record being that he was converted and united with the Church when he was thirteen years old. He was admitted on trial into the Tennessee Conference at Huntsville, Ala., in October, 1856, and continued in active service until his superannuation in 1903. Brother Dye was a faithful pastor and a preacher of much more than ordinary ability. He had the habits of a student, and under favorable circumstances would have become a great scholar. It is said that he read the Bible through seven times be-

fore preaching his first sermon, and that during his life he read it through many times on his knees. He was especially interested in the great fundamental Christian doctrines, and was one of the ablest expounders of Methodist theology our Conference has ever produced. In his character he showed a rare blending of strength and beauty. Always and everywhere he was a considerate, courteous Christian gentleman, and won all hearts by his gracious and kindly bearing. But he was also a man of deep conviction and high moral courage. His faith was heroic, and it was therefore not difficult for him to live the heroic life. In many of the charges where he served the work was hard and the salaries meager, but he endured both poverty and hardship without murmuring. He believed in his divine commission as a minister of Christ, and counted the sacrifices demanded of him as nothing in comparison with the honor of being permitted to serve as his Lord's ambassador. Like the patriarch of old, he walked with God. His prayer life was not fitful nor formal, but constant and vital. His eldest son, Mr. A. R. Dye, of Nashville, says that it was no uncommon thing for him in his boyhood to find his father on his knees in some quiet place about the house or barn. During his last illness, when apparently but semiconscious, he called his family about him and led them in a fervent prayer in which there was not the least suggestion of mental failure. His communion with God continued without interruption even when he was no longer able to hold fellowship with his friends on earth. He was ill for several months before his departure, but bore his increasing infirmities with the same serene and cheerful resignation with which he pursued his work in the vigor of his manhood. The last text from which he preached was 2 Timothy iv. 6-8. No more appropriate theme could have been selected for the closing message from the lips of this heroic and faithful servant of God. It is quite certain that the sermon he preached was not a eulogy upon his own life, but he must have felt the peculiar fitness of the dying message of the great apostle to his own case. For had not he also "fought the good fight, finished the course, kept the faith"? And those who know his manner of life cannot doubt that he was triumphantly confident as he faced the great change. The change came quietly on May 8, 1916, after a lingering illness.



His funeral services were conducted at South End Church, in Nashville, by the pastor, Rev. J. W. Pearson, and Dr. J. B. Erwin. Brother Dye was twice married. His first wife was Miss Sue Neblett Allen, of Clarksville, Tenn. Of this union six children were born, two of whom died in infancy. His oldest daughter, Mrs. George S. Dougherty, a noble Christian woman, loved and honored by all who knew her, died twelve years ago. The other three offspring of this union—namely, Mr. A. R. Dye, Mr. N. H. Dye, and Mr. G. W. Dye—survive. His second wife was Miss Alice Harding, of Shelbyville, Tenn. She is still living and has four surviving children—Mrs. Brandon and Messrs. W. T., Harding, and J. A. Dye. To all his dear ones we extend our sincere sympathy, while at the same time congratulating them on being the heirs of a spiritual inheritance so rich as that which was bequeathed to them by this noble husband and father.—*E. B. Chapell.*

**JOHN RANSOM THOMPSON.**—In the translation of this saint the Tennessee Conference has lost one of its oldest members. This calamity was sudden, taking close friend and distant acquaintance equally by surprise. Our Brother Thompson had borne his threescore years and ten apparently with ease and robust vigor. He had been ill but a few days when the summons came to join the innumerable caravan of the dead. He was born near Thompson's Church in Rutherford County, on March 30, 1832. He was the son of Lawrence and Elizabeth Ransom Thompson, pioneer citizens of the State. The church near which Brother Thompson was born took its name from his father, who was one of its most enthusiastic founders and supporters. He was in his eighty-fourth year. Early in life he united with the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and was soon thereafter licensed to preach. In the communion of this Church he continued an honored member and minister until the day of his death. He received his literary training in the old Union University of Murfreesboro, and after his graduation he matriculated in the Law Department of Cumberland University, at Lebanon. He joined the Tennessee Annual Conference in the year 1859, but did not devote the great powers and energies of head and heart either to the practice of law or to the active work of the ministry. His chosen field of labor was the schoolroom, for

which he showed eminent fitness. He taught many years, but scored his most eminent successes at Spencer, in Van Buren County, at McMinnville, and at Soule College. Of this latter institution he was elected president about the year 1876, and continued in that office for about thirteen years. This noble, time-honored institution reached the very zenith of its popularity and usefulness under Brother Thompson's administration. Literally hundreds of girls and young women hurried hither from all over the State and distant places to be brought under the tuition and influence of this noble man and his wife and went away thoroughly furnished into the busy avenues of life as wives, mothers, and teachers. Brother Thompson was twice married. His first wife was Miss Lou Goodrich, who survived her wedding day but a brief period. He was then married to Mrs. Addie Hill Swann, which marriage occurred about forty years ago. With this elect lady he was destined to journey in that sweetest and closest relationship down through the years and never from her to be separated. She was a beautiful, cultured Christian woman, the very embodiment of neatness and correctness. She had that wonderful poise that rarely ever swayed from its equilibrium. She could adapt herself to the demands of a White House reception and in thirty minutes make a charming visit to the home of the suffering poor. They left no children; but the maternal and paternal instincts were not penned up within their bosoms, never to find an expression, for they reared and educated six or seven young women. In the death and burial of these two noble Christian people we have a clear example of the pathos of propriety. In their death and burial and funeral everything seemed to be just as it ought to have been. No improvement could possibly have been made. Both died the same day—Mrs. Thompson at 2 P.M. and Brother Thompson at 8:30 P.M. of Wednesday, January 12, 1916. With her poise and grace she preceded him into the celestial city just long enough to take by the arm her beloved companion when he came and introduce him to a few of the new acquaintances she had made. On Friday, January 14, 1916, at 10:30 A.M., both funerals were held together at the Murfreesboro Methodist Church by the pastor, Rev. W. W. Alexander, assisted by the presiding elder, Rev. W. H. Johnston, and their bodies

were buried in one grave at beautiful Greenwood Cemetery.

JOHN GILLENTINE MOLLOY, son of James and Clementine Molloy, was born March 12, 1842, in Van Buren County, Tenn. He was converted and joined the Church in 1858. At the breaking out of the War between the States, in 1861, young Molloy was in school at Burrett College, Spencer, Van Buren County, Tenn. The school closed on account of the war excitement on June 1, 1861. He, in company with his brother, D. M. Molloy, went immediately across the county line into White County, where a company was being made up for the Confederate service, and gave their names as members of said company. It was made Company C, in the Twenty-fifth Tennessee Regiment, which was organized at Livingston, Tenn., in June, 1861. This young man had his first experience of real war in the battle of Fishing Creek, where General Zollicoffer, the brigade commander, was killed and the Confederates were defeated. In this battle a ball passed through the clothes of young Molloy on his right shoulder, burning his skin, but he said the only damage done to him was to disfigure his coat. His command retreated from Fishing Creek to Murfreesboro. From this point they went to Shiloh and from there to Corinth, Miss., in which place they were in "a hard little fight," in which Rev. Austin W. Smith, of the Tennessee Conference, who was chaplain of the Twenty-fifth Tennessee Regiment, was severely wounded, and from which he never fully recovered. In June, 1862, Brother Molloy's command fell back to Tupelo, Miss. In August they went to Chattanooga. They were next with General Bragg in his Kentucky campaign and took part in the battle of Perryville, in October, 1862. They had a hard march out of Kentucky by way of Cumberland Gap. On this march young Molloy's shoes gave out; the ground was covered with snow for two days, and he was compelled to march through it shoeless. He said he suffered intensely. He was next in the battle of Murfreesboro, where he was wounded in the right side; but he was soon up and in search of his command, which he found without much difficulty. Later in the battle he was taken prisoner and sent to Camp Douglas. He was both lame and sick, and received no medical attention until after he had reached prison, where he was sick all the time, suffered much, and contracted a cough from which he

never recovered. He was in prison three months, but finally returned to his command at Tullahoma in April, 1863. On account of the state of his health he was sent from there to the hospital in Atlanta, but he had not been there long before he begged to go back to his command, and soon after reaching it he was in a fight at Hoover's Gap. A little later he was run over by a horse and his right foot crushed, from which he suffered almost daily to the time of his death. In the battle of Drury's Bluff, while ministering to a dying comrade, his command left him on the battlefield, and he fell into the hands of his enemies again. It was a surprise to him that he was not killed, for the balls were falling all about him; but he finally got back to his command. He was in some hard fights in Virginia, in one of which he was left on the field wounded and sick and, as a result, was again captured by the enemy. From there he was sent to Fort Delaware, where all the prisoners received rough and unkind treatment. He said: "I went into the war because I thought it was my duty to defend my country. I tried to be a true soldier on the battlefield, in camp, and on the march. I tried also to be a true Christian soldier and thought I succeeded admirably, but I can see now where I made sad mistakes. I thought I was too honest to take part with the boys who would slip out and rob chicken roosts or kill a hog or a sheep, but I did other acts which I think now were as bad, though I don't remember ever once to have thought of these being any worse than the things I did till since I began to reflect. . . . I am heartily sorry and truly wish I could right any wrong I have ever committed in the war or out of it." The war over and matters somewhat readjusted, Brother Molloy was licensed to preach, and in October, 1872, he was admitted on trial into the Tennessee Conference at McKendree Church, Nashville, Tenn. As a member of the Conference he served the following charges: Gainesboro Mission, 1872-73; Statesville, 1873-77; Sparta Circuit, 1877-80; Manchester, 1880-81; Hickory Creek, 1881-83; Liberty, 1883-85; Cumberland Circuit, 1885-86; Carthage Circuit, 1886-87; Lynnville, 1887-89; Diana, 1889-90; Prospect, 1890-92; Pisgah, 1892-94; Culleoka and Hurricane, 1894-96; Richland Circuit, 1896-98; Cornersville, 1898-99; Greenland, 1899-1901; Williamsport Circuit, 1901-04; Pope and Greenbrier Circuit and Theta Mission,

1904-05; Theta Mission, 1905-06. The foregoing appointments mark the time and tell the story in official outline of his active ministry as an itinerant preacher. In the fall of 1906 he took the superannuate relation, and continued therein until the day of his death, which occurred April 7, 1916. His funeral service was held at East End Church by Revs. W. B. Lowry, W. B. Taylor, W. V. Jarratt, and T. A. Kerley. He was buried at Lynnville, Tenn. Brother Molloy was a man of great moral and physical courage, as his life as a Christian, as a soldier, and as an itinerant Methodist preacher abundantly testifies. This is manifest from the dangers he faced, the hardships he endured, and some things he suffered in silence. The things of life hurt him as they hurt other men, but he bore them without murmuring. I was a witness to one of these experiences, and my admiration for him was increased because of the spirit he revealed. It was a test of the real Christian and the true preacher, and in both he measured up to a high standard. The Christian character and the ministerial ideal were both held in very high esteem by him, and he strove earnestly to hold up both to a high degree in his life. For himself he held and measured up to high ideals. He was not noisy or obtrusive either as a Christian or as a preacher, but he had decided convictions on all questions with which he had to do; and when the time came for expression of them in words and acts, he went on record in no unmistakable way. When questions arose about which good men differed, he decided for himself which was right; and if one failed to agree with him, he did not lose his respect or forfeit his friendship on account of such disagreement. He had a keen sense of the responsibilities of life, and in view of this he was very much in earnest, both as a Christian and as a preacher. He did not indulge in flattery either in preaching or in conversation. On the other hand, he was not rude, coarse, or abusive. He was well poised and aimed at good for all with whom he had to deal, both as a man and as a preacher. He endeavored to lead all devoted to the right rather than to himself. He was not of that small class who are known as "popular preachers and pastors," creating for himself a personal following. He spurned all thought of even remotely planning to return to his old charge for popular funerals and noted marriages.

When he left his charge, he was content to turn it over to his successor. During the years of his superannuation he was a tower of strength in the quiet walks of the Christian life. This period of his life was spent in affiliation with Spring Hill, Hobson, and East End Churches. I was associated with him at the latter place for three and a half years. In all of this time he was faithful. If not present at Sunday school and the eleven-o'clock service, it was because he was preaching elsewhere or was not physically able to attend. His presence was always highly appreciated, and his quiet contribution to the service was felt. His prayers were rarely ever fluent, but they were models of petition, praise, and thanksgiving. They breathed the spirit and furnished a helpful form of Christian worship. There was no attempt to instruct the Lord, neither did he take occasion in his prayers to flatter the Church or individuals. I never heard him single out individuals of position and influence and commend them in flattering terms. With him public prayer was to lead the devotions of the congregation where all are on an equality with common needs and defects; neither were there any expressions or forms of petition or praise in his prayers indicating undue familiarity with the Lord. In the matters here mentioned his prayers are worthy of serious thought. It is sad to think that he will no more answer the roll call. We miss him, and we shall miss him more. He succeeded in rearing a family that were a blessing to all the communities in which they have lived. The characteristics of this home are simplicity, sincerity, politeness, and correct living. He has left behind to mourn their loss a widow, son, and daughter. The son is an honored member of the Tennessee Conference, and the daughter is a successful teacher in the Nashville city schools. The widow is quietly meeting the responsibilities of life in the home. "Well done, good and faithful servant: thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things: enter thou into the joy of thy Lord."—*T. A. Kerley.*

ROBERT ALLEN REAGAN was born in Madison County, Ala., June 15, 1837. His father died when he was only five years old. His mother and he moved to Mississippi, where he spent his early manhood. He was married to Miss Mary McFerrin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. L.

McFerrin, of Woodbury, Tenn., in 1864. Brother Reagan had two children, Mrs. C. B. Moseley, of Seattle, Wash., and Mrs. Jerome Duncan, of Fort Worth, Tex. Mrs. Reagan died on October 8, 1875, and was buried in Shelbyville, Tenn. In 1898 Brother Reagan was married to Mrs. Martha Boggess, of Roseburg, Oregon. She died several years ago. He was admitted on trial into the Tennessee Conference in October, 1860, at Clarksville, Tenn., Bishop Pierce presiding. He was admitted into full connection and elected a deacon in 1862, but was not ordained, there being no bishop present. Dr. J. B. McFerrin was elected President of the Conference for that year; Brother Reagan was elected an elder, and was ordained both deacon and elder by Bishop Kavanaugh, at Tulip Street Church, in what was then Edgefield, Tenn. Brother Reagan served the following charges: In 1860-61 he was junior preacher on the Linden and Tennessee River Mission, with Benjamin F. Smith as preacher in charge. He was appointed to Short Mountain in 1861-62 and to Woodbury in 1862. There were no Conferences held in 1863-64, on account of the War between the States. In 1865, when the Conference met again, Brother Reagan was sent to Woodbury, where he was stationed in 1862. As he married there in 1864, it is probable that he served that charge as best he could, under the circumstances, from 1862 until 1866. In 1866 he was sent to the Somerville Circuit, in Alabama, which was at that time in the bounds of the Tennessee Conference. In 1867-69 he served the Carthage Circuit. From 1869-74 he was supernumerary. At the Conference in October, 1874, he became effective and was sent to the Rich Valley Circuit, where he remained for two years. He was sent to the Cornersville Circuit in 1876, Winchester Station in 1877, and Cheatham Circuit in 1878. In 1879 he was stationed at North High Street, Nashville. In 1883 he served Manchester and Tullahoma; from 1884 to 1887, Tracy City; and from 1887 to 1890, Lynchburg and Mulberry. At the Conference in 1890 he was transferred to the East Columbia Conference, where he remained until 1907. During that time he served as presiding elder seven years. I presume that he was pastor the remaining time. In 1907 he was received into the Tennessee Conference by transfer from the East Columbia Conference, and was sent to the Coalmont Mission, where he remained two years. In 1909 he was sent

to the Winchester Mission and served one year, and in 1910 he was sent to the Napier Circuit. In 1911 he was superannuated, and continued in that relation until the day of his death, which occurred at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Jerome Duncan, in Fort Worth, Tex., September 4, 1916. The funeral service was held by Revs. W. T. Gray and H. B. Henry. His remains were taken for interment to Hillsboro, Tex., where his son-in-law, Rev. Jerome Duncan, is buried. For many years I was intimately associated with Brother Reagan and knew him well. He was in my home much for several weeks when his daughter, Mrs. C. B. Moseley, was staying with us, while having her eyes treated. I got an insight into his loving and tender ministry to her and learned of his fatherly concern for the other daughter, who was separated from him, on account of the death of his wife and the affliction of the sister. He did for these all he could, in the way of education and otherwise, and succeeded well in equipping them for life. They both married preachers and are serving well the Church, one as a missionary for several years in the foreign field. They, with their children, feel keenly the loss of father and grandfather. As a preacher Brother Reagan was earnest and efficient. He was faithful and successful as a pastor and maintained his interest in the work of the Church to the end. It is said by one who knew him well in his last years: "He was a man who grew old in years, but not in spirit. He was an optimist at all times and never allowed himself to feel that there was nothing left for him to do. He enjoyed the ministry of Rev. C. G. Chappell and helped him with pastoral visiting and in every other way he could, always with a joyous gratitude to be of service in any way." Brother Reagan had a light stroke of paralysis early in July, 1916, but rallied sufficiently to be up and walk around the house; but the last ten days before the end he seemed to lose strength, and gradually faded away. He never suffered any pain, and died as peacefully as if going to sleep. A good, faithful man has entered into rest.—*T. A. Kerley.*

THOMAS REAU CURTIS, son of Edward and Eliza J. Curtis, was born in old Spring Hill, Marengo County, Ala., January 31, 1852. He was converted and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in 1870, and admitted on trial into the Texas Conference in 1875. He re-



mained in this Conference three years, when, on account of ill health, he transferred to the Los Angeles Conference. Here, during eighteen years of faithful service, he filled some of the most important appointments, both as pastor and presiding elder. In 1895 he transferred to the Tennessee Conference, where he rendered efficient service to the day of his death, July 22, 1916, while closing his fourth year as pastor of our Church in Bellbuckle, Tenn. Brother Curtis was one of our truest and best men; a man well furnished by nature, grace, and training for the work of the ministry. He obtained his early training in Centenary Institute, Summerfield, Ala., under Dr. John Massey. All his life, even to the day of his death, he was a close student. Having accumulated one of the best libraries in our Conference, he was, though in his sixty-fifth year, as fresh and vigorous in his thought and ministrations as many of the most studious of our younger men. He was a man of solid piety and sound judgment; wise, constructive leadership was the outstanding feature of his entire ministry. In the pulpit he was strong and persuasive; in the sickroom, gentle and sympathetic; in the social circle, cultured and refined; while in his home he was a prince. But few men have given to the Church and society a more highly cultured Christian family than he. Brother Curtis was a man of high ideals. In all relations of life he aimed at the highest and the best. It was always an inspiration to sit with him in the shadow of those lofty peaks which marked the expanse of his laudable ambition. While he was a man of vision, he was not visionary. If his vision ever faded, it was because he had, as with the skill of a master, transmuted it into practical life. In the sixty-fifth year of his age, and at the close of the forty-first year of his ministry, the summons came and found him busy at his Lord's work. He was in his pulpit on Sunday, July 16, and passed away the following Saturday morning. In coöperation and fellowship with other pastors of the town, all arrangements had been made for a union revival meeting to begin July 23, the day of his funeral. He died in the harness and at his post of duty. Truly it can be said of him:

"Servant of God, well done!

Thy glorious warfare's past;

The battle's fought, the race is won,

And thou art crowned at last."

The funeral services were conducted by the writer, assisted by Rev. W. H. Johnston, his presiding elder, and the local pastors of the town; all of which took place in the pulpit from which Brother Curtis preached his last sermon the Sabbath before. While he has quit the works of men, his influence will abide. The ties of memory, love, and friendship are not broken by the hand of death. These are graces ordained of God to cheer us in our time of loneliness until we shall see his face again. His death was just an incident in the long eternity of life. He has only changed mansions (or worlds) in our Father's house (the universe). It is only a step. There we shall see him again.—*W. B. Taylor.*

THOMAS LIPSCOMB MOODY, son of Rev. Samuel Shaw and Mrs. Letitia Cannon Moody, was born on November 30, 1842. Five children were born and reared in the exemplary Christian home from which he came. Miss Mary Erwin Moody went from earth to heaven in 1876, at the age of twenty-one years. Their mother passed into her heavenly home in 1880, when she was sixty-three years old. Samuel Shaw Moody, Jr., was taken in May, 1902, at the age of fifty-two years, from San Antonio, Tex., where he was then living. He was struck by a street car, and the injury was instantly fatal. They were all members of the Methodist Church.. In fact, all of the Moody family connection have been Methodists as far back as they can remember or have information. The Hon. C. J. and Dr. G. W. Moody, of Shelbyville, Tenn., are the only surviving members of their immediate family. Dr. Samuel Shaw Moody was one of the most distinguished members of the Tennessee Conference in his day. He was a member of the famous General Conference of 1844. His portrait may be seen in McKendree Church, where it hangs among those of the former pastors of that great Church. Thomas L. Moody was well born and well bred; and, as an almost innumerable host would testify, he served his generation well. In early childhood he joined the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in Shelbyville, Tenn., where he kept his Church membership until it was transferred to the Church triumphant in heaven. He was admitted on trial into the Tennessee Annual Conference at Athens, Ala., in October, 1861, nearly two months before he was nineteen years old, and stationed at Cornersville, Tenn.,



where the next session of the Conference was held. He was the host of the Annual Conference the first year of his ministry. His itinerant ministry lacked only a few days of fifty-five years. It is said that he missed the roll call of his Conference only twice, once when he was transferred to California and once while he was pastor in Shelbyville, his home town, where he was conducting a revival of such importance that his presiding elder insisted that he should not leave it. Those who knew him best have the impression that during the fifty-five years of his active ministry he missed only one appointment, and then his physician forbade his going. He was married on February 2, 1892, to Mrs. Lou Simpson, of Sparta, Tenn. She was a faithful, affectionate, and helpful companion. They lived and labored happily together for more than twenty-four years. She survives him and mourns his departure with a sense of bereavement so deep that it could not be borne without the grace of God. On Saturday, September 23, 1916, as usual, he entered upon the labors of a busy day. Pastoral calls, visiting the sick, collecting subscriptions to the Conference claims, and the transaction of some private business, were all crowded into the morning hours. He started from the Culleoka railroad station toward the parsonage, a short distance away, between ten and eleven o'clock, and was struck fatally by the engine of a train that was coming in behind him. The writer cannot explain this tragic occurrence. Perhaps it cannot be explained satisfactorily by any one on earth. But he was under the providential care of our heavenly Father, who numbers the hairs of our heads and without whose notice a sparrow shall not fall to the ground. There heaven and earth met, the gates of heaven opened, and our beloved brother entered into the inheritance which he had sought so earnestly and so long. The funeral services were conducted by the writer, assisted by Rev. D. E. Hinkle and others, from the Methodist Church at Shelbyville, Tenn.; and his body was tenderly placed in the cemetery of his fathers. "Know ye not that there is a prince and a great man fallen this day in Israel?" The first intelligence of his sudden departure suggested these appropriate words to the writer before he had even thought of being officially connected with either the funeral service or the written memoir. The words of our Lord concerning Nathanael also

came to mind: "Behold an Israelite indeed, in whom there is no guile." He had power with God and with men and prevailed. In character he was sublimely great. Character is interpreted through purpose. His whole life revealed the power of a dominant and holy purpose. His heart was fixed, trusting in the Lord. He was abundant in those negative qualities that make the soul great. He purposed in his heart that he would not defile himself with anything that would lower the standard of holy living or counteract the efficiency of the gospel that he preached. In the activities of life he was positively great. He applied himself with all diligence. There was no dissipation of his logical powers. The fact that he missed only two roll calls at Conference and scarcely missed an appointment in the field is in itself an index to greatness. His power of endurance was remarkable. Physically, he was not robust, but he was always effective, and he was continually at work. He had the courage of an unrelenting martyr and the acumen of a far-seeing prophet, the hope of an untiring pilgrim and the luster of a luminous poet, the logic of a practical philosopher, the loyalty of a royal, intrepid soldier, and the humility and grace of an attractive and lovable saint. Character is interpreted also through ideals. "As a man thinketh in his heart, so is he" in his life. Brother Moody's ideals were high and inspiring; his faith was simple and yet sublime. In all his conduct he was true to his ideals of high and holy living. The Great Teacher said: "The works that I do in my Father's name, they bear witness of me." This is literally true in every life. Men are known and remembered by what they have done. Efficiency is the practical test. Efficiency depends upon preparation. The man who is diligent in preparation is likely to be abundant in resources. Brother Moody was a great man in the matter of efficiency. Careful preparation for every service that he was to render was his invariable rule. He was trustworthy in all of his relations to God and men. His brethren trusted him. All who knew him trusted in him. God, who called him into the ministry of his Son, trusted him because he was worthy of the confidence of God and men. He was skillful in all the offices of the Christian life because he "studied to show himself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be

ashamed." His prudence and skill were as well known as the man himself. He leaves a monument to his labors in his splendid catechism on the Bible, which many regard as the best catechism that we have. He was great in the matter of adaptability. He was one of our field hands. He could adapt himself readily to any place and do any work. Some men are great preachers, but they cannot adapt themselves to small places. Some men are efficient in the pulpit and very inefficient in the pastorate. Some men specialize in the work. Methodism is a poor field for specialists. The need is for men who can do all the work of the traveling preacher. Specialists often make the work hard on men who are not specialists. Brother Moody did all the work of a traveling preacher and did it well. His appointments varied in their character. He traveled some of our best districts as presiding elder. He was preacher in charge of stations large and small. He did circuit work also. And he always seemed as much at home and as much interested at one place as another. He made full proof of his ministry. Whether he was always the choice of the people he served or not, he was certainly able and efficient everywhere. His was the greatness of final success. He fought a good fight and achieved the victory. He was faithful in all his work and finished it with glorious achievements. He received the treasures of the Christian faith and kept them unsullied to the end. He was not without conflicts and disappointments. There were dark days in his life. Sore discouragements beset him. In all these he overcame. With the patience of a saint and the courage of an apostle he endured as seeing Him who is invisible. In all of his conflicts, of whatever character, he came off more than conqueror by the grace of God. "He that overcometh shall inherit all things; and I will be his God, and he shall be my son." The rewards upon which he has entered are far beyond our present comprehension. He was at last taken from the midst of a noble and admiring people who were devoted to him and whose love for him was as the aroma of precious ointment poured forth. He left to them and to all of us the legacy of a good name, which is "rather to be chosen than great riches." He left us suddenly when he was alone. There was "no moaning of the bar" when he "put out to sea, . . . no sadness of farewell" when he embarked. Some last word,

some final message, would have been precious to us, but it was unnecessary. His whole life was the last word of genuine assurance. His heart was pure, his life was clean, and he was ready. His Christian character was one of God's masterpieces. True memories of him will assure his brethren that their "labors are not in vain in the Lord."

"'Servant of God, well done!'

Rest from thy loved employ;  
The battle fought, the victory won,  
Enter thy Master's joy.'  
The voice at [midday] came;  
He started up to hear;  
A mortal arrow pierced his frame:  
He fell, but felt no fear."

—Herschel B. Reams.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called, one by one, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### Clarksville District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Adams Circuit .....	2	422
Antioch Circuit .....	2	650
Asbury Circuit .....	1	659
Ashland City Circuit .....	1	692
Barren Plains Mission .....	...	251
Big Rock Circuit .....	...	382
Cedar Hill Circuit .....	...	453
Clarksville: Forrest Street and St. Bethlehem .....	...	315
Madison Street .....	2	823
Indian Mound Mission .....	...	393
Montgomery Circuit .....	...	336
New Providence and Bethel .....	...	326
Palmyra Mission .....	...	323
Pleasant View and Mallory's .....	...	519
Red River Circuit .....	...	612
Southside Circuit .....	...	668
Springfield .....	1	440
	7	8,264

#### Columbia District.

Bigbyville and Olivet .....	...	300
Chestnut Grove Circuit .....	1	681
Columbia .....	...	840
Culleoka and Glendale .....	...	267
Dellrose and Shiloh .....	...	410
Diana Circuit .....	...	538
Elkton and Bee Springs .....	...	595
Lynnville and Taylor's .....	...	341
Mooreville and Bryant's .....	...	293
Olivet and Pleasant Valley .....	...	400
Pisgah Circuit .....	1	744
Prospect and Bethel .....	...	306
Pulaski .....	1	833
South Columbia Mission .....	...	218
Trinity and Aspen Hill .....	...	438
	3	7,204

*Dickson District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Bellsburg Mission .....	1	268
Bold Spring Mission .....	1	147
Centerville .....	2	325
Charlotte Circuit .....	1	378
Cumberland City Circuit .....	1	411
Cumberland Furnace Circuit....	3	402
Dickson .....	3	419
Dickson Mission .....	1	175
Dover Circuit .....	1	507
Erin Circuit .....	2	430
Goodrich Mission .....	1	319
Liberty Mission .....	1	214
Little Lot Circuit .....	1	291
McEwen Circuit .....	4	538
Pisgah and Ebenezer .....	1	334
Standing Rock Circuit .....	1	305
Stewart Mission .....	1	349
Tharpe Mission .....	1	192
Waverly .....	1	297
Waverly Circuit .....	2	354
White Bluff Circuit .....	1	399
Yellow Creek Circuit .....	12	388
	32	7,442

*Fayetteville District.*

Bethlehem and Shiloh .....	1	171
Blanche Circuit .....	1	513
Cornersville and New Hope....	1	328
Decherd and Estill Springs Mis- sion .....	4	356
Fayetteville .....	1	498
Hillsboro Circuit .....	1	368
Huntland Circuit .....	2	423
Lewisburg .....	1	481
Lincoln Mission .....	1	248
Lynchburg Circuit .....	1	393
Marble Plains Circuit .....	2	450
Medium and Ebenezer .....	1	245
Monteagle Mission .....	1	159
Mulberry Circuit .....	1	365
Pelham Circuit .....	1	408
Petersburg Circuit .....	1	268
Pleasant Hill Mission....	1	405
Rich Valley Circuit .....	1	210
Shelbyville .....	1	508
Tracy City Mission .....	1	435
Union and Beech Grove.....	1	268
Unionville Circuit .....	1	323
Winchester .....	1	316
	15	8,139

*Franklin District.*

Almaville Mission .....	1	233
Antioch Circuit .....	1	288
Bethesda Circuit .....	1	306
Brentwood .....	1	94
Chapel Hill Circuit .....	1	488
College Grove and Triune....	1	305
Eagleville Circuit .....	1	350
Epworth and Trinity .....	1	523
Farmington Circuit .....	1	602
Fernvale Mission .....	3	435
Franklin .....	1	642
Franklin Circuit .....	1	345
Nolensville Circuit .....	1	618
Santa Fe Circuit .....	3	631
Spring Hill .....	3	156
Theta Mission .....	1	479
Thompson Circuit .....	1	256
	14	6,751

*Gallatin District.*

Alex Green Circuit .....	1	288
Bethpage and Mount Vernon....	1	396

*Gallatin District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Castalian Springs Circuit.....	1	139
Cross Plains Circuit .....	1	732
Fairfield Circuit .....	1	450
Gallatin .....	2	524
Goodlettsville Circuit .....	1	529
Greenbrier Circuit .....	1	411
Hartsville Circuit .....	1	655
Hendersonville Circuit .....	1	310
Hermitage Circuit .....	1	473
Jordonia Circuit .....	1	302
Lafayette Mission .....	1	83
McKendree Mission .....	1	130
Oakwood Mission .....	1	500
Portland and Fountain Head....	1	293
Sumner Circuit .....	1	287
Westmoreland and Pleasant Grove .....	1	336
White House Circuit .....	1	417
	45	7,255

*Lebanon District.*

Alexandria and Watertown .....	1	336
Algood Circuit .....	3	700
Bethlehem and Fredonia .....	2	250
Cainsville Mission .....	2	215
Carthage Circuit .....	1	293
Celina Mission .....	1	137
Chestnut Mound Circuit .....	2	428
Cookeville .....	1	511
Crossville Circuit .....	2	427
Dycus Circuit .....	1	655
Gainesboro Mission .....	1	163
Gordonsville Circuit .....	1	400
Granville Circuit .....	1	301
Jacob's Hill Circuit .....	1	413
Jamestown Mission .....	3	88
Keltonsburg Mission .....	1	229
Lebanon .....	1	646
Lebanon Circuit .....	4	463
Liberty Circuit .....	1	384
Livingston .....	1	275
Monterey and Crawford .....	1	281
Mount Pisgah Mission .....	1	277
Oak Hill Circuit .....	1	334
Rome Mission .....	1	340
Smithville Mission .....	1	270
	28	8,816

*Mount Pleasant District.*

Clifton Mission .....	1	83
Enterprise Circuit .....	3	275
Ethridge Circuit .....	1	492
Flatwoods Mission .....	1	204
Gillis Mills Mission .....	1	235
Hampshire and Cross Bridges..	1	362
Hohenwald Mission .....	1	156
Lawrenceburg .....	1	276
Linden Circuit .....	1	346
Lobelville Mission .....	1	369
Loretta Mission .....	2	422
Mount Auburn Mission .....	1	494
Mount Pleasant .....	1	514
Napier Circuit .....	1	362
Russell Mission .....	1	138
Savannah .....	1	191
Savannah Mission .....	1	259
Waynesboro Mission .....	1	283
West Point Circuit .....	1	424
Williamsport Circuit .....	2	409
	14	6,294

*Murfreesboro District.*

Bellbuckle .....	1	284
Bon Air and Clifty .....	1	327

*Murfreesboro District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Doyle Circuit .....	1	269
Hickory Creek Circuit .....	1	573
Manchester and Morrison .....	2	471
Manchester Mission .....	1	382
McMinnville .....	...	310
McMinnville Mission .....	1	376
Murfreesboro .....	1	728
Murfreesboro Circuit .....	...	427
Rockvale Circuit .....	...	458
Smyrna and Hollandale .....	...	243
Sparta .....	...	360
Sparta Mission .....	...	281
Stone's River Circuit .....	1	670
Summitville Mission .....	...	334
Tullahoma .....	1	358
Walnut Grove Circuit .....	1	319
Wartrace Circuit .....	2	413
Woodbury Mission .....	...	193
	12	7,824

*Nashville District.*

Nashville: Alex Erwin .....	1	340
Arlington .....	...	97
Belmont .....	3	320
Bellevue and Buffalo .....	...	232
Blakemore Mission .....	1	332
Buchanan Street Mission .....	...	180
Carroll Street .....	1	518
Centenary Mission .....	3	338
East End .....	...	897
Elm Street .....	...	486
Hobson .....	2	471
Humphreys and Fillmore Street Mission .....	...	231
McFerrin Memorial .....	1	681
McKendree .....	5	946
Monroe Street .....	...	515
Park Avenue .....	1	208
South End .....	...	463
Trinity .....	1	221
Tulip Street .....	3	1,171
Waverly Place .....	2	523
West End .....	1	967
West Nashville .....	4	807
Winn's Chapel Mission .....	1	128
Woodbine .....	1	390
	31	11,462

*Recapitulation.*

Clarksville District .....	7	8,264
Columbia District .....	3	7,204
Dickson District .....	32	7,442
Fayetteville District .....	15	8,139
Franklin District .....	14	6,751
Gallatin District .....	5	7,255
Lebanon District .....	28	8,816
Mount Pleasant District .....	14	6,294
Murfreesboro District .....	12	7,824
Nashville District .....	31	11,462
Total this year .....	161	79,451
Total last year* .....	150	75,395
Increase .....	11	4,056

\*The total of members last year was misprinted 75,305 instead of 75,395; increase, 185.

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 32. Yes.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 5. Yes.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 691.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 3,831.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 85.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 3,184.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 625.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 5,259.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 58,372.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$9,500.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$10,298.43. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$15,571; Home and Conference Missions, \$13,723. Total, \$29,294.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$8,922.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$11,157.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$1,340.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$18,914; preachers in charge, \$143,930.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$2,847.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 702; houses of worship, 629.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$1,913,739; indebtedness, \$63,509.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 202; parsonages, 170.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$329,105; indebtedness, \$24,832.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 10; district parsonages, 7.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$23,800; indebtedness, nothing reported.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 2; amount of damage, \$595.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$839,265; premiums paid, \$4,917; losses sustained, \$595; collections on losses, \$595.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Martin College: Value of property, \$96,000; endowment, \$30,000; professors, 18; pupils, 208. W. T. Thomas School: Value of property, \$10,000; professors, 3; pupils, 135.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 1,164; Conference organ, 3,301.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? John E. Edgerton.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Gallatin, Tenn.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### CLARKSVILLE DISTRICT.

*J. T. Blackwood, P. E.*

Adams Circuit, J. R. Simpson.  
Antioch Circuit, P. G. Johnson.  
Asbury Circuit, R. D. Hill.  
Ashland City Circuit, L. Hosale.  
Barren Plains Mission, M. B. Williams.  
Big Rock Circuit, R. R. Langston, supply.  
Cedar Hill Circuit, John L. Chenault.  
Clarksville: Forrest Street and St. Bethlehem Circuit, J. D. Hewgley.  
Madison Street Station, J. W. Cherry.  
Indian Mound Mission, R. E. Justice, supply.  
Montgomery Circuit, F. L. Hawkins.  
New Providence and Bethel Circuit, B. T. Smothermon.  
Palmyra Mission, I. W. Keathley.  
Pleasant View and Mallory's Circuit, J. R. Reeves.  
Red River Circuit, W. H. Lovell.  
South Side Circuit, G. L. Hensley.  
Springfield Station, D. M. Ausmus.  
Commissioner for the Washington City Church, J. D. Hewgley.

#### COLUMBIA DISTRICT.

*W. B. Lowry, P. E.*

Bigbyville and Mount Olivet, J. M. Horn.  
Chestnut Grove Circuit, I. N. Hulme.  
Columbia Station, W. B. Ricks.  
Culleoka and Glendale Station, J. T. Brown.  
Dellrose and Shiloh, F. G. Dickson.  
Diana Circuit, W. L. Nelson.  
Elkton and Bee Springs Memorial, W. H. Beasley.  
Lynnville and Taylor's Station, G. W. Nackles.  
Mooresville and Bryant Circuit, J. B. Cheek.  
Olivet and Pleasant Valley Circuit, W. H. Williams.  
Pisgah Circuit, W. M. Cook.  
Prospect and Bethel Circuit, J. K. Lee.  
Pulaski Station, J. J. Stowe.  
South Columbia Mission, R. M. Chenault.  
Trinity and Aspen Hill Circuit, R. S. Tinnon.  
Commissioner for the Washington City Church, R. S. Tinnon.

#### DICKSON DISTRICT.

*E. L. Gregory, P. E.*

Bellsburg Mission, Omar Charles.  
Bold Spring Mission, J. N. Handlin.  
Centerville Station, J. S. Rice.  
Charlotte Circuit, W. L. Harwell.  
Cumberland City Circuit, J. J. Mabry.  
Cumberland Furnace Circuit, E. L. Knowles.  
Dickson Station, B. F. Isom.  
Dover Circuit, T. R. Clendenin.  
Erin Circuit, J. W. Faires.  
Goodrich Mission, D. G. Leidig.  
Liberty Mission, F. C. Bain.  
Little Lot Circuit, J. H. Whitfield.  
McEwen Mission, C. S. Wilson.  
Pisgah and Ebenezer, I. W. Parrish.  
Standing Rock Mission, J. E. Poole.  
Stewart Mission, J. O. Crawford.  
Tennessee City Mission, W. H. Gilbert.  
Waverly Circuit, A. Z. Mayes.  
Waverly Station, H. W. Seay.  
White Bluff Circuit, R. L. Allen.  
Yellow Creek Circuit, P. R. Russell; D. B. Raulins, junior preacher.  
Commissioner for the Washington City Church, B. F. Isom.

#### FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

*H. B. Reams, P. E.*

Bethlehem and Shiloh, G. W. Baxter, supply.  
Blanche Circuit, J. G. Harper.



Coleman Mission, W. B. Cates, supply.  
Cornersville and New Hope, L. W. Stewart.

Decherd and Estill Springs Mission, J. T. Cotton.

Fayetteville Station, J. F. Beasley.

Grundy Mission, J. E. Thomas.

Hillsboro Circuit, W. F. Burden.

Huntland Circuit, C. P. Givens.

Lewisburg Station, N. B. Tucker.

Lincoln Mission, W. M. Blaylock, supply.

Lynchburg Circuit, A. W. Barr.

Marble Plains Circuit, Ophni Charles.

Medium and Ebenezer, to be supplied.

Monteagle Station, R. B. Burks, supply.

Mulberry Circuit, W. E. Couser.

Pelham Circuit, C. F. Bell.

Petersburg Circuit, C. M. Epps.

Pleasant Hill Mission, P. B. Freeman.

Rich Valley Circuit, J. C. Whitson.

Shelbyville Station, D. E. Hinkle.

Tracy City Station, T. M. Wilson.

Union and Beech Grove, F. H. Coleman.

Unionville Circuit, W. B. Josselyn.

Winchester Station, J. P. Luton.

Commissioner for the Washington City Church, N. B. Tucker.

#### FRANKLIN DISTRICT.

*W. J. Collier, P. E.*

Almaville Mission, J. R. Stevens, supply.

Antioch Circuit, R. W. Seay.

Bethesda Circuit, C. S. Gabard.

Bethlehem Circuit, B. J. Rochelle.

Brentwood and Johnson, J. E. Woodward.

Chapel Hill Circuit, J. W. Hensley.

College Grove and Triune, W. T. S. Cook.

Eagleville Circuit, John A. Allison.

Epworth and Trinity, W. H. Baird.

Farmington Circuit, M. K. Harwell.

Franklin Station, W. S. Taylor; P. A. Sowell, Sup.

Greenbrier Mission, A. N. Doyle, supply.

Nolensville Circuit, T. M. Dent.

Santa Fe Circuit, Robert Waite; J. R. Holmes, Sup.

Spring Hill Station, A. P. Walker.

Theta Mission, O. C. Haley.

Thompson's Circuit, W. W. Pullen.

Missionary to Japan, W. K. Matthews.

Commissioner for the Washington City Church, A. P. Walker.

#### GALLATIN DISTRICT.

*W. L. Jackson, P. E.*

Alex Green Circuit, Allen Miller.

Bethpage and Mount Vernon, E. R. McCord.

Castalian Springs Circuit, M. R. Hays.

Cross Plains Circuit, S. M. Ensor.

Fairfield Circuit, G. D. McReynolds.

Gallatin Station, R. H. Hudgens.

Goodlettsville Circuit, J. J. Ransom.

Greenbrier Circuit, W. F. Powers.

Hartsville Circuit, John O. Ensor.

Hendersonville Circuit, C. C. Hinkle.

Hermitage Circuit, Dow A. Ensor.

Jordonia Circuit, W. L. Armstrong.

McKendree Mission, Neal D. Frazier, supply.

Oakwood Mission, W. R. Wilson.

Portland and Fountain Head, J. L. Taylor.

Sumner Circuit, B. J. Duncan.

Westmoreland and Mission, J. F. Morelock.

White House Circuit, J. L. B. Cash.

Commissioner for the Washington City Church, E. R. McCord.

#### LEBANON DISTRICT.

*H. B. Blue, P. E.*

Alexandria and Watertown, T. H. Gilbert.

Algood, Fred B. Cox.

Cainsville Mission, J. Webster.

Carthage Circuit, W. C. Folks; J. B. Jordan, Sup.

Celina Mission, E. U. Robinson.

Chestnut Mound Circuit, J. L. Smothermon.

Cookeville Station, R. J. Craig.

Crossville Circuit, Robert Hall.

Dycus Circuit, Elisha Henry, supply.

Gainesboro Mission, O. P. Gentry.

Gordonsville Circuit, J. W. Swann.

Granville Circuit, Elijah Robinson.

Jacob's Hill Circuit, W. M. Lantrip.

Jamestown Mission, J. W. Madewell.

Keltonsburg Mission, L. F. Dickens, supply.

Lebanon Circuit, W. F. Springer.

Lebanon Station, John Durrett; T. H. Hinson, Sup.

Liberty Circuit, J. B. Estes.

Livingston Circuit, E. A. Doyle, supply.

Monterey and Crawford, S. M. Keathley.

Mount Pisgah Mission, W. L. Brown.

Oak Hill, J. W. Syler.

Rome Mission, W. M. Martin.

Smithville Mission, A. R. Gibbons.

Commissioner for the Washington City Church, W. F. Springer.

#### MOUNT PLEASANT DISTRICT.

*T. W. Noland, P. E.*

Clifton Mission, J. B. Spurlock.

Enterprise Circuit, S. H. Parkes.

Ethridge Circuit, W. J. Wilson.

Flatwoods Mission, J. M. E. Neal, supply.

Gillis Mills Mission, Lonnie Freeman, supply.

Hampshire and Cross Bridges, J. R. Wright.  
 Lawrenceburg Station, George R. Allen.  
 Linden Circuit, B. S. Fielder.  
 Lobelville Mission, Asa D. Thompson, supply.  
 Loretta Mission, C. M. Charles.  
 Mount Auburn Mission, W. C. Mathis, supply.  
 Mount Pleasant Station, H. M. Jarvis; L. R. Long, Sup.  
 Hohenwald and Napier, T. A. Carden.  
 Savannah Station, J. R. Parsons.  
 Savannah Mission, B. P. Staggs, supply.  
 Tennessee River Mission, Frank Haley, supply.  
 Waynesboro Mission, W. C. Charles, supply.  
 West Point Circuit, T. J. Clark, supply.  
 Williamsport Circuit, W. O. Largen.  
 District Evangelist, John S. Henley.  
 Commissioner for the Washington City Church, W. O. Largen.

## MURFREESBORO DISTRICT.

*W. H. Johnston, P. E.*

Bellbuckle Station, C. T. Carter.  
 Bon Air and Clifty Mission, G. S. Duncan.  
 Cumberland Circuit, G. W. Angel, supply.  
 Doyle and Mount Gilead Circuit, O. H. Lane.  
 Hickory Creek Circuit, A. L. Hodge.  
 Manchester and Morrison, W. A. Stroud.  
 Manchester Mission, R. J. Tucker, supply.  
 McMinnville Mission, J. H. Settle.  
 McMinnville Station, A. J. Morgan.  
 Murfreesboro Circuit, R. A. Skelton.  
 Murfreesboro Station, W. W. Alexander; T. A. Covington, Sup.  
 Rockvale Circuit, H. A. Davis, supply.  
 Smyrna and Hollandale, M. J. Mabry.  
 Sparta Mission, R. C. Crosslin, supply.  
 Sparta Station, C. R. Wade.  
 Stone's River Circuit, D. T. Reed.  
 Summitville Mission, O. L. Green, supply.  
 Tullahoma Station, George L. Beale.  
 Walnut Grove Circuit, J. T. Parsons.  
 Wartrace Circuit, E. W. Brown.  
 Woodbury Mission, J. C. Crocker, supply.  
 Commissioner for the Washington City Church, W. W. Alexander.

## NASHVILLE DISTRICT.

*W. B. Taylor, P. E.*

Nashville: Alex Erwin, G. E. Eubank.  
 Arlington Station, J. F. Tinnon.  
 Belmont Station, B. L. Lyle.  
 Bellevue and Buffalo, J. M. Putnam.

Nashville: Blakemore Mission, M. P. Woods.

Buchanan Street Mission, W. J. Walkup.  
 Carroll Street, F. E. Alford.

Centenary, O. A. Kirby, supply.

East End Station, J. A. Molloy.

Elm Street, W. Weakley; E. C. Atkins, Sup.

Hobson Station, E. P. Anderson; T. A. Matthews; Sup.

Humphreys and Fillmore Street Mission, A. E. Prince, supply.

McFerrin Memorial, E. M. Steel.

McKendree, T. C. Ragsdale.

Monroe Street, P. D. Freeman.

Park Avenue Mission, J. F. Baggett.

Sixty-first Avenue Mission, T. S. Culom.

South End, J. W. Pearson.

Trinity, T. B. Fisher.

Tulip Street, W. T. Haggard.

Waverly Place, T. A. Kerley.

West End, G. A. Morgan; A. H. Shannon, Sup.

West Nashville, W. V. Jarratt.

Winn's Chapel, G. W. Davenport, supply.

Woodbine, W. E. Doss.

Chaplain in United States Navy, W. E. Edmonson.

Professor in Vanderbilt University, W. F. Tillett.

Sunday School Editor, E. B. Chappell.

Agent of Superannuate Endowment Fund, John R. Stewart.

Agent of Sunday School Board, W. M. Green.

General Missionary Secretary, W. W. Pinson.

Secretary of Y. M. C. A., A. M. Trawick.

Interchurch College, J. E. McCulloch.

Conference Secretary of Education, E. P. Anderson.

Missionaries to Cuba, B. F. Gilbert, M. M. Stewart, W. M. Mullen.

Commissioner for Hospitals, A. E. Clement.

Assistant Spanish Translator, G. B. Winton.

Conference Evangelist, H. T. Allen.

Commissioner for Emory University, E. M. Harrell.

Commissioner for the Washington City Church, J. A. Molloy.

Field Agent for Paine College, E. C. Atkins.

*Transferred.*—G. L. Gilbert, to the East Oklahoma Conference; Paul B. Kern, to the North Texas Conference.

# LOS ANGELES CONFERENCE.

FORTY-SEVENTH SESSION.

HELD AT PHOENIX, ARIZ., OCTOBER 11-16, 1916.

BISHOP LAMBUTH, *President*; EUSTACE ANDERSON, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. J. Alva Andrews and Edward Elliott Wall. 2.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? James Monroe Risinger. 1.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? R. H. O'Barr. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Gross Wilbur Alexander. 1.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? W. H. Duncan, an elder, from the New Mexico Conference; F. L. Glisson, a deacon, from the North Arkansas Conference; O. L. Russell, an elder, from the Pacific Conference; C. A. Hyatt and A. L. Marshall, elders, from the Western North Carolina Conference; A. T. O'Rear, an elder, from the Western Virginia Conference. 6.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? None.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? R. K. Acuff. 1.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Gross Wilbur Alexander. 1.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Gross Wilbur Alexander. 1.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Wilbur Basil Wheeler. 1.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Wilbur Basil Wheeler. 1.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? William J. Burtcher and J. Allen Ray, at their own request; G. L. Horine. 3.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? P. R. Raymond and W. A. Youngman. 2.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? John W. Allen, T. L. Duke, and C. S. Perry. 3.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? C. C. Thompson. 1.

CHRISTOPHER C. THOMPSON, son of Greenville and Rebecca M. Pauley Thompson, was born in Virginia on April 8, 1858. His parents being devout Christians, he grew up under spiritual influences that made deep and lasting impression upon his life. He often remarked that he could not recall the time when he did not wish to be a Christian. At the early age of four years he had a place for secret prayer in a grove near his home, which place he held sacred all through life; and whenever visiting his childhood home in all the years following, it was his custom to go to this place of his heart's early devotion, where, as he testified, the Lord always refreshed him in a most wondrous manner. There were few schools in the section of the State where he lived, and the opportunity for mental training was far from what it now is; yet he went out and worked, and, though the wages were meager, he spent the larger part for books which he diligently read and reread that he might prepare for a larger life. He felt with his whole heart that God had truly called him into the ministry of the Word. In 1884 he was admitted on trial into the traveling connection of the Western Virginia Conference, and was appointed to Charleston Circuit. He was ordained deacon at Charleston, W. Va., October 17, 1886, by Bishop Duncan. He served the Elizabeth Circuit 1886-87; Grayson Station, Kentucky, 1888-89. He was ordained elder by Bishop Wilson on September 8, 1889, at Catlettsburg, Ky. In 1890 he was transferred to the Denver Conference and stationed at Walsenburg. He returned at the close of that year to the Western Virginia Conference and was stationed at Huntington, W. Va. In 1892 he was transferred to the West Texas Conference and stationed at Uvalde. From here he was transferred to the Western North Carolina Conference, where he served charges in Asheville, Rutherfordton, and Lenoir, N. C. In 1904 he was transferred to the Pacific Conference and stationed at Sacramento, from which place he was sent to Ukiah, where he remained three years, and then was sent to Merced; spending but one year at this place he

was transferred to the Southwest Missouri Conference, and was stationed at Swope Park in Kansas City, Mo., where he spent four years, during which time a parsonage was completed and a new church edifice begun. In 1912 he was transferred to the Los Angeles Conference and stationed at Pomona, Cal. At the end of one year he was appointed to Park Place Church, San Diego, Cal., to begin what seemed to promise a most helpful and pleasant pastorate; but only a few months had gone by when his health began to fail. Through the year of untold pain he held on, longing and striving to be well again that he might be about the Master's work, even rendering more efficient service than ever before. At our Conference session in October, 1914, he asked for the superannuate relation and it was granted him. The best medical aid that could be secured was employed, but the baffling malady could not be arrested. From his bed of suffering and the wheel-chair in which he sometimes was rolled about as the weary months went by, he preached to and exhorted those who visited him with a fervency of spirit and a deep solicitude which showed that above all else he desired the spiritual welfare of all. The writer visited him often, and heard him say repeatedly: "Whatever will bring more glory to thee, O heavenly Father—suffering, pain, sickness, health, life, or death—this I would have to be my will." After a surgical operation performed in San Diego, Cal., he fell asleep Sunday morning, March 12, 1916, and began life afresh where Sabbaths never end. The funeral services were held in the Park Place Methodist Church, San Diego, Cal., where a host of those who loved him, to whom he administered, and who had ministered to him so tenderly through all his days of suffering, had gathered. At his own request the services were conducted by his presiding elder and Rev. C. Raymond Gray. His body was laid to rest in beautiful Inglewood Cemetery, Los Angeles, Cal., in the presence of many of his brethren in the ministry and his personal friends. The burial service was read by Revs. C. P. Moore and J. T. French. Brother Thompson was married in 1881 to Miss Victoria Artrip, of West Virginia. To this union four children were born, all of whom died in infancy but one son who survives—Dr. Joseph K. Thompson. His wife died in 1890. In 1893 he was married to Miss Ella Mc-

Clure, of Missouri. To this union one child was born—Mary Mildred, who died in infancy. The surviving wife and son are assured of the sympathy of the members of our Conference. Brother Thompson was a strong and fearless preacher of the gospel, with his own peculiar way of arranging and delivering his sermons, which were preached in demonstration of the Spirit and with striking effect. In a most devout, earnest, and painstaking way he read first the Bible, then great books, and in the same spirit prepared and delivered his sermons. There was nothing of the light and frivolous about his work—all was wrought out as seeing Him, who is invisible, and manifestly with a deep sense of His divine presence. He was genuinely converted, delighted to testify that God's Spirit witnessed with his own that he was born of God. It was the supreme joy of his life to preach on the great Bible themes. The awful fact of sin, the all-atoning blood, the Christ who saves to the uttermost and cannot fail; and in the strength of these mighty truths, with his faith in the Christ, he lived a life not of earth, suffered with a fortitude of colossal Christian proportions, and experienced a victory masterful and complete. We can but think of him alive—not dead.

"Servant of God, well done!

Thy glorious warfare's past;  
The battle's fought, the race is won,  
And thou art crowned at last."

—Robert P. Howell and others.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? The name of each was called in open Conference and his character passed.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Los Angeles District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Bolsa .....	...	10
Carpinteria .....	...	60
Downey .....	1	160
Duarte .....	1	51
Long Beach .....	1	185
Los Angeles: Bethel.....	...	33
Hollywood .....	...	69
Marvin .....	...	127
Trinity .....	...	1,103
Woodlawn .....	2	106
Newport .....	...	26
Norwalk .....	...	116
Pomona .....	2	200
Redlands .....	1	82

Los Angeles District (Continued).

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
San Bernardino .....	264	
San Diego .....	238	
Santa Ana .....	393	
Talbert .....	28	
Ventura .....	111	
Thermal: West Side .....	39	
	8	3,401

Arizona District.

Ajo and Gila .....	8	
Alhambra and Tempe .....	47	
Clifton .....	47	
Duncan .....	28	
Liberty .....	71	
Morenci .....	213	
Nogales .....	62	
Parker .....	39	
Phoenix: Central .....	4	627
Bethel .....		219
Cartwright .....		155
Prescott .....		123
Ray .....		37
Safford .....		17
Verde .....		40
	4	1,733

Recapitulation.

Los Angeles District .....	8	3,401
Arizona District .....	4	1,733
Total this year .....	12	5,134
Total last year .....	16	5,287
Decrease .....	4	153

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 2; yes.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 1; yes.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 55.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 140.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 27.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 783.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 40.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 493.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 6,286.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$1,500.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it

been applied? \$1,137. Distributed by the Joint Board of Finance.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$1,250; Home and Conference Missions, \$2,263. Total, \$3,513.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$784.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$350.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$71.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$3,133; preachers in charge, \$26,715.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$204.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 41; houses of worship, 35.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$1,544,900; indebtedness, \$1,132,622.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 36; parsonages, 25.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$50,200; indebtedness, \$5,900.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 2; district parsonages, 2.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$10,000; indebtedness, \$4,000.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Church damaged, 1; amount of damage, \$800.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$701,780; premiums paid, \$527; losses sustained, \$800.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Assessment paid, \$355.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 82; Conference organ, 281.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? A. H. Davidson, Phoenix, Arizona.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Santa Ana, Cal.



Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### LOS ANGELES DISTRICT.

*R. P. Howell, P. E.*

Azusa, to be supplied.  
Bolsa, to be supplied.  
Carpinteria, W. O. Waggener.  
Downey, George S. Clark.  
Duarte, to be supplied.  
Long Beach, G. T. Bond.  
Los Angeles: Bethel, J. B. Rice.  
Marvin, W. L. Whisnant.  
Trinity, C. C. Selecman.  
Bellevue, St. Paul's, and Hollywood, two to be supplied.  
Woodlawn, C. M. Cagle.  
Newport, J. Alva Andrews.  
Norwalk, T. B. Lavender.  
Pomona, James T. French.  
Redlands, George C. Harris.  
Santa Ana, A. T. O'Rear.  
San Bernardino, L. J. Millikan.  
San Diego, C. R. Gray.  
Talbert, to be supplied.  
Thermal: West Side, to be supplied.  
Ventura, E. E. Wall.  
Sunday School Field Secretary, C. P. Moore.  
Conference Evangelist, A. F. Stem.  
Conference Missionary Secretary, L. J. Millikan.

#### ARIZONA DISTRICT.

*D. Scarborough, P. E.*

Alhambra and Littleton, W. B. Wheeler.  
Bowie and San Simon, to be supplied.  
Clifton, J. R. Sawyer, supply.  
Cochise Circuit, to be supplied.  
Duncan, J. M. Risinger.  
Liberty, W. H. Duncan.  
Morenci, R. N. Sanders.  
Nogales, B. H. Mobley.  
Parker, S. C. Bockmon.  
Phoenix: Central, W. J. Sims.  
Bethel, Eustace Anderson.  
Cartwright, O. L. Russell.  
Prescott, J. F. Hedgpeth.  
Ray, E. L. Fitch.  
Safford, to be supplied.  
Scottsdale, Gross W. Alexander.  
Verde Circuit, R. K. Acuff.  
Wilcox, to be supplied.  
Maricopa County Missionary, R. H. Fields.  
Conference Missionary Evangelist, George W. Forman.  
Student in Southern Methodist University, J. Coy Williams.  
Conference Secretary of Education, J. F. Hedgpeth.

*Transferred.*—W. J. Lee, W. H. Nelson, to the Pacific Conference; A. L. Marshall, C. A. Hyatt, to the Montana Conference; Robin Gould, to the Missouri Conference.

### GERMAN MISSION CONFERENCE.

FORTY-THIRD SESSION.

HELD AT EAST BERNARD, TEX., OCTOBER 18-21, 1916.

BISHOP MORRISON, *President*; F. W. RADETSKY, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. None.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? L. F. Jordan, in first year. 1.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? V. C. Storch, at his own request. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? None.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? None.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? None.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? A. R. Vetter. 1. G. W. Muennink remains in the class of the third year.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? H. Jordan. 1.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? F. Mumme. 1.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? None.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? They are.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### *Eastern District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Bellville and Peters .....	...	41
Cibolo and Lauda .....	...	37
East Bernard .....	...	127
Elm Creek .....	...	96
Grassyville .....	2	112
Houston: Bering Memorial.....	1	202
Ebenezer .....	1	75
Maxwell and Wade .....	...	50
New Braunfels .....	...	43
New Fountain .....	3	165
Rabke and Cuero .....	...	57
San Antonio .....	1	97
Yancey .....	...	53
	8	1,155

#### *Western District.*

Bartlett and Beyersville .....	1	62
Fredericksburg .....	...	175
Harper and James River .....	1	96
Llano .....	3	161
Mason .....	1	147
	6	641

#### *Recapitulation.*

Eastern District .....	8	1,155
Western District .....	6	641
Total this year .....	14	1,796
Total last year .....	16	1,811
Decrease .....	2	15

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 2.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? None.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 112.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 25.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 12.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 394.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 30.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 249.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 2,344.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows, and orphans of preachers? \$500.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$462.95. Paid to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$823; Home and Conference Missions, \$938. Total, \$1,761.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$303.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$236.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$86.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$649; preachers in charge, \$7,403.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$98.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 27; houses of worship, 27.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$56,950; indebtedness, \$800.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 18; parsonages, 17.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$23,050; indebtedness, none.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 2; district parsonage, 1.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$3,200; indebtedness, none.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? None.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$43,787; premiums paid, \$126.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? None furnished.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the Gen-

eral organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 11; Conference organ, 416.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? J. H. Bohmfalk.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Mason, Tex.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### EASTERN DISTRICT.

*R. Moerner, P. E.*

Bellville and Peters, to be supplied.

East Bernard, O. W. Benold.

Elm Creek and Cibolo, J. F. Koch.

Grassyville, W. F. Buss.

Houston: Bering Memorial, F. W. Radetzky.

Ebenezer, G. W. Muennink.

Maxwell and Wade, H. O. Launch.

New Braunfels, E. A. Konken.

New Fountain, H. Jordan; P. H. Hensch, junior preacher.

Rabke and Cuero, F. Mumme.

San Antonio, D. G. Hardt.

Yancey, L. F. Jordan.

Editor of *Der Missionsfreund*, J. A. G. Rabe; Manager, P. H. Hensch.

#### WESTERN DISTRICT.

*C. A. Lehmberg, P. E.*

Bartlett and Beyersville, to be supplied by E. W. Bode.

Fredericksburg, A. R. Vetter.

Harper and James River, R. Gammenthaler.

Llano, H. W. Weise.

Mason, W. D. Wiemers.

Cherokee Junior College: C. A. Lehmberg, Instructor.

Conference Secretary of Education, R. Gammenthaler.

### PACIFIC CONFERENCE.

SIXTY-SIXTH SESSION.

HELD AT SAN JOSE, CAL., OCTOBER 18-23, 1916.

BISHOP LAMBUTH, *President*; L. P. SHEARER, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
ANSWER. None.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? John R. Kenney, James T. Allen, and B. G. Vaughan, in the class of the second year; Claud R. Fairfield and F. H. Holden, in the class of the first year. 5.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? Seibert Cain, Wesley L. Smith. 2.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? D. C. Williams. 1.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? W. J. Lee, elder, and W. H. Nelson, elder, from the Los Angeles Conference; A. L. Marshall, elder, and M. C. Hamilton, elder, from the Montana Conference. 4.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? None.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? C. T. Harwell and George O. Harwell. 2.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? S. Y. Whang. 1.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? S. Y. Whang. 1.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Robert C. Rhodes. 1.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Robert C. Rhodes. 1.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? C. W. Long, R. E. Nunn. 2.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? A. Adkisson, A. S. Cecil, George O. Harwell, H. A. Burns. 4.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? W. P. Andrews, J. M. Brown, Joseph Emery, Joel Hedgpeth, James Healey, Henry Neate, O. P. Noble, L. C. Renfro, J. F. Roberts, Jesse Wood. 10.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? A. Odom. 1.

REV. ALEXANDER ODOM.—Forsythe County, Georgia, May 4, 1841; Fresno County, California, February 20, 1916. These are the States and dates that mark the beginning and the end of the earthly history of one of the noblest of Georgia's sons, whom she has so generously given to conquer the West for God. The following is the substance of the historical data written by his own hand, at the suggestion of Sister Odom, a short while before he went up to God: Alexander Odom joined the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in 1854; converted in May, 1857; licensed to exhort in 1860; licensed to preach in October, 1867; served two years as a supply; received on trial in the North Georgia Conference in 1870; admitted into full connection and ordained deacon by Bishop Marvin in December, 1872; transferred to the Pacific Conference and put in charge of Millerton Circuit by Bishop Pierce in 1874; landed in Fresno, then a straggling village in the midst of sandy desolation, November 3, 1874, and began his ministry at Academy the following Sunday. Fresno had just been added to the circuit, and the name changed from Millerton to Fresno. During that or the following year he organized the First Methodist Church in Fresno. In 1876-77 he was stationed at Wheatland; was ordained elder at Santa Rosa by Bishop McTyeire in 1877; 1878-81, Knight's Landing; 1882, Maxwell; 1883-84, Linden; 1885-86, Fresno Circuit; 1887-90, Woodville; 1891, Dinuba; 1892, Isleton and Walnut Grove; 1893-95, Linden; 1896, Princeton; 1897-98, Colusa District; 1899-1900, Linden; 1901-04, Le Grande; 1905-08, Clovis; 1909-12, Orosi. At the Conference in October, 1912, failing health compelled our brother to cease from active work, and, with sad though willing hearts, his brethren put his name on the honor roll and granted him a superannuate relation. Rev. Alexander Odom and Miss Elizabeth Finley were united in holy bonds in Gordon County, Georgia, in 1861. Soon thereafter he heard the call of his country, and enlisted in the Confederate Army, serving through the awful war of 1861-65. To Brother and Sister Odom five daughters and four sons were born; and through the great mercy of God all of them, save Maggie who went home in 1877, were at his bedside at the last, tenderly ministering to him and sustaining and comforting their mother. It was a beautiful sight, and relieved the occasion of much of its sadness. For over fifty years these two

saints of God walked side by side in the way. It was fitting that they should celebrate their golden wedding at Orosi in 1911 in the church he had organized in 1890, and among the people who loved him so dearly. After his superannuation they came to Clovis to spend the evening of life among the people to whom he had given more years of service, during his long years of ministry, than to any other. Here he was near three of his daughters and one son, and within reach of all. Here also were many who had known him since he came to California, and many whom he had led to Christ. To Brother and Sister Odom was assigned the superannuate home, given by Brother Clifford, which at present is located at Tulare. Arrangements were made to sell the home at Tulare, and build at Clovis; but as yet the plans have not been carried into effect. It was his desire to see the home built here, and go from it to heaven. He had never had a home of his own since starting on his itinerancy, and his heart longed for a home he could call his own. When I came to Clovis, in November, 1913, Brother Odom, whom I had known and loved for over twenty years, received me as his own son, and sweet and blessed has been our fellowship since that time. Many heart talks we have had together, to my profit. Many thrilling and interesting experiences of "circuit riding" here in early days he told me, one of which I will try to reproduce. At one of the great camp meetings, held somewhere in the foothills of the San Joaquin Valley, the power of God came on the people in a marvelous way. Sinners were deeply convicted, mourners powerfully converted, and the saints made happy. After one of these pentecostal occasions he walked out on the sunny hillside, and as he walked he mused on the wonders of redeeming grace, when suddenly his soul was filled with the Holy Ghost and flooded with the glory of God in a way he had never experienced before. It seemed to him that heaven had come down and spread its light and beauty over hill and dale, and he cried out in rapture: "Surely this is perfect love!" He staggered under the weight of glory; it was almost more than mortal flesh could bear. As he related this to me, the fire came to his eyes, and his feeble frame shook with joy at the remembrance. He grew old gracefully. He was as near my ideal of a superannuate ripening for the skies as I ever met. "He was a good man, full of faith and the Holy Ghost;

and much people was added unto the Lord." A great concourse of people and many of his brethren followed his body to its resting place in Clovis Cemetery. He left his family no rich estate in gold or land, but he left a far richer heritage—the memory of a stainless career as a minister of the gospel for nearly fifty years. Amen!—*J. M. Weems.*

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters passed.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### Fresno District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Academy .....	65	
Bakersfield .....	126	
Chowchilla .....	33	
Clovis .....	282	
Coulterville .....	1	17
Delta View .....	2	248
Dinuba .....	2	134
Dos Palos .....	261	
Exeter .....	3	702
Fresno .....	3	702
Hanford .....	125	
Kingsburg .....	1	156
Le Grande .....	69	
Los Banos .....	108	
Madera .....	52	
Mariposa .....	182	
Merced .....	16	
Mineral King .....	177	
Modesto .....	1	154
Orosi .....	2	122
Sanger .....	309	
Selma .....	34	
Snelling .....	40	
Tuolumne .....	4	207
Visalia .....	14	3,619
West Park .....		

#### Sacramento District.

Anderson .....	1	76
Arbuckle .....		35
Chico .....		126
Colusa .....		152
Elliott Circuit .....	1	28
Elmira .....		42
Galt and New Hope .....		52
Gridley .....		38
Hanleyville .....		56
Isleton .....		12
Knight's Landing .....		41
Lincoln .....		78
Millville .....		57
Ono .....		36
Princeton .....		119
Red Bluff .....	3	107
Sacramento .....		235
Sutter and Grace .....		26
Williams and Maxwell .....		170
Willows .....		178
Winters .....		59
Woodland .....		84
Yuba City and Wheatland .....		89
	5	1,896

#### San Francisco District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Alameda .....		24
Berkeley .....		350
Boonville .....	1	33
Cloverdale .....		85
Gilroy .....		32
Healdsburg .....		101
Hollister .....	3	112
Hopland .....		9
Lakeport .....		179
Linden .....	1	114
Milton .....	1	74
Mountain View .....	1	50
Oakland .....	2	220
Petaluma .....	3	91
Potter Valley .....	1	47
Salinas .....		56
San Francisco .....	3	209
Santa Rosa .....	1	196
San Jose .....		342
San Lucas and Bradley .....		21
San Benito .....		17
Stockton .....	1	207
Ukiah .....	1	275
Upper Lake .....		151
	19	2,995

#### Oriental District.

Oakland: Japanese .....	12
Korean .....	8
Alameda: Japanese .....	47
Walnut Grove Circuit: Japanese .....	10
Dinuba: Japanese .....	70
San Francisco: Korean .....	35
Sacramento: Korean .....	9
Stockton: Korean .....	7
Mountain View: Korean .....	40
Monteca: Korean .....	7
Marysville: Korean .....	245

#### Recapitulation.

Fresno District .....	14	3,619
Sacramento District .....	5	1,896
San Francisco District .....	19	2,995
Oriental District .....		245
Total this year .....	38	8,755
Total last year .....	46	8,626
Increase .....		129
Decrease .....	8	

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 1.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? None.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 237.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 239.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 53.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 1,760.



Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 82.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 780.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 8,000.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$3,000.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$1,872. Paid to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$2,413; Home and Conference Missions, \$2,578. Total, \$4,991.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$1,284.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$642.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$125.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$4,767; preachers in charge, \$46,393.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$394.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 91; houses of worship, 81.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$620,678; indebtedness, \$16,133.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 73; parsonages, 62.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$124,510; indebtedness, \$4,075.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 4; district parsonage, 1.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$4,500; indebtedness, \$2,900.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Church damaged, 1; amount of damage, \$1,365.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$264,300; premiums paid, \$1,822; collections on losses, \$250.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? None.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 86; Conference organ, 976.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? S. L. Helsing, Selma, Cal.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Stockton, Cal.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### FRESNO DISTRICT.

W. R. Thornton, P. E.

Academy, to be supplied.

Chowchilla, to be supplied.

Clovis, W. J. Lee.

Coulterville, C. W. Huff, supply.

Delta View Circuit, W. J. Westfall, supply.

Dinuba, W. M. McClearn.

Dos Palos, H. C. Allen.

Exeter, C. P. Martin.

Fresno, Mark Hodgson.

Kingsburg, George S. Saunders.

Le Grande, D. C. Williams.

Los Banos, H. M. McKnight.

Madera, C. T. Harwell.

Mariposa, Claude Fairfield.

Merced, J. A. Wailles.

Modesto, Z. J. Needham.

Mineral King, J. M. Parker.

Orosi, J. M. Weems.

Sanger, H. M. Bruce.

Snelling, George W. Western, supply.

Tuolumne, J. F. Totten.

Visalia, A. L. Marshall.

District Missionary Evangelist, G. W. Rubush.

#### SACRAMENTO DISTRICT.

J. A. Batchelor, P. E.

Anderson, P. A. Black, supply.

Arbuckle, R. L. Sprinkle.

Chico, J. D. Allen.

Colusa, J. W. Byrd.

Elmira, B. E. H. Warren.

Elliott Circuit, to be supplied.

Galt and New Hope, John R. Kenney.

Gridley, E. A. Tabor, supply.

Henleyville, R. H. Wightman.

Isleton, S. E. Grenfell.

Knight's Landing and Grace, P. F. Page.

Millville Circuit, J. E. Wattenberg, supply.

Lincoln, T. A. Ray.

Ono Circuit, William Pierce, supply.

Princeton, L. C. Smith.  
 Red Bluff, G. M. Gardner.  
 Rockville Circuit, J. S. Simmons, supply.  
 Sacramento, H. V. Moore.  
 Wheatland, P. H. Talley.  
 Williams and Maxwell, J. B. Needham.  
 Winters, O. C. Coppage.  
 Woodland, D. Harrison.  
 Yolo and Zamora, C. C. Black.  
 Yuba City, W. H. Nelson.

#### SAN FRANCISCO DISTRICT.

*J. J. N. Kenney, P. E.*

Alameda, to be supplied.  
 Berkeley, J. A. B. Fry.  
 Boonville, G. O. Jewett, supply.  
 Bradley and San Lucas, S. C. Basham, supply.  
 Cloverdale, W. R. Haselden.  
 Gilroy, to be supplied.  
 Healdsburg, J. W. Horn.  
 Hollister, J. W. Taylor.  
 Hopland, J. F. Woodliff, supply.  
 Lakeport, M. Flanagan.  
 Linden, A. V. Harbin.  
 Milton, A. L. Paul.  
 Mountain View, L. J. Amos.  
 Oakland, Harold Govette.  
 Petaluma, J. T. Allen.  
 San Francisco: Fitzgerald Memorial, E. H. Mowre.  
 City Missionary, to be supplied.  
 San Jose: St. Paul's, J. E. Moore.  
 Willow Street, to be supplied.  
 Salinas, H. F. Beaver.

San Benito Circuit, to be supplied.  
 Stockton, L. S. Jones.  
 Ukiah, S. P. Pope.  
 Upper Lake, C. W. Watson.  
 Editor of *Pacific Methodist Advocate*, W. E. Vaughan.  
 Conference Missionary Secretary, L. S. Jones.  
 Sunday School Field Secretary, J. E. Squires.  
 • Commissioner for Memorial Churches, J. A. Batchelor.  
 Secretary of Board of Education, W. H. Nelson.  
 Special Missionary to Japanese at Seattle, U. G. Murphy.  
 Student in University of California, R. C. Rhodes.  
 Student in Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Tex., Harvey Holden.  
 Missionary to Congo Mission, Africa, T. E. Reeve.  
 Berkeley Bible Chair, J. A. B. Fry.

#### ORIENTAL DISTRICT.

*William Acton, P. E.*

Alameda, J. R. Fujii, supply.  
 Oakland and Dinuba, K. Ozaki, supply.  
 Walnut Grove Circuit, K. Imai, supply.  
 San Francisco and Port Missionary, David Lee, supply.  
 Sacramento Circuit, S. Y. Whang, supply.  
*Transferred.*—O. L. Russell, to the Los Angeles Conference; M. C. Hamilton, to the East Oklahoma Conference.

### WEST TEXAS CONFERENCE.

FIFTY-EIGHTH SESSION.

HELD AT UVALDE, TEX., OCTOBER 18-23, 1916.

BISHOP MOUZON, *President*; STERLING FISHER, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. Charles Edward Marshall, Cecil Madison Dunseth, George Davis Pickens, Charles Nixon, Elmer Amos Staggs, John N. McKay. 6. C. A. Campbell remains in this class.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? J. A. Boatman, D. G. Deckerd, Walter Dibrell, C. E. Rozzelle, A. M. Foster, W. L. Wall, L. W. Walker, H. W. Bennett, E. Homer Miller, L. U. Spellman. 10.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? R. E. Price, at his own request. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Milton Fly Hill, Harold S. Good-

enough, George F. Harris, G. G. Smith, George Traylor Hester, A. Frank Smith. 6.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? John C. Granbery, elder, and T. M. Dalton, from the Central Texas Conference; J. A. Foster, elder, from the New Mexico Conference; C. E. Rozzelle, in first-year class, from the Western North Carolina Conference; J. J. Mason and A. Frank Smith, in second-year class, from the North Texas Conference; Casper S. Wright, elder, from the Texas Conference; Felix R. Hill, from the

Louisiana Conference; Henry L. Dupree and J. K. Beery, from the Southwest Missouri Conference; A. N. Averytt, Jr., deacon, in fourth-year class, W. Vasco Teer, and Luther Roberts, from the East Oklahoma Conference. 13.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? William Edgar Tuttle, a local elder, from the Church of God. 1.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? John Thomas Butler, an elder, from the Church of the Nazarenes. 1.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? O. C. Crow, Roy G. Rader, G. T. Hester, J. G. Callihan, W. N. Carl, A. N. Averytt, Jr. 6.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Milton Fly Hill. 1. Harold S. Goodenough, George F. Harris, A. Frank Smith, and G. G. Smith are in this class, being already deacons. J. P. Watson remains in this class.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Milton Fly Hill, George Traylor Hester. 2.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? George Davis Pickens, J. C. Murley, Charles Edward Marshall, Louis Uhland Spellman, Raymond Locks, William E. Studor. 6.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? George Davis Pickens, Charles Edward Marshall, Louis Uhland Spellman, Raymond Edward Locks, William E. Studor. 5.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Oliver Martin Cole, Walter Martin McKinney, John Robert Robinson, George Leroy Keever, Henry Marvin Ratliff, Charles Lee McDonald, John Craig Campbell, and Ezequiel B. Vorgas, of the Texas Mexican Mission. 8.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Walter Martin McKinney, John Robert Robinson, George Leroy Keever, Henry Marvin Ratliff, Charles Lee McDonald, John Craig Campbell, Ernest Leonard Edgar. 7.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? Carl Herman Waltersdorf, Gilbert B. McLane, George Leonard Piler. 3.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? George Leonard Piler. 1.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year. L. E. Booth and W. W. Nunn, at their own request. 2.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? J. T. Weems, F. J. Perrin, V. G. Thomas, Peter I. King, J. T. H. Miller, R. L. Pyle. 6.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? A. G. Nolen, T. G. Woods, W. H. Killough, W. O. Shugart, W. J. Joyce, J. A. King, R. A. Holloway, H. T. Hill, N. W. Keith, J. T. Gillett, C. Williamson, J. M. Shuford, W. R. Campbell, H. G. Horton, V. V. Boone, F. A. Grimes, N. E. Bragg, R. D. Moon, J. D. May, W. R. Keathley, J. A. Foster. 21.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? None.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called, one by one, and their characters were passed, except O. F. Hatfield and D. E. Carr, who had surrendered their credentials and withdrawn from the ministry and membership in the Church.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Austin District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Austin: First Church .....	1	1,149
Fred Allen Memorial .....	...	171
Speedway Central .....	...	295
University Church .....	6	1,011
Ward Memorial .....	3	416
Bastrop .....	1	251
Columbus .....	...	125
Elgin .....	2	438
Eagle Lake .....	...	136
Flatonía .....	...	155
Garwood .....	1	144
La Grange .....	...	190
Liberty Hill and Leander .....	1	354
McDade .....	2	205
Manor .....	...	188
Smithville .....	...	365
Smithville Circuit .....	...	161
Weimar .....	...	191
Webberville .....	1	300
West Point .....	...	244
Walnut .....	...	91
	18	6,580

*Beeville District.*

Alice .....	1	188
Alice Circuit .....	...	100
Aransas Pass .....	...	154
Beeville .....	1	435
Beeville Circuit .....	...	89
Berclair .....	1	180
Brownsville .....	...	120
Bishop .....	...	275
Calallen .....	...	165
Corpus Christi: First Church .....	...	550
Mission .....	1	256
Edenburg .....	...	147
Falfurrias .....	...	134
Floresville .....	4	385
Gregory .....	...	223
Harlingen .....	...	119
Karnes City .....	...	166
Kenedy .....	2	230
Kingsville .....	...	280
Mathis .....	3	158
McAllen .....	...	204
Oakville .....	...	177

*Beeville District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Pharr .....		73
Raymondsville .....		90
Robstown .....		280
San Benito .....		151
Sinton .....	1	298
Skidmore .....		90
	14	5,717

*Cuero District.*

Cuero .....	1	272
Edna .....		308
El Campo .....		196
Ganado and Louise .....		140
Goliad .....		262
Hallettsville .....	1	198
Lavernia .....		279
Midfield .....		136
Nixon .....		290
Nursery .....		242
Palacios .....	4	278
Pandora .....	1	324
Port Lavaca .....	1	203
Provident City .....	2	149
Runge .....		335
Sea Drift .....	2	575
Smiley .....	1	302
Stockdale .....	1	332
Victoria .....	1	280
Victoria Mission .....		180
Yoakum .....		503
	15	5,784

*Lampasas District.*

Bertram .....	1	161
Burnet .....	1	239
Center City .....		263
Cherokee .....		100
Fredonia .....		335
Goldthwaite .....		278
Johnson City .....	1	260
Kempner .....		303
Lampasas .....		375
Llano .....	1	260
Llano Circuit .....		112
Lometa .....	2	210
Marble Falls .....		308
Mason .....		208
Mullen .....	1	168
Richland Springs .....	1	210
San Saba .....	1	352
San Saba Circuit .....	2	277
Star .....		177
Willow City .....		114
	11	4,760

*San Angelo District.*

Brady .....		313
Big Lake .....		52
Eden .....	1	126
Eldorado .....	1	227
Eola .....	2	148
Junction .....		245
Menard .....		
Midland .....	2	333
Miles .....	1	392
Ozona .....		170
Paint Rock .....		209
Rochelle .....		264
San Angelo: First Church .....	3	966
Chadbourne Street .....	2	180
Sherwood .....	1	172
Sonora .....		203
Sterling City .....	1	257
Water Valley .....		166
	14	4,423

*San Antonio District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Bandera and Medina .....	3	391
Boerne .....		75
Center Point .....	1	257
Jourdonton .....		210
Kerrville .....	2	205
Pleasanton .....		130
Poteet .....	3	155
San Antonio: Alamo .....		200
Alamo Heights .....		160
Denver Heights .....	1	257
Englewood .....		100
Government Hill .....		204
Laurel Heights .....	4	373
Los Angeles and Palm Heights .....		92
McKinley Avenue .....	3	475
Prospect Hill .....		345
Travis Park .....	3	1,432
West End .....	1	120
San Antonio Circuit .....	1	272
	22	5,459

*San Marcos District.*

Belmont .....	1	157
Blanco .....	1	239
Dripping Springs .....		155
Gonzales .....		393
Harwood .....		260
Kyle and Breda .....	1	286
Leesville .....		298
Lockhart .....		518
Luling .....		139
Lytton Springs .....		316
Manchaca .....	3	264
Martindale .....		150
San Marcos .....	1	950
Seguin .....	1	259
Staples .....	1	249
Waelder and Thompsonville .....		333
	9	4,966

*Uvalde District.*

Asberton .....		88
Batesville .....		128
Carriazo Springs .....	1	256
Cotulla .....		125
Crystal City .....	1	161
Del Rio .....		283
Devine .....		120
Dilley .....		268
Eagle Pass .....		103
Fowlerton .....		126
Hondo .....	1	284
Laredo .....		99
Lytle .....		199
Moore .....		
Pearsall .....		304
Rock Springs .....		118
Sabinal .....		201
Utopia .....		223
Uvalde .....	1	451
Yancey .....		137
	4	3,674

*Recapitulation.*

Austin District .....	18	6,580
Beeville District .....	14	5,717
Cuero District .....	15	5,784
Lampasas District .....	11	4,760
San Angelo District .....	14	4,423
San Antonio District .....	22	5,459
San Marcos District .....	9	4,966
Uvalde District .....	4	3,674
Total this year .....	107	41,363
Total last year .....	100	39,769
Increase .....	7	1,594

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 19.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 15.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 685.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 2,248.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 153.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 4,726.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 322.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 3,518.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 40,509.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$7,000.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$6,622. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$10,758; Home and Conference Missions, \$15,239. Total, \$25,997.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? 6,438.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$9,086.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$715.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$22,555; preachers in charge, \$155,584.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$1,894.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 406; houses of worship, 303.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$1,413,505; indebtedness, \$173,925.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 163; parsonages, 149.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parson-

ages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$279,585; indebtedness, \$18,514.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 8; district parsonages, 8.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$39,500; indebtedness, \$8,778.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 22; amount of damage, \$4,416.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$613,347; premiums paid, \$6,162; collections on losses, \$1,004.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Southern Methodist University: Value of property, \$2,082,598; endowment, \$212,194; professors, 45; pupils, 702. Southwestern University: Value of property, \$560,000; endowment, \$272,890; professors, 23; pupils, 927. San Antonio Female College: Value of property, \$165,000; professors, 16; pupils, 140. Coronal Institute: Value of property, \$125,000; professors, 14; pupils, 150.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 268; Conference organ, 2,933.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? M. A. Childers.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Corpus Christi, Texas.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### AUSTIN DISTRICT.

*Sterling Fisher, P. E.*

Austin: First Church, H. W. Knickerbocker; J. F. Perrin, Sup.

Fred Allen Memorial, B. W. Allen.

Hyde Park, E. H. Mays.

University Church, A. Frank Smith.

Ward Memorial, M. J. Allen.

Austin Circuit, J. M. Weatherford, supply.

Bastrop, Theophilus Lee.

Columbus, A. S. J. Haygood.

Eagle Lake, H. B. Atkins.

Elgin, J. E. Lovett.

Flatonia, J. E. Buck.

Garwood Circuit, G. T. Hester.

La Grange and Winchester, G. T. Gibbons.



Liberty Hill and Leander, R. E. Duke.  
 Manor, S. F. Goddard.  
 McDade Circuit, E. C. Wallace.  
 Smithville, F. A. White.  
 Smithville Circuit, to be supplied by C. F. Stewart.  
 Walnut Circuit, J. J. Mason.  
 Webberville Circuit, P. S. Wilson.  
 Weimer Circuit, Roy G. Rader.  
 West Point Circuit, L. N. Myers.  
 Vice President of Southern Methodist University, C. S. Wright.  
 Conference Evangelist, H. M. Whaling.  
 Commissioner for Superannuate Endowment Fund, H. E. Draper.  
 Professors in Southwestern University, H. L. Gray and John C. Granbery.

## BEEVILLE DISTRICT.

*T. F. Sessions, P. E.*

Alice, J. W. Black.  
 Alice Circuit, C. W. Perkins.  
 Aransas Pass, W. Vasco Teer; V. G. Thomas, Sup.  
 Beeville, W. T. Renfro; P. I. King, Sup.  
 Berclair Circuit, D. A. Ross.  
 Bishop, George F. Harris.  
 Brownsville, J. S. Bowles.  
 Calallen, E. A. Hunter; R. L. Pyle, Sup.  
 Corpus Christi, F. B. Buchanan.  
 Corpus Christi Mission, R. E. Locks, supply.  
 Edenburg, Milton F. Hill.  
 Falfurrias, J. H. Clark.  
 Floresville, W. N. Carl.  
 Gregory, E. Y. S. Hubbard.  
 Harlingen, J. H. Stuckey.  
 Karnes City, I. E. Wood.  
 Kenedy, T. N. Barton.  
 Kingsville, M. K. Fred.  
 Mathis, A. Y. Old.  
 McAllen and Mission, W. J. Brient.  
 Odessa, A. M. Foster.  
 Pharr, W. F. Hamner, supply.  
 Raymondsville, O. C. Crow.  
 Robstown, J. E. Morgan.  
 San Benito, J. F. Simpson.  
 Sinton, J. K. Beery.  
 Skidmore, C. E. Marshall.  
 Conference Secretary of Missions, F. B. Buchanan.  
 Missionary to Texas Mexican Mission, J. T. Butler.

## CUERO DISTRICT.

*A. W. Wilson, P. E.*

Cuero, J. W. Albritten.  
 Edna, N. G. Ozment.  
 El Campo, A. Guyon.  
 Ganado Circuit, J. H. Maxwell.

Goliad, W. A. Dunn.  
 Hallettsville Circuit, R. G. Flummer.  
 Lavernia Circuit, R. E. Parker.  
 Lolita, C. M. Dunseth.  
 Midfield Circuit, H. S. Goodenough.  
 Nixon, F. M. Jackson.  
 Nursery Circuit, L. U. Spellman.  
 Palacios, J. P. Garrett.  
 Pandora Circuit, S. J. Franks, supply.  
 Port Lavaca Circuit, N. W. Carter.  
 Provident Circuit, G. B. McLane, supply.  
 Runge, M. L. Darby.  
 Seadrift, W. L. Brandon.  
 Smiley Circuit, W. A. Hart.  
 Stockdale Circuit, E. G. Hocutt.  
 Victoria, C. Pugsley.  
 Yoakum, Gaston Hartsfield.

## LAMPASAS DISTRICT.

*Thomas Gregory, P. E.*

Bertram, C. W. Rylander.  
 Burnet, J. A. Pledger.  
 Center City, G. W. Strawn, supply.  
 Cherokee, C. L. McDonald.  
 Fredonia, J. R. Robinson.  
 Goldthwaite, I. T. Morris; J. T. Weems, Sup.  
 Johnson City, George G. Smith.  
 Kempner, J. P. Watson.  
 Lampasas, N. B. Read.  
 Llano, Luther Roberts.  
 Llano Circuit, D. G. Decherd.  
 Lometa, W. L. Wall.  
 Marble Falls, J. M. Lynn.  
 Mason, J. T. Tracy.  
 Mullin, to be supplied.  
 Richland Springs, Charles Nixon.  
 San Saba, Z. V. Liles.  
 San Saba Circuit, J. D. Farmer, supply.  
 Star Circuit, George L. Ryan.  
 Cherokee Junior College: C. L. McDonald, President; J. D. Dorsey, Financial Agent.

## SAN ANGELO DISTRICT.

*J. M. Perry, P. E.*

Barnhart Circuit, A. T. Cocke.  
 Brady, J. G. Forrester; J. T. H. Miller, Sup.  
 Eden Circuit, C. G. Hill.  
 Eldorado Circuit, T. M. Dalton.  
 Eola Circuit, E. A. Staggs.  
 Junction Circuit, J. C. Campbell.  
 Menard Circuit, J. A. Boatman.  
 Midland, J. W. Cowan.  
 Miles, C. W. Hardon.  
 Ozono, A. T. White.  
 Paint Rock Circuit, C. E. Rozzelle.  
 Rochelle Circuit, W. D. Williamson.  
 San Angelo: First Church, J. F. Webb.

San Angelo: Chadbourne Street, G. L. Keever.  
 Sherwood Circuit, Walter Dibrell.  
 Sonora, S. C. Dunn.  
 Sterling City Circuit, J. D. McWhorter.  
 Water Valley Circuit, E. Homer Miller.

#### SAN ANTONIO DISTRICT.

*J. H. Groseclose, P. E.*

Bandera and Medina, J. W. Childers.  
 Boerne, R. S. Adair.  
 Center Point, J. H. Meredith.  
 Jourdanton, W. M. McKinney.  
 Kerrville, S. W. Kemerer.  
 Pleasonton, Henry L. Dupree.  
 Poteet, E. A. Potts.  
 San Antonio: Alamo, J. F. Lawlis.  
 Alamo Heights, J. N. Rentfro.  
 Denver Heights, J. W. Rowland.  
 Government Hill, S. L. Batchelor.  
 Laurel Heights, Felix R. Hill, Jr.  
 Los Angeles Heights and East End, J. D. May.  
 McKinley Avenue, S. B. Beall.  
 Prospect Hill, H. M. Ratliff.  
 South Side, Lewis McVea.  
 Travis Park, C. W. Webdell.  
 West End, C. M. Rabe.  
 San Antonio Circuit, J. D. Scott.  
 President of San Antonio Female College, J. E. Harrison.  
 Editor of *Texas Christian Advocate*, W. D. Bradfield.  
 Missionary to Texas Mexican Mission, J. A. Phillips.  
 Sunday School Field Secretary, A. E. Rec-  
 tor.  
 Conference Evangelist, R. A. Waltrip.

#### SAN MARCOS DISTRICT.

*J. T. Curry, P. E.*

Belmont Circuit, E. L. Edgar.  
 Blanco Circuit, L. A. Alkire.  
 Dripping Spring Circuit, O. M. Cole.  
 Gonzales, L. C. Matthis.  
 Harwood Circuit, to be supplied.  
 Kyle and Buda, R. A. Rowland.  
 Leesville Circuit, M. P. Morton.  
 Lockhart, A. L. Scarborough.  
 Luling, W. F. Weeks.

Lytton Springs Circuit, J. R. Goodloe.  
 Manchaca Circuit, H. B. Owens.  
 Martindale Circuit, J. D. Worrell.  
 San Marcos, D. E. Hawk.  
 Seguin, J. F. Pennybacker.  
 Staples Circuit, W. L. Hightower.  
 Waelder and Thompsonville, J. T. King.  
 Missionary to Texas Mexican Mission, D. A. McCune.  
 Coronal Institute: V. A. Godbey, Presi-  
 dent; A. N. Averyt, Vice President.  
 Commissioner for Coronal Institute, J. W. Shoemaker.  
 Professor in Coronal Institute, C. A. Campbell.

#### UVALDE DISTRICT.

*S. B. Johnston, P. E.*

Batesville, J. N. McKay.  
 Big Wells, W. G. Callihan.  
 Carrizo Springs, M. Williamson.  
 Cotulla, R. S. Pierce.  
 Crystal City, B. A. Myers.  
 Del Rio, E. E. Swanson.  
 Devine, S. M. Hull.  
 Dilley, P. B. Summers.  
 Eagle Pass, C. E. Wheat.  
 Fowlerton, to be supplied.  
 Hondo, J. W. Long.  
 Laredo, W. L. Barr.  
 Moore, W. H. H. Biggs.  
 Pearsall, J. M. Alexander.  
 Pearsall Circuit, W. A. Manley.  
 Rock Springs, L. W. Walker.  
 Sabinal, Robert Paine.  
 Sansom, H. W. Bennett.  
 Utopia, J. C. Winkle.  
 Uvalde, G. M. Boyd.  
 Yancey, A. B. Davidson.  
 Conference Evangelist, J. C. Wilson.  
 Missionary to Texas Mexican Mission, George D. Pickens.  
 Conference Secretary of Education, Geo. M. Boyd.

*Transferred.*—R. P. Shuler, O. T. Cooper, and E. H. Crandall, to the North Texas Conference; L. C. Lilly, D. A. Williams, and W. M. Crutchfield, to the East Oklahoma Conference; A. N. James, to the Southwest Missouri Conference.

## WEST OKLAHOMA CONFERENCE.

SIXTH SESSION.

HELD AT WYNNEWOOD, OKLA., NOVEMBER 1-6, 1916.

BISHOP MORRISON, *President*; R. S. SATTERFIELD, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial? ANSWER. Francis Delett Grover, Edgar L. Young, Corbett Manfrey Armstrong, Leroy Matlock, William Clyde Rhea. 5.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? J. M. Kemp, R. E. Meigs, G. P. Rice, Clarence Bounds, R. A. Brigham, R. P. Davis, J. T. Durham, F. L. Einsel, W. E. French, R. I. Graham, F. C. Harrell, A. A. McCleskey, T. J. Melton, E. R. Powers, A. L. Williams, R. M. Templeton, J. C. Sampley. 17.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? J. H. Bridges, C. L. Cole, W. B. Gilliam, S. E. Henderson, C. P. D. Mann, O. A. Morris, Cleveland Regan, R. E. Regan, W. J. Richards, J. S. Sessums, F. M. Sweet, C. C. Wilson. 12.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? William Jay Land. 1.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? Eugene Binford, elder; T. R. Clendenin, elder; G. L. Gilbert, deacon in fourth year; T. E. Cannon, elder. 4.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? J. F. Graham, elder, from the Freewill Baptist Church. 1.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? C. M. Buttrill, F. L. Giles, E. E. Grimes, J. B. McCombs, F. M. Miller, M. M. Monk. 6. B. C. Perry remains in this class.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Charles L. Cole, Sidney E. Henderson, Cleveland Regan, Robert E. Regan, W. J. Richards, J. S. Sessums, Frank M. Sweet, Clinton C. Wilson, William B. Gilliam. 9.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Charles L. Cole, Sidney E. Henderson, Cleveland Regan, Robert E. Regan, W. J. Richards, J. S. Sessums, Frank M. Sweet, Clinton C. Wilson, William B. Gilliam. 9.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? Clarence Bounds. 1.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Clarence Bounds. 1.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? J. W. Cannon, A. B. Car-

son, C. A. German, J. D. Kidd, N. U. Stout, E. C. Webb, T. C. Steele. 7.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? J. W. Cannon, A. B. Carson, C. A. German, J. D. Kidd, N. U. Stout, E. C. Webb, T. C. Steele. 7.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? R. M. Templeton, J. M. Woolridge. 2.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? R. M. Templeton, J. M. Woolridge. 2.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? C. L. Cole, J. N. Tinkle, H. L. Mauldin. 3.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? W. A. Dickey, W. A. Randle, D. E. Shaffer. 3.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? A. C. Briggs, H. J. Brown, J. K. Florence, R. H. Grinstead, J. T. Hall, J. W. Kiziah, M. D. Long, J. D. Massey, F. C. Mayberry, P. T. McWhorter, W. P. Meador, J. J. Methvin, W. M. P. Rippey, J. A. Rowan, W. M. Spain, R. P. Witt. 16.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? Walter Scott Burns, deacon, on trial in the second year. 1.

WALTER SCOTT BURNS was born in March, 1894; died January 5, 1916, at Temple, Okla. His mother and father died when he was a small boy, and he was brought up in an orphans' home in New Orleans, which was his only remembrance of home. The superintendent of that home followed him with his letters and financial help until he died. Brother Burns was converted when a boy, and was licensed to preach at the age of sixteen. He attended Millsaps College, and was very apt in his studies, but tuberculosis of the lungs set up and he was compelled to come West. In November, 1913, he was admitted on trial into the West Oklahoma Conference, and was appointed to Loveland Circuit and did a fine year's work, making a reputation as a good preacher. At the Conference of 1914 he was appointed to Temple Station, which charge he filled with honor and success until in April, when he was compelled to give up his work. The dread disease had so overcome him that he was compelled to go somewhere to seek relief; but when he found that he would not

get well, he came back to Temple, where he was cared for by the people as tenderly as if he had been related by blood to the whole town. Rev. W. H. Roper, his presiding elder, also became as a father to him and ministered to his every need by the voluntary gifts of his brethren and himself. A most remarkable thing was that when Brother Burns died he had \$140 to his credit in the bank, for when he was taken sick he had no money. Irreligious young men vied with each other in ministering to Brother Burns, which showed his ability to make friends. He died at the age of twenty-one, yet was honored as a man of ability and usefulness. His life was unique in that while only a boy he preached with acceptability anywhere and commanded respect of every one. He did not complain in all the months of his suffering; was hopeful and pleasant at all times. He was perfectly resigned to the will of God. The influence of his life was a great benediction to the town of Temple. We do not know why this bright young man was allowed to go when we needed him so greatly, but it may be he did as much in his death as some of us do in our living. He had vast possibilities wrapped up in him, but perhaps in that perfect clime whither he has gone he will fulfill his mission as it is God's will to use him.—*Committee.*

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and their characters passed.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### Ardmore District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Ardmore: Broadway .....	3	707
Carter Avenue .....		198
Mission .....		171
Berwyn Circuit .....	3	200
Davis .....	2	260
Elmore Circuit .....		222
Hickory Circuit .....		192
Joiner Circuit .....		215
Leon Circuit .....	2	195
Lone Grove and Wilson .....	5	200
Marietta .....	3	234
Overbrook Circuit .....		210
Ringling and Loco .....		200
Stratford and Byers .....	1	261
Sulphur: First Church .....	2	195
Vinita Avenue .....		188
Thackerville Circuit .....		250
Whitehead .....	2	45
Woodford Circuit .....	1	241
Wynnewood .....	2	300
	26	4,686

#### Chickasha District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Anadarko .....		88
Alex .....		139
Alfalfa .....	1	195
Binger .....	1	54
Carnegie .....		80
Cement .....	1	
Chickasha .....	3	720
Chickasha Mission .....		332
Comanche .....	1	187
Corum .....	3	362
Duncan .....	1	473
Erin Springs .....	2	187
Lindsay .....	2	223
Marlow .....	1	250
Marlow Mission .....	1	125
Maysville .....		412
Mountain View .....		134
Rush Springs .....		255
Ryan .....	1	231
Terral .....	1	156
Tuttle .....	1	212
Waurika .....		241
	20	5,056

#### Clinton District.

Arnett .....	1	130
Berlin .....		158
Bethel .....	1	200
Boise .....		144
Butler .....	3	140
Cheyenne .....	1	251
Clinton .....		284
Custer City .....	2	223
Elk City .....	1	240
Erick .....		
Foss .....		243
Goodwell .....	1	130
Grand Valley .....	2	100
Guymon and Texhoma .....		287
Hammon .....	1	144
Hooker .....		158
Lakemp .....	4	57
Leedy .....		130
Mutual and Taloga .....		26
Sayre .....	1	295
Tangier and Woodward .....		82
Tyrone .....	1	192
	19	3,614

#### Lawton District.

Cloud Chief .....	1	251
Cordell .....		373
Davidson .....		175
Frederick .....	2	450
Frederick Circuit .....		
Gotebo .....	1	175
Grandfield .....		128
Hastings .....	3	336
Hobart .....		330
Indian Work .....	3	150
Lawton .....	2	420
Loveland Circuit .....		164
Manitou .....	2	191
Mountain Park .....		114
Randlett .....		250
Rocky .....		281
Snyder .....		31
Temple .....		140
Tipton .....	1	195
Walter .....	3	155
Walter Circuit .....	1	120
	21	4,429

#### Mangum District.

Altus .....	1	602
Blair .....	3	203

*Mangum District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Brinkman and Deer Creek.....	1	178
Carter .....		161
Dryden .....		175
Duke and Red Hill .....		163
Delhi .....	1	90
Eldorado .....	1	326
Elmer .....		253
Granite and Willow .....		242
Hedrick .....	3	363
Hollis .....		275
Lone Wolf .....		182
Mangum .....	3	605
Mangum Circuit .....	5	480
Martha .....		211
Olustee .....		184
Pleasant Hill and Bethel .....	2	310
Prairie Hill and Vickery .....	2	179
Sentinel and Port .....	3	424
Vinson Circuit .....	2	280
Elk City Circuit .....	2	184
	29	6,070

*Oklahoma City District.*

Arcadia .....		101
Blanchard and Washington .....	1	152
El Reno .....		....
Franklin .....		197
Geary .....		....
Guthrie .....	1	120
Lexington .....		200
Minco .....		171
Noble .....		267
Norman .....	1	421
Oklahoma City: Central Avenue.	1	224
Epworth .....		184
St. John's .....	2	149
St. Luke's .....	3	1,186
St. James .....		120
Paoli .....		257
Pauls Valley .....		253
Perry .....	1	48
Piedmont .....		185
Purcell .....	2	269
Stillwater .....	1	97
Weatherford .....	1	199
Wheatland .....		92
	14	5,492

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Increase .....		1,097
Decrease .....	19	....

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Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? No candidates.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 385.

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Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$420,618; premiums paid, \$2,811; collections on losses, \$4,045.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? None.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 250; Conference organ, 1,323.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? Lay Leader, G. S. Whicker, Olustee, Okla.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Clinton, Okla.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### ARDMORE DISTRICT.

*J. D. Salter, P. E.*

Ardmore: Broadway, R. E. L. Morgan.

Carter Avenue, W. T. Freeman.

Mission, R. I. Graham.

Berwyn Circuit, W. C. Rea.

Davis, R. E. Regan.

Elmore Circuit, J. F. Hendrey.

Hickory Circuit, Eugene Binford.

Joiner Circuit, L. R. Jones.

Leon Circuit, Frank Graham.

Lone Grove and Wilson, F. L. Giles.

Marietta, I. W. Armstrong.

Overbrook Circuit, H. P. Robinson, supply.

Pauls Valley, C. F. Mitchell.

Ringling and Loco, J. J. Shaw.

Stratford and Byars, J. G. Blackwood.

Sulphur: First Church, W. A. Govett.

Vinita Avenue, C. H. Armstrong.

Thackerville Circuit, E. R. Powers.

Whitebead, Charles Mann.

Woodford Circuit, L. H. Fullingim.

Wynnewood, B. T. Lannom.

#### CHICKASHA DISTRICT.

*R. L. Ownbey, P. E.*

Alex, J. D. Kidd.

Chickasha, L. L. Cohen, Jr.

Chickasha Mission, J. J. Bearden, supply.

Comanche, J. C. Thromorton.

Corum, T. H. Ward.

Duncan, W. M. Wilson.

Erin Springs, A. L. Barnett, supply.

Lindsay, C. M. Buttrill.

Marlow, O. A. Morris.

Maysville, E. H. Driskill.

Minco, F. L. Einsel.

Rush Springs, J. W. Cannon.

Ryan, C. A. German.

Terral, Clarence Bounds.

Tuttle, C. C. Williamson.

Verdun and Pocasset, A. B. Waldrep.

Waurika, J. O. Peterson.

Woodlawn Circuit, J. C. Calhoun, supply.

Student in Yale University, C. S. Walker.

District Evangelist, J. T. Armstrong, supply.

#### CLINTON DISTRICT.

*W. L. Anderson, P. E.*

Arnett, Cleveland Regan.

Berlin, F. D. Grover.

Bethel, G. L. Gilbert.

Butler, F. M. Miller.

Port, C. G. Cannon.

Cheyenne, W. B. Gilliam.

Clinton, N. A. Phillips.

Cloud Chief, W. C. Driskill.

Cordell, C. T. Davis.

Custer City, W. J. Stewart.

Elk City, M. T. Allen.

Erick, T. R. Clendenin.

Foss, E. L. Young.

Hammon, T. C. De Pew.

Leedy, W. J. Land.

Rocky, J. C. Sampley.

Sayre, T. C. Steele.

Sentinel, E. C. Webb.

Tangler, R. P. Davis.

Weatherford, Willmore Kendall; W. A. Randle, Sup.

Fraternal Delegate to Methodist Episcopal Conference of 1917, Willmoore Kendall.

#### HOOKER DISTRICT.

*H. B. Wilson, P. E.*

Boise, H. B. Henderson.

Goodwell, W. E. French.

Hooker, S. Y. Allgood.

La Kemp, F. C. Harrell.

Liberty, Cleveland Regan.

New Hope, R. E. Meigs.

Texhoma, T. E. Neal.

Tyrone, T. J. Taylor.

#### LAWTON DISTRICT.

*J. S. Lamar, P. E.*

Alfalfa, A. A. McClesky.

Altus, W. U. Witt.

Anadarko, J. S. Sessums.

Binger, J. W. Williams, supply.

Cement, L. D. Hawkins.

Davidson, M. F. Sullivan.

Elmer, G. P. Rice.

Frederick, W. B. Douglass.

Grandfield, J. H. Bridges.  
 Hastings, F. M. Sweet.  
 Headrick, N. U. Stout.  
 Indian Work, R. M. Templeton.  
 Lawton, R. S. Satterfield.  
 Manitou, T. J. Melton.  
 Mountain Park, J. B. Parr, supply.  
 Randlett, G. W. Hooper.  
 Snyder, G. R. Wright.  
 Temple, J. T. McBride.  
 Tipton, W. E. Humphries.  
 Walter, B. M. Nelson.  
 Conference Missionary Secretary, J. W. Sims.  
 Interpreters, Kicking Bird, Delos Lone-  
 wolf, Clyde Cocoa.  
 Student in Yale University, A. L. Scales.  
 District Evangelist, E. M. Myers.

## MANGUM DISTRICT.

J. W. Sims, P. E.

Blair, Jesse Crumpton.  
 Brinkman and Deer Creek, J. C. Scivilly.  
 Carnegie, C. C. Wilson.  
 Carter, H. L. Shelton.  
 Dryden, W. M. Harp, supply.  
 Duke and Red Hill, L. B. Matlock.  
 Eldorado, G. W. Lewis.  
 Gotebo, J. W. Trevette.  
 Granite and Willow, J. W. Brooks.  
 Hobart, T. E. Graham.  
 Hollis, J. L. Gage.  
 Lonewolf, J. B. McCombs.  
 Mangum, W. H. Roper.  
 Mangum Circuit, J. W. Martin.  
 Martha, C. L. Canter.  
 Mountain View, J. B. McCance.  
 Olustee, H. A. Stroud; W. A. Dickey,  
 Sup.  
 Pleasant Hill and Bethel, J. C. Morris.  
 Prairie Hill and Vickery, E. E. Grimes.  
 Vinson Circuit, H. C. Gullette.  
 President of School for the Blind, Mus-  
 koguee, O. W. Stewart.

Conference Missionary Evangelist, D. V.  
 York.

## OKLAHOMA CITY DISTRICT.

M. L. Butler, P. E.

Arcadia and Wheatland, R. A. Brigham.  
 Blanchard and Washington, R. H. Denny.  
 El Reno, Moss Weaver.  
 Franklin, B. C. Perry.  
 Guthrie, R. O. Callahan.  
 Lexington, W. J. Richards.  
 Noble, A. B. Carson.  
 Norman, E. R. Welch.  
 Oklahoma City: Central Avenue, J. E.  
 Matlock.  
 Epworth, J. L. Henson.  
 St. James, A. M. Miller.  
 St. John's, T. G. Peterson.  
 St. Luke's, Frank Barrett.  
 Paoli, A. L. Williams  
 Piedmont and Geary, T. J. Durham.  
 Purcell, H. E. Snodgrass.  
 Stillwater, C. C. Barnhardt.  
 State Commissioner of Charities and  
 Corrections, W. D. Matthews.  
 Sunday School Field Secretary, W. J.  
 Moore.  
 Professor in Emory University, Atlanta,  
 W. A. Shelton.  
 Y. M. C. A. Secretary, St. Louis, Mo., J.  
 Ward Nelson.  
 Chaplain to Masonic Home, Darlington,  
 Okla., M. M. Monk.  
 Conference Missionary Secretary, E. R.  
 Welch.  
 Conference Evangelist, T. S. Johnson.

*Transferred.*—R. A. Crosby, to the Cen-  
 tral Texas Conference; J. T. Brown, to  
 the Tennessee Conference; K. L. Ru-  
 dolph, to the Memphis Conference; C. L.  
 Proctor, to the North Carolina Confer-  
 ence; C. F. Sheppard, to the Louisiana  
 Conference.

## NORTH ALABAMA CONFERENCE.

FORTY-SEVENTH SESSION.

HELD AT BESSEMER, ALA., NOVEMBER 1-6, 1916.

BISHOP DENNY, *President*; W. E. MORRIS, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. Earley Wright Burns, John Lam-  
 buth Ferguson, Willis Lee Capps, Leonid-  
 as Dixon McReynolds, William Adolphus  
 Lowry, David King Pegues, Walter Lee  
 Thompson, John Washington Graham,  
 William Curtis Chappell, Joshua Arthur

Gann, Jr., Samuel McPherson Mimms. 11.  
 Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Lonnie  
 G. Alverson, Jesse A. Clark, James F.  
 Dunn, Lennie L. Jones, Thomas B. Jor-  
 don, J. D. Kaylor, William L. Morris,  
 Plennie C. Oliver, Bayless M. Porter, Renn  
 G. Pugh, Marion L. Smith, Fred E. Tiffin,

Elijah Upton, Robert C. Wilson Enoch M. Burkes, G. M. Bynum. 16.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? O. E. Hall and J. M. Best, at their own request. 2.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Olin W. Barber, William D. Barnes, Lewis Avery Busby, Wilson Mack Buttram, Zachariah R. Carpenter, Benjamin Lewis Dobbs, Carl C. Gregory, William Thomas Hamby, Benjamin Franklin Hammond, Roy Hewlett, Andrew Valentine Jones, Benjamin K. Kelley, Charles Harper Lane, Raleigh Belton Lavender, Samuel Uyless Lemmond, Largus Pierce Martin, John McConatha, William Marion Treadaway, Lewis Sair Wessinger, Thomas Marion Wynn, Ocie Leonidas Peek, John A. Wales. 22.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? Marshall Riley Myer, an elder. 1.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? W. F. Melton, George R. Stewart, Arthur Bonner, P. B. Wells. 4.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? J. P. M. Woodall, deacon, from the Methodist Episcopal Church. 1.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? Fred J. Schlosser, from the Missionary Baptist Church. 1.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? J. F. T. Brown, Isaac T. Carlton, Isaac H. Horton, Virgil C. Herndon, James W. McBrayer, Seaborn A. Owen, Reuben M. Phifer, Charles W. Reed, Jesse E. Riddle, John W. Simmons, Crawford A. Tatum, James M. Wigley. 12.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? W. D. Barnes, L. A. Busby, W. M. Buttram, B. L. Dobbs, W. G. Echols, C. C. Gregory, W. T. Hamby, B. F. Hammond, Roy Hewlett, A. V. Jones, B. K. Kelley, C. H. Lane, R. B. Lavinder, S. U. Lemmond, L. P. Martin, John McConatha, W. M. Treadaway, G. E. Turrentine, L. S. Wessinger, T. M. Wynn. 20.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? William D. Barnes, Lewis Avery Busby, Wilson Mack Buttram, Benjamin Lewis Dobbs, William Graham Echols, Carl C. Gregory, William Thomas Hamby, Benjamin Franklin Hammond, Roy Hewlett, Andrew Valentine Jones, Benjamin K. Kelley, Charles Harper Lane, Raleigh Belton Lavinder, Samuel Uyless Lemmond, Largus Pierce Martin, John McConatha, William Marion Treadaway, George Edward Turrentine,

Lewis Sair Wessinger, Thomas Marion Wynn. 20.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? Benton Malone, Lonnie Gordon Alverson, William Franklin Standifer. 3.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Samuel Perry McCoy, Lonnie Gordon Alverson, William Franklin Standifer, James Briggs Rorie, Joseph Appleton Gray. 5.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Julius Sylvester Blackburn, Clyde Hollis Bobo, Alford Nathan Burns, Omar Ruskin Burns, John Wesley Curl, William Monroe Harris, Washington Lee Holdridge, Willis Timmons Howard, Roscoe McDaniel Howell, William Sylvester Hullett, James Everett Jenkins, Spencer Octavius Kimbrough, John Fletcher Sturdivant. 13.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Julius Sylvester Blackburn, Clyde Hollis Bobo, Alford Nathan Burns, Omar Ruskin Burns, John Wesley Curl, William Monroe Harris, Washington Lee Holdridge, Willis Timmons Howard, Roscoe McDaniel Howell, William Sylvester Hullett, James Everett Jenkins, Spencer Octavius Kimbrough, John Fletcher Sturdivant. 13.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? William Thomas Bartee, Robert Minor Wilkes. 2.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? Robert Minor Wilkes. 1.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? E. C. McVoy, George W. Bickley, and F. H. Gardner, at their own request; Osceola Hill, by action of Conference. 4.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? J. L. Ferguson, W. L. Hendricks, W. J. Reid, G. W. Sellers, S. V. Blythe. 5.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? G. W. Alley, W. T. Andrews, B. M. Bellinger, M. E. Butt, J. L. Brittain, A. J. Chappell, J. J. Crow, W. R. Eddins, T. W. Hayes, T. A. Kerr, I. Q. Melton, J. T. Morris, M. N. Morris, C. C. O'Neal, W. T. Patillo, H. B. Ralls, T. K. Roberts, J. W. Spencer, J. G. Walker, R. J. Wilson, C. B. Riddick, G. G. Smith, F. A. Vann, Joshua Warren, W. McD. Howell, Robert Wilson, D. W. Ward, R. A. Thompson. 28.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? David T. Dye, James H. Leslie, T. B. Middlebrooks, M. H. Wells, Samuel P. West. 5.

DAVID TURNER DYE, son of William Wesley and Jane Dye, was born near Sanford, Lee County, North Carolina, June 29,

1844; died at Superannuate Home near Lincoln, Ala., April 12, 1916. He was converted at Poplar Springs Church, Lee County, N. C., in August, 1861. In 1862 he joined the Confederate Army, and served with the Fifth North Carolina Cavalry under that prince of Cavaliers, Gen. J. E. B. Stuart. After the death of General Stuart, he served under Gen. Wade Hampton till the close of the war. On October 8, 1874, he was married to Mrs. Mary Utley. To this union were born two daughters, one of whom died in infancy; the other (Mrs. A. H. Roberson) died December 1, 1912. The mother of these children died August 16, 1878. In March, 1883, Brother Dye moved to Birmingham, Ala.; was licensed to preach at Wesley Chapel, Jefferson County, Ala., November 6, 1884; joined the North Alabama Conference at Gadsden, Ala., November 23, 1885; ordained deacon by Bishop Hargrove at Anniston, Ala., 1888; ordained elder by Bishop Galloway at Decatur, Ala., 1891. He was married to Miss Mary R. Cochran, of Huntland, Tenn., March 11, 1891. To this union were born four children—one son and three daughters. These all survive him. He served the following charges: Paint Rock Circuit, 1886; Flint Circuit, 1887; Bethel Mission, 1888; Baileytown Circuit, 1889; Paint Rock Circuit, 1890-93; Arkadelphia Circuit, 1894-95; Langston Circuit, 1896; Baileytown Circuit, 1897-98; Pleasant Site Circuit, 1899-1903; Phil Campbell Mission, 1904-05; Cambridge Circuit, 1906-07; Union Grove Circuit, 1908. With this year his labors as an active itinerant preacher ended, and by the action of the Conference he passed to the "honor roll," to be numbered with the "Old Guard"—the roll of superannuates. In this connection he remained till called to his reward. Brother Dye was modest and retiring in his manner. He had his limitations and acknowledged them, as few men are inclined to do. It will be seen from the list of appointments he served that he had only the poorest grade of charges in the Conference, and yet without murmur or complaint he accepted them as the gift of Providence from the hands of the bishop and his cabinet. In looking over his diary, we have made this summary: Served twenty-three years; twelve pastoral charges; average salary barely three hundred dollars; held one hundred and thirty-two protracted meetings, from which he witnessed six hundred and fifty-five conversions. Many men with bet-

ter equipment and greater opportunities than had Brother Dye cannot summarize greater results. In closing this memoir of a faithful servant of God, the writer feels that it is due his helpful wife to say she bore her part as a heroine indeed in the life of sacrifice and self-denial. In a note received from her a few days after the death of her husband, she used this paragraph: "We have always lived in poverty, and I have had hard work; but my lot has been a happy one, for I would rather have shared the joys and sorrows of such a man than to have been the wife of a millionaire, for he was a child of a King." "When the roll is called up yonder," and rewards are dispensed by the just and righteous Judge, and God's faithful toilers see their share of the grand aggregate in store for them, then Brother Dye and his self-sacrificing companion in his ministry will realize that their work was not in vain in the Lord. —S. L. Dobbs.

JAMES HENRY LESLIE, only son of Wilson Leslie and Ellen Moore Leslie, was born near Gadsden, Ala., March 4, 1857. His maternal grandmother, Mary Jones Moore, was of that distinguished family of Joneses for whom Jones Valley is called, in Jefferson County, Ala. His ancestors on both sides were of Revolutionary stock. Brother Leslie lost his father in the battle of Shiloh. His mother was barely out of her teens and Brother Leslie quite a small boy. His maternal grandfather, Silas Moore, took him and his mother into his home, and assumed a father's part and place in caring for him. He remained here until his grandfather's death. Silas Moore was an educated man. He took special interest in his grandson, and Brother Leslie received the most of his education from his grandfather. He possessed an analytical mind, and was a boy of fine application. He made splendid progress in his books. He was converted when eight or nine years of age, and identified himself with the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and lived an exemplary Christian life. Brother Leslie grew to manhood, partly in Madison, Limestone, and Lauderdale Counties. He did with his might the things his hands found to do, and thereby made a good living for his mother, and contributed something to the support of his aged grandparents, who had lost almost all their property during the Civil War. He employed his spare moments in seeking knowledge. This thirst

for knowledge marked his whole life, and when he got to where he could not read he would fondle his books and remark to his family that they had been a great source of pleasure to him. He was one of our best-posted men and strongest theologians. He felt his call to preach almost from his conversion, but on account of his widowed mother, who was dependent upon him, and perhaps his own conscious limitations, he hesitated, and tried to content himself with doing other things; at one time studying law and at another reading medicine. He was admitted on trial into the North Alabama Conference, at Tuscaloosa, Ala., November, 1879, and assigned to the Carrollton Circuit, as junior preacher, with Rev. W. M. P. Rippey. He was admitted into full connection at Huntsville, Ala., at the Conference of 1881. He was ordained local deacon at Tuscaloosa in 1879 by Bishop Paine. In 1883 he was ordained elder by Bishop McTyeire at Birmingham. In 1889, while serving on New Market Circuit, he was happily married to Miss Sallie B. Allen, of Madison. To this union three sons were born. Thirteen years out of the first fourteen of his itinerant ministry were spent in the Huntsville District. Brother Leslie could succeed himself, or be returned for a second term to a charge. He had a wonderful way of making and holding friends. He seldom created friction. His work abides in the Huntsville District. He served Gadsden District in 1898. His health was not robust when he was put in charge of this district. His friends in the Conference felt like this change of work would be good for his health, but he saw so much to do that he overtaxed his strength and came near collapsing before the summer passed; but as cool weather came on he picked up some, and at Conference was continued on the district for 1899. He contracted a severe case of gripe on returning from Conference, from which he did not fully recover, and in May of that year was relieved of the district. He was placed on the supernumerary roll at the session of the Conference in 1899, and remained in this class for two years. In 1902-03 he served Gurley Circuit. On account of health conditions in his family, Brother Leslie did not serve the work to which he was assigned for 1911. At the session of the Conference in 1911 he was appointed to Scottsboro Station, and remained there in active service until June, 1913, when he resigned his charge on ac-

count of failing health and moved to Huntsville, Ala., where his health completely failed in June, 1915. He suffered a stroke of paralysis and mental aphasia, from which he never recovered, and finally fell on sleep, September 25, 1916. The funeral services were conducted by Brother B. B. Glasgow, assisted by Brothers H. W. Rickey, Henry L. Aldridge, and R. I. Walston. His body was laid to rest in the beautiful cemetery at Athens, Ala., to await the resurrection of the just. He leaves a widow and three sons to mourn their loss. Thank God, they do not sorrow as those that have no hope, but as those believing in the resurrection and life eternal. Brother Leslie's early ministry was marked with evangelistic power. Many people still living in the Huntsville District were won to Jesus Christ by his preaching. He was invited to transfer to other Conferences, but he was too much attached to the old North Alabama Conference to give these offers serious consideration. He was mentally active, physically industrious, and religiously zealous. He believed it better to "burn out than rust out." He was a diligent pastor, tender and sympathetic. His people loved him because he made himself lovable. He was one of the best ecclesiastical lawyers in the North Alabama Conference. He always took an active part in the social and civic matters where he lived; was a friend to education, and especially Christian education. He was for many years a member of the Board of Trustees of the Birmingham College. His suggestions were always wise and helpful. He asked the Board to excuse him, and insisted that they put in a man who could do the work when he had grown too feeble to look after it. I never knew a more manly man, nor one of higher purpose. Thank God, our brethren still die well!—J. S. Robertson.

MARSHALL HARRISON WELLS, D.D., was born in Marshall County, Miss., July 6, 1836, and died December 6, 1915. He was converted and joined the Church at Green Hill, Ark., in September, 1854; was licensed to exhort October 28, 1854; was licensed to preach June 30, 1855; was admitted on trial in the Ouachita Annual Conference in the fall of 1855, serving as junior preacher one year; in 1856, he was appointed to the Louisville Circuit; was ordained deacon, November 8, by Bishop Kavanaugh, at Little Rock, and appointed to the Napoleon Station;



in 1858 was appointed to Auburn Circuit; in the fall of 1859 he located, partly on account of bronchial trouble and to complete his education; he graduated from the Wesleyan University at Florence, Ala., with honorable distinction, June 11, 1861. On June 12, 1861, he was happily married to Mollie Hawkins; in July following he returned to Arkansas and filled the unexpired term of Rev. W. O. Haislip, of Monticello. In the fall of 1861 he was readmitted into the Ouachita Conference and ordained elder by Bishop Paine; he then transferred to the Louisiana Conference, and was stationed at Bastrop, La.; in 1862 he transferred back to the Ouachita Conference, and was stationed at Washington, Ark., serving two years; during the second year he entered the Confederate Army and was appointed general hospital chaplain, and served in this capacity until the close of the war; and the remainder of 1865 he served the Monticello Station. In the fall of 1865 he was appointed presiding elder of the Monticello District; in 1866 he was presiding elder of the Pine Bluff District, serving four years; in 1869-70 he was presiding elder of the Monticello District; in 1871-74 he served Arkadelphia Station; in 1874 he transferred to the Northwest Texas Conference and was stationed at Waco, which he served four years; in 1878-79 he was stationed at Fort Worth; in 1879-80 he was at Corsicana, remaining two years; in 1881 he served Ennis Station; in 1882-83 he served South Fort Worth and edited the *Texas Messenger*; in 1883-84 he was appointed to Weatherford Station, which he served three years. On April 5, 1885, he began a revival meeting which continued until June 14, resulting in 725 conversions and reclamations. In 1886-87 he was at Gatesville Station; in 1887 he was transferred to the North Alabama Conference by Bishop Keener and appointed to Florence Station; in 1888 Bishop McTyeire transferred him to the Louisville Conference and appointed him to the Walnut Street Church, Louisville; in 1889 he was transferred to the First Church, Owensboro, Ky., which he served three years, and then was transferred back to the North Alabama Conference, and as publisher of the *Alabama Christian Advocate* he did splendid work; he then served several stations in our Conference, and in the fall of 1913 was superannuated, and spent the remainder of his life with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Blake, where he was

tenderly and affectionately cared for until the end came. Thus we have enumerated some of the labors of a brother beloved by all who knew him. Dr. Wells was a man of noble parts. He was a good preacher; he had a true vision of God; he knew God; his exposition of the Word of God was clear and forceful; his conceptions of God and the Church were high; the Church to him was the highest and best thing on earth. Dr. Wells was a remarkable man. In prayer at times he seemed to be standing face to face with and talking to God. He was a clean man; he never indulged in things of a low or obscene character. "An Israelite indeed in whom there was no guile" might well be said of him. He was an educated, cultured gentleman; courteous and polite to all he met; kind and tender to every one. He was a man of deep sympathy; a great heart beat within his bosom; his love for his friends was overflowing; sorrow and suffering caught his eye, and called forth his tenderest ministries. A nobleman, a Christian gentleman, a conquering hero has fallen. Long may his influence linger in our memories and live in our hearts! It was my happy privilege to be his pastor for something over a year before he died. It was truly a privilege to be with him, and hear him talk of the kingdom of God and of his experience and communion with him. I feel that I am a better man by having been associated with him.—  
W. O. Horton.

SAMUEL PAUL WEST was the son of John Paul and Monah Louise West. He was born at Montevallo, Ala., October 30, 1858. In his boyhood Paul was given the advantages offered by the school at Huffman, Ala., after which he taught school for two years. At the session of the Annual Conference held in November, 1881, Brother West was admitted on trial into the North Alabama Conference. He was then twenty-three years old, and because of his youthful appearance he was known for a number of years as the boy preacher of the North Alabama Conference. From the time of his admission to the time of his death, Brother West never missed a roll call of his Conference. At the session of the Conference held in 1883 he was ordained a deacon by Bishop McTyeire, and at the session of the Conference held in 1885, in Gadsden, Ala., he was ordained an elder by Bishop Wilson. Brother West served the following appointments: Cullman Mission, 1881-82;

Coosa Valley Circuit, 1883-84; Plantersville Circuit, 1885-87; Glen Addie Mission, 1888-89; Heflin Circuit, 1890-91. At this place he became very much interested in a plan providing for an Orphans' Home for the two Alabama Conferences. For this institution he represented the two Conferences for five years, 1891-95. At the close of this service Brother West accepted the position of assistant editor and business manager of the *Alabama Christian Advocate*. He filled this position acceptably for ten years, 1895-1905. After leaving the *Advocate* he was appointed to Warrior, where he served until January, 1907, at which time he was transferred to our church at Fortieth Street in Birmingham, and remained there one year; and at the Conference in 1908 he was appointed to Brighton and Walnut Grove, which charge he served for four years. In 1912 he was appointed to Jacksonville and White Plains, where he served three years; in 1915 he was placed at Childersburg and Fayetteville, and was in charge of this work when he was called to his home on high, September 6, 1916. Brother West was married in First Church, Talladega, to Miss Alva Alice, daughter of E. A. and Ruth Cowan, on July 15, 1886. To them were born eight children, of whom, with their mother, five survive. They are Paul, Milton, Louise (Mrs. Read P. Black), Lewis Holland, and Warren Arch—three children dying in infancy. Brother West possessed exceptional business ability. In connection with his regular work he enterprised and conducted successfully from 1892 to 1896 a Chautauqua in Talladega and Shelby Springs, Ala. He was a devoted husband and father; a faithful itinerant and a sympathetic, diligent pastor; a sound gospel preacher, and a loyal and devoted lover of our Lord and our Methodism. In the church in which he was married we held his funeral services, and laid his body to rest in the cemetery at Talladega, Ala., on September 7, 1916.

TURNER BRADFORD MIDDLEBROOKS was born in Atlanta, Ga., November 2, 1890, and departed this life in the same city, September 9, 1916. His parents, W. M. Middlebrooks and Mattie Lee Middlebrooks (née Turner), are devoted Christians. They trained up their son in the fear of the Lord. He manifested strong religious inclinations when but a child. While a student at Bellbuckle he was converted under the ministry of Dr.

Elam F. Dempsey, who went there to preach for a few days. He was recommended from the Quarterly Conference of Trinity Church, Atlanta, Ga., to the District Conference of the Atlanta District, which met in Wesley Memorial Church in the summer of 1910. At this Conference he was licensed to preach after due examination. He was recommended for admission to the next session of the North Georgia Conference which met that year in Athens, Ga. He was unanimously received into the Conference on trial. He received with great joy his first appointment. This was a circuit in Lincoln County, Ga. At the close of this Conference year he went to the Theological Department of the Vanderbilt University, where he spent a year in very earnest study. That fall he was transferred to the North Alabama Conference and assigned to the Ragland charge, where he spent some eight or nine months and succeeded in building a good parsonage, going in the fall to Vanderbilt to further prosecute his studies in the Biblical Department. He presented himself for work at the Conference of 1913, and was ordained deacon at this Conference by Bishop McCoy, who assigned him to Paint Rock Circuit in the Huntsville District. After the appointments were read, it became necessary to rearrange some of them, and he was changed by Bishop McCoy to Stevenson charge, where he spent the Conference year of 1914. Brother Middlebrooks was placed at Bridgeport for the year 1915. Here he entered upon his work with great earnestness, pressing every department of the church work. In the late spring and early summer he enterprised a meeting at the Bridgeport church, which he carried on for three or four weeks. When this meeting was closed he was almost prostrated nervously, and had to be relieved for some two months, after which he came back to his charge and took hold with new courage, and it did seem for a short while that he would round out a great year; but when no one was looking for it, on Monday after two great services on the Sabbath he had a complete breakdown with hemorrhages. His case was pronounced critical by expert physicians, and he was hurried away to Saranac Lake, New York, early in November. When his physician told him he could not live, he said: "Let me go home to my people, that I may see them before I go hence and be seen no more among

them." He came to Atlanta, Ga., in the early days of last September. Among friends and loved ones he died a glorious death. Just before the end came he called his people and friends to prayer about his bedside, and offered up to his Father a most earnest prayer that he would keep them all true and bring them to heaven at last. When he had finished the prayer he said, "I am so happy," and with a radiant smile on his countenance he fell on sleep. He was buried from Trinity Church, Atlanta, Ga., on September 10, 1916, Drs. Jones and Dempsey officiating. His body was laid to rest in the beautiful Oakland Cemetery, Atlanta, Ga., to await the resurrection of the just. His was a brief career, but a race well run. He was of an enthusiastic nature. He loved men; he had a passion for souls. I have never known a more consecrated man. His was an evangelistic ministry. His message appealed to the hardened sinner. His enthusiasm sometimes brought criticism, but despite that he certainly could do things, and men believed in him because they believed him true. I loved him. I hated to see him die. His like in many respects I shall not see again soon. He leaves a father and mother, brothers and perhaps sisters, a devoted wife and three small children, to mourn his departure. He was not able to attend Conference at Athens. He had virtually finished his four years' studies through the Correspondence School. The Conference, upon recommendation of the fourth year committee, elected him to elder's orders; but he was never able to be ordained. I feel quite sure he is crowned in glory, for he built with gold and silver and tried stones, and of such it is said they shall receive their reward. Here I would introduce an appreciation by Dr. Elam F. Dempsey, who was the preacher when he was converted and joined the Church, and pastor when he was licensed to preach and admitted on trial into the traveling connection of the North Georgia Conference: "Turner Bradford Middlebrooks, in the few brief years that were allotted to him, made full proof of his ministry. It may be truly said of him that he 'rests,' because he did indeed labor; and though the body grew tired, and its energies, flagging, at last failed under the touch of disease, that fiery particle—his soul—never wearied, because he realized that his work was being established upon him by the hand of God, and that it was not in vain, because it was in the Lord. Like his Master, he

lived to seek and to serve and to save the lost. At times in his preaching his fervor, touched by the Holy Spirit, moved him to thoughts and to language that are not often matched by even the fires of genius. Let us not say that the fitting symbol of his twenty-six years of life is a broken column. No, rather let us catch the loftier vision and recognize that his life, dedicated to God, though ended so soon, is yet complete in Christ Jesus."—*J. S. Robertson.*

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? The names of all the members were called, one by one, and their characters were passed.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### Albertville District.

	Local Pr's.	Members.
Albertville Station .....	1	333
Altoona Circuit .....	1	238
Arab Circuit .....	2	266
Baileyton Circuit .....	2	525
Blountsville Circuit .....	3	199
Boaz Station .....	2	225
Chavies Mission .....	7	306
Cleveland Circuit .....	2	500
Guntersville Station .....	1	227
Hanceville and Blount Springs..	2	213
Henegar Circuit .....	...	331
Horton Circuit .....	3	372
Kimberly Mission .....	3	365
Lacey Springs Circuit .....	...	238
Langston Circuit .....	...	289
Oneonta Station .....	1	267
Pinson Circuit .....	1	402
Pleasant Hill Circuit .....	2	443
Remlap Circuit .....	1	360
Selfville Circuit .....	3	354
South Hill Circuit .....	1	669
Summit Circuit .....	2	289
Warrenton Circuit .....	...	268
Warrior Station .....	...	122
Whitton Circuit .....	1	524
	41	8,383

#### Bessemer District.

Ann Memorial Station .....	...	184
Bessemer Station .....	...	761
Bessemer Circuit .....	1	387
Bethel Station .....	...	169
Bethlehem Station .....	1	317
Birmingham Circuit .....	2	699
Boyles Station .....	...	137
Brighton and Lipscomb .....	4	380
Calera Circuit .....	2	636
Central Park and Walnut Grove.	...	260
Dogwood Circuit .....	1	126
Ensley: First Church .....	3	1,043
Highlands .....	...	186
Shady Side .....	...	261
Ensley Circuit .....	2	430
Fairfield Station .....	...	112
Fulton Springs Circuit .....	1	287
Helena Circuit .....	...	379
Inglennook Station .....	2	264

*Bessemer District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Jonesboro Station .....	1	420
Leeds Circuit .....	1	330
Montevallo Station .....	1	308
Mount Carmel and Crestline.....	164	164
Mulga Circuit .....	180	180
Pratt City Station .....	394	394
Pratt City Circuit .....	3	398
Shades Mountain Circuit .....	3	235
Siluria Circuit .....	3	365
Sunny Side Station .....	1	291
Wylam Station .....	494	494
	31	10,267

*Birmingham District.*

Birmingham: Avondale .....	2	684
East Birmingham .....	1	313
East Lake .....	1	978
Eleventh Avenue .....	2	785
Fairview .....	483	483
First Church .....	3	1,727
Fortieth Street .....	1	314
Fountain Heights .....	444	444
Highlands .....	1	832
Mount Vernon .....	583	583
Ninth Street and City Mission.....	230	230
North Highlands .....	3	596
Norwood .....	2	493
Owenton .....	10	192
Roebuck Springs .....	14	14
St. John .....	2	311
St. Paul .....	1	202
Sixty-seventh Street .....	212	212
Trinity .....	328	328
Twenty-first Avenue .....	1	277
Walker Memorial .....	1	508
West End .....	1	980
West Woodlawn .....	3	304
Woodlawn .....	2	1,362
	37	13,152

*Decatur District.*

Athens Station .....	1	554
Athens Circuit .....	307	307
Austinville Station .....	1	247
Bethel Circuit .....	1	434
Cairo Mission .....	303	303
Cambridge Circuit .....	2	258
Courtland and Hillsboro .....	86	86
Cullman Station .....	449	449
Danville Circuit .....	7	516
Decatur Station .....	516	516
Decatur Circuit .....	1	476
Elkmont and Hebron .....	376	376
Falkville Circuit .....	2	398
Flint Circuit .....	1	476
Hartselle Station .....	1	343
Moulton and Morris .....	272	272
New Decatur: Central.....	808	808
Ninth Street .....	2	300
Pettusville Circuit .....	2	508
Somerville Circuit .....	1	443
Town Creek Station .....	1	305
Trinity Station .....	2	197
Westmoreland Circuit .....	1	408
	26	9,080

*Florence District.*

Barton Circuit .....	138	138
Center Star Circuit .....	489	489
Cherokee Station .....	1	277
Cloverdale Circuit .....	1	588
East Florence .....	1	218
Florence: First Church .....	1	678

*Florence District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Florence: North Wood Avenue...	420	420
Green Hill Circuit .....	398	398
Leighton Station .....	240	240
Margerum Circuit .....	198	198
Oakland Circuit .....	1	562
Pruitt Circuit .....	1	134
Rogersville Station .....	378	378
Russellville Station .....	428	428
Sheffield Station .....	1	443
Spring Valley Circuit .....	400	400
Tuscumbia Station .....	550	550
Waterloo and Riverton .....	356	356
	7	6,879

*Gadsden District.*

Alabama City Station .....	2	284
Ashville Circuit .....	507	507
Attalla Station .....	1	379
Center Circuit .....	440	440
Collinsville and Porterville .....	1	172
Fort Payne and Valley Head...	2	341
Gadsden: First Church .....	730	730
East .....	1	300
West .....	455	455
Gadsden Circuit .....	353	353
Gaylesville Circuit .....	480	480
Hoke's Bluff Circuit .....	1	450
Keener Mission .....	282	282
Liberty Circuit .....	3	391
Lookout Mountain Mission .....	2	200
Lookout Valley Circuit .....	525	525
Piedmont Station .....	1	340
Shoal Creek Mission .....	60	60
Spring Garden Circuit .....	1	692
Springville and Trussville .....	1	334
Springville Mission .....	107	107
Steele Circuit .....	3	395
	19	8,217

*Haleyville District.*

Addison Mission .....	1	234
Arkadelphia Circuit .....	4	279
Belgreen Circuit .....	1	310
Bexar Circuit .....	754	754
Delma Circuit .....	2	205
Detroit Circuit .....	511	511
Double Springs Mission .....	4	243
Falls City Mission .....	1	155
Gamble Mines and Nauvoo.....	2	270
Hackleburg Station .....	2	216
Haleyville Station .....	260	260
Hamilton Station .....	309	309
Manchester Station .....	36	36
Marion Mission .....	1	157
Mount Hope Circuit .....	1	311
Phil Campbell Circuit .....	1	276
Pleasant Site Circuit .....	204	204
Red Bay and Vina .....	179	179
Trimble Mission .....	242	242
Vinemont Mission .....	1	172
	21	5,124

*Huntsville District.*

Belle Mina Circuit .....	1	237
Bridgeport .....	1	341
Bryant Circuit .....	1	182
Flat Rock Mission .....	3	251
Gurley Circuit .....	1	264
Hollywood Mission .....	1	245
Huntsville: Epworth .....	210	210
First Church .....	806	806
Holmes Street .....	1	252
Merrimac .....	1	195
West .....	1	228

*Huntsville District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Madison Station .....	3	218
Meridianville Circuit .....	1	421
New Hope Circuit .....	1	275
New Market Circuit .....	3	571
North Circuit .....	2	286
Owen's Cross Roads Circuit .....	1	592
Paint Rock Circuit .....	1	178
Princeton Circuit .....	1	677
Sand Mountain Mission .....	1	66
Scottsboro Station .....	1	218
Scottsboro Circuit .....	1	347
Stevenson .....	1	222
Tony Circuit .....	1	563
Triana Circuit .....	1	125
	25	7,970

*Jasper District.*

Beaverton Circuit .....	1	598
Berry and Bankston .....	2	381
Brookside Circuit .....	1	199
Camp Ground Mission .....	1	146
Carbon Hill and Kansas .....	1	296
Cordova and Long Memorial .....	1	241
Corona and Patton .....	1	126
Covin Circuit .....	5	806
Dora Station .....	1	266
Empire and Sipsey .....	1	181
Fayette Station .....	1	316
Fayette Circuit .....	2	455
Fernbank Circuit .....	1	398
Glen Allen Circuit .....	3	597
Jasper Station .....	1	396
Mineral Springs Circuit .....	1	79
New Prospect Mission .....	1	172
Oakman Circuit .....	1	157
Palos Circuit .....	1	279
Quinton Circuit .....	1	98
Sulligent Station .....	1	292
Townley Circuit .....	3	492
Vernon Circuit .....	1	761
Winfield and Guin .....	1	466
	22	8,198

*Roanoke District.*

Agricola Circuit .....	1	429
Alexander City Station .....	2	427
Ashland Station .....	1	353
Camp Hill and Waverly .....	1	490
Cragford Mission .....	1	291
Dadeville Station .....	1	241
Daviston Mission .....	1	310
Five Point Circuit .....	4	536
Goodwater Circuit .....	1	571
Hackneyville Circuit .....	2	451
Hollins Mission .....	2	540
Kellyton Circuit .....	1	607
La Fayette Station .....	1	248
Lanett Station .....	3	350
Langdale Circuit .....	2	428
Lineville Station .....	1	303
Millerville Circuit .....	2	395
Milltown Mission .....	2	290
Oakbowery Circuit .....	1	332
Ranburne Circuit .....	1	393
Roanoke: First Church .....	2	457
Rockford Circuit .....	1	455
Shawmutt Station .....	2	264
Standing Rock Circuit .....	1	565
Wadley Circuit .....	2	344
Wedowee Circuit .....	1	340
	29	10,410

*Talladega District.*

Alexandria Circuit .....	1	486
Anniston: First Church .....	2	896

*Talladega District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Anniston: McCoy Memorial .....	2	270
City Mission .....	1	179
Childersburg and Fayetteville .....	1	384
Columbiana and Shelby .....	2	301
Easonville and Coal City .....	1	428
Edwardsville Mission .....	2	334
Heflin Circuit .....	1	412
Jacksonville and White Plains .....	1	596
Lanier Circuit .....	1	384
Lincoln Station .....	1	237
Mumford Circuit .....	1	699
Ohatchee Circuit .....	1	310
Oxford Station .....	1	249
Pell City and Eden .....	1	220
Ragland and Odenville .....	2	186
Sylacauga: First Church .....	1	510
Comer Mills .....	1	133
Sylacauga Circuit .....	1	368
Talladega: First Church .....	1	590
Trinity .....	1	236
Talladega Circuit .....	1	396
Vincent Circuit .....	1	430
Wilsonville Circuit .....	1	408
	19	9,642

*Tuscaloosa District.*

Bethel Circuit .....	2	361
Blocton Station .....	1	246
Brookwood and Johns .....	1	297
Carrollton and Aliceville .....	1	436
Coaling Mission .....	1	311
Coker Circuit .....	2	287
Elrod Circuit .....	2	334
Ethelville Circuit .....	1	450
Gordo and Reform .....	1	980
Hargrove and Garnsey .....	1	89
Holt and Searles .....	1	160
Kennedy Circuit .....	1	363
McShan Mission .....	1	175
Millport Circuit .....	1	391
Northport .....	1	319
Piper and Coleanor .....	1	245
South Side and Cottondale .....	1	366
Tuscaloosa: First Church .....	1	781
Brandon Memorial .....	1	288
Woodstock .....	1	91
Yolande Circuit .....	1	222
	17	7,172

*Recapitulation.*

Albertville District .....	41	8,383
Bessemer District .....	31	10,267
Birmingham District .....	37	13,152
Decatur District .....	26	9,080
Florence District .....	7	6,879
Gadsden District .....	19	8,217
Haleyville District .....	21	5,124
Huntsville District .....	25	7,970
Jasper District .....	22	8,198
Roanoke District .....	29	10,410
Talladega District .....	19	9,642
Tuscaloosa District .....	17	7,172
Total this year .....	294	104,494
Total last year .....	299	101,389
Increase .....	5	3,105
Decrease .....	5	.....

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 26. Yes.



Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 6. Yes.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 847.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 3,957.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 123.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 4,105.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 719.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 6,059.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 71,683.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$13,000.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$8,858.98. Paid to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$13,844.71; Home and Conference Missions, \$12,536.37. Total, \$26,381.08.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$8,009.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$15,152.75.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$332.21.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$29,962; preachers in charge, \$204,733.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$2,641.32.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 887; houses of worship, 787.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$2,027,920; indebtedness, \$157,732.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 285; parsonages, 227.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$456,225; indebtedness, \$40,052.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 12; district parsonages, 12.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$60,000; indebtedness, not given.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 5; parsonages, 2; amount of damage, \$1,932.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$787,804; premiums paid, \$4,874; losses sustained, \$1,932; collections on losses, \$477.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Athens College: Value of property, \$220,000; professors, 22; students, 144. Birmingham College: Value of property, \$218,000; professors, 10; students, 161. Woman's College (one-half): Value of property, \$400,000; professors, 25; students, 275. School property in Birmingham Circuit, Bessemer District, value, \$2,500.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 551; Conference organ, 5,150.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? Lay Leader, L. M. Stevenson, Roanoke, Ala.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Woodlawn, Ala.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### ALBERTVILLE DISTRICT.

*W. B. Hope, P. E.*

Albertville Station, J. L. Williams.  
 Altoona Circuit, J. W. Simmons.  
 Arab Circuit, L. S. Wessinger.  
 Baileytown Circuit, J. W. McBrayer.  
 Blountsville Circuit, L. G. Alverson.  
 Boaz Station, R. M. Howell.  
 Chavies Circuit, G. W. Miller, supply.  
 Cleveland Circuit, W. M. Treadaway.  
 Guntersville Station, S. L. Prickett.  
 Hanceville Circuit, B. M. Porter.  
 Henegar Circuit, R. G. Pugh.  
 Horton Circuit, William A. Lowry.  
 Kimberly Mission, J. L. B. McGill.  
 Lacy Springs Mission, E. W. Burns.  
 Langston Circuit, L. D. McReynolds.  
 Oneonta Station, S. R. Lester; W. L. Hendricks, Sup.  
 Pinson Circuit, W. F. Herndon.  
 Pleasant Hill Circuit, B. L. Dobbs.  
 Remlap Circuit, J. H. Pass.  
 Selfville Circuit, A. N. Burns.

South Hill Circuit, J. C. Savage.  
 Summit Circuit, J. W. Archer, supply.  
 Warrenton Circuit, W. Williams, supply.  
 Warrior Station, W. S. Hullett.  
 Whiton Circuit, G. M. Randle.

#### BESSEMER DISTRICT.

*George E. Boyd, P. E.*

Ann Memorial Station, W. G. Gaston.  
 Bessemer: First Church, Ira F. Hawkins.  
 Bessemer Circuit, J. D. Johnston.  
 Bethel Station, John T. Nolen.  
 Bethlehem Station, J. L. James.  
 Birmingham Circuit, George C. Dobbs.  
 Boyles Station, Z. A. Dowling.  
 Brighton Station, W. M. McDonald.  
 Central Park and Walnut Grove, John F. Sturdivant.  
 Ensley: First Church, B. T. Waites.  
 Highlands, W. P. McGlawn.  
 Ensley Circuit, J. W. Akin.  
 Fairfield Station, H. O. Chambers.  
 Gardondale Circuit, H. Whitehead.  
 Inglenook Station, W. C. Huckabee.  
 Jonesboro Station, G. M. Davenport; G. W. Sellers, Sup.  
 McCalla Circuit, J. S. Glasgow.  
 Mount Carmel and Crestline, E. W. Corley.  
 Mulga Circuit, J. L. McHugh.  
 Pratt City Station, W. O. Horton.  
 Pratt City Circuit, James Williams.  
 Shadyside Station, O. R. Burns.  
 Sunnyside Station, W. E. Aldridge.  
 Wylam Station, I. K. Waller.  
 Student in Candler School of Theology, E. M. Burks.

#### BIRMINGHAM DISTRICT.

*J. W. Johnson, P. E.*

Birmingham: Acipco and Ninth Street and Mission, C. S. Marable; U. S. Pitts, Sup., junior preacher.  
 Avondale, Claud Orear.  
 East Birmingham, M. M. Newton.  
 East Lake, R. I. Walston.  
 Eleventh Avenue, L. F. Parrish.  
 Fairview, A. H. Nabors.  
 First Church, George R. Stewart.  
 Fortieth Street, C. P. Hamby.  
 Fountain Heights, L. G. Sturdivant.  
 Highlands, P. B. Wells.  
 Mount Vernon, E. M. Glenn.  
 North Highlands, W. H. Mansfield.  
 Norwood, J. A. Duncan; J. L. Ferguson, Sup.  
 Owenton, S. O. Kimbrough.  
 Roebuck Springs, E. G. Mackay.  
 St. John, Carl Gregory.  
 St. Paul, J. S. Blackburn.  
 Sixty-seventh Street; W. G. Echols.

Birmingham: Trinity, L. F. Whitten.  
 Twenty-first Avenue, G. F. Cooper.  
 Walker Memorial, A. M. Freeman.  
 West End, R. T. Tyler.  
 West Woodlawn, F. K. Gamble.  
 Woodlawn, Robert Echols; T. O. Jones, junior preacher.  
 Conference Sunday School Field Secretary, C. Wolford.  
 Professor in Woman's College of Alabama, C. A. Bowen.  
 Professors in Birmingham College, E. G. Mackay and V. C. Herndon.  
 Agent of Superannuate Homes, J. W. Norton.  
 Conference Missionary Secretary, R. M. Archibald.  
 Agent for Birmingham College, J. B. Cumming.  
 General Evangelist, J. O. Hanes.  
 Professor in Emory University, W. F. Melton.  
 Editor of *Alabama Advocate*, L. C. Branscomb.  
 Conference Secretary of Education, J. A. Duncan.  
 Chaplain to Convicts, S. R. Emerson.

#### DECATUR DISTRICT.

*W. E. Morris, P. E.*

Albany: Central, J. C. Persinger.  
 Ninth Street, L. W. Young.  
 Athens Station, J. D. Simpson.  
 Athens Circuit, J. E. Riddle.  
 Austinville Station, William Neill.  
 Bethel Circuit, W. W. Black, supply.  
 Cairo Station and Mission, W. L. Thompson, and one to be supplied.  
 Cullman Station, S. T. Slaton.  
 Danville Circuit, J. A. Clark.  
 Decatur: First Church, H. M. Stevenson.  
 Decatur Circuit, Fred J. Schlosser.  
 Elkmont and Hebron, M. W. McCain.  
 Falkville Circuit, W. L. Rice.  
 Flint Circuit, R. C. Wilson.  
 Hartselle Station, F. L. Aldridge.  
 Moulton and Morris, Guy F. Ponder.  
 Pettusville Circuit, R. Y. Hannon.  
 Somerville Circuit, O. W. Barber.  
 Trinity Station, W. R. Beal.  
 Town Creek Station, R. W. Sides; S. V. Blythe, Sup.  
 Westmoreland Circuit, S. U. Lemmond.  
 Assistant Editor of *Nashville Christian Advocate*, J. S. Chadwick.  
 President of Athens College, B. B. Glasgow.

#### FLORENCE DISTRICT.

*L. F. Stansell, P. E.*

Barton Circuit, Clifton Draper, supply.  
 Center Star Circuit, S. W. Brooks.

Cherokee Station, M. E. Wilson.  
 Cloverdale Circuit, S. S. Hunter.  
 East Florence, I. T. Carlton.  
 Florence: First Church, J. F. Sturdivant.  
 Green Hill Circuit, B. K. Kelly.  
 Leighton Station, G. H. Means.  
 Margerum and Allsboro, J. S. Martin.  
 North Wood Avenue and Killen, S. T. Daniel.  
 Oakland Circuit, S. A. Swindell.  
 Pruitt Mission, H. E. Moore, supply.  
 Rodgersville Station, G. M. Bynum.  
 Russellville Station, J. T. Terry.  
 Sheffield Station, T. H. Johnson.  
 Spring Valley Circuit, G. G. Grimes.  
 Tuscumbia Station, L. A. Holmes.  
 Waterloo and Riverton, F. F. Lester.

#### GADSDEN DISTRICT.

*S. L. Dobbs, P. E.*

Alabama City, W. T. Howard.  
 Ashville Circuit, E. D. Emerson.  
 Attalla Station, J. D. Hunter.  
 Center Circuit, C. W. Seale.  
 Collinsville and Porterville, W. M. Harris.  
 Fort Payne and Valley Head, W. E. Draper.  
 Gadsden: First Church, F. W. Brandon.  
 Gadsden Circuit, B. F. Miller.  
 East Gadsden, W. A. Hamrick.  
 Gaylesville Circuit, D. S. McGlawn.  
 Hoke's Bluff Circuit, Elijah Upton.  
 Keener Mission, B. M. Bowen, supply.  
 Lookout Mountain Mission, W. F. Standifer, supply.  
 Lookout Valley Circuit, T. N. Chandler, supply.  
 Liberty Circuit, John McConatha.  
 Piedmont Station, W. R. Battle.  
 Shoal Creek Mission, F. M. Otts, supply.  
 Spring Garden Circuit, I. H. Horton.  
 Springville and Trussville, C. C. Godbey.  
 Springville Mission, D. B. Thompson, supply.  
 Steele Circuit, M. L. Shaw.  
 West Gadsden Station, L. M. Harris.  
 Conference Evangelist, J. A. May.

#### HALEYVILLE DISTRICT.

*J. A. J. Brock, P. E.*

Addison Mission, L. L. Jones.  
 Arkadelphia Circuit, John Lambuth Ferguson.  
 Bear Creek Circuit, John W. Graham.  
 Belgreen Mission, J. D. Kaylor.  
 Bexar Circuit, J. A. Gann.  
 Detroit Circuit, L. P. Martin.  
 Double Springs Circuit, F. E. Tiffin.  
 Falls City Mission, F. M. Wilson, supply.  
 Hackleburg Station, H. S. Matthews.

Haleyville Station, N. H. Abernathy.  
 Hamilton Station, W. T. Holdridge.  
 Liberty Hill Circuit, T. A. Hancock, supply.  
 Lynn Mission, H. M. Jones, supply.  
 Manchester Station, D. K. Pegues.  
 Marion Mission, W. P. Campbell, supply.  
 Mount Hope Circuit, W. A. Tiffin, supply.  
 Nauvoo and Gamble, W. M. Buttram.  
 Phil Campbell Circuit, J. F. Rudisil.  
 Red Bay and Vina, J. E. Jenkins.  
 Trimble Mission, W. M. Yarbrough, supply.  
 Vinemont Mission, A. S. Osborne, supply.

#### HUNTSVILLE DISTRICT.

*J. S. Robertson, P. E.*

Bell Mina Circuit, George E. Turrentine.  
 Bridgeport Circuit, W. J. McCarty.  
 Bryant Mission, T. J. Barclay, supply.  
 Flat Rock Mission, R. N. Moore.  
 Gurley Circuit, W. H. Pettus.  
 Huntsville: Epworth, M. L. Smith.  
     First Church, George Stoves.  
     Holmes Street, H. W. Rickey.  
     Merrimac, S. B. Smith.  
 Madison Station, H. L. Aldridge.  
 Meridianville Circuit, J. M. Igou.  
 New Hope Circuit, T. M. Wynn.  
 New Market Circuit, J. H. Vann.  
 North Mission, Duncan E. White, supply.  
 Owens Cross Roads, W. R. Duncan.  
 Paint Rock Mission, A. V. Jones.  
 Princeton Circuit, J. O. Hall.  
 Sand Mountain Mission, W. W. Rutland.  
 Scottsboro Mission, W. C. Chappell.  
 Scottsboro Station, B. T. Cantrell.  
 Stevenshon Circuit, W. R. Howell.  
 Toney Circuit, C. W. Reed.  
 Triana Circuit, J. W. Cary.  
 West Huntsville Mission, E. D. Totherow.  
 Flat Rock High School: R. H. Hartford,  
     Principal; W. W. Rutland, Professor.

#### JASPER DISTRICT.

*G. T. Harris, P. E.*

Beaverton Circuit, R. L. Curl, supply.  
 Berry and Bankston, L. A. Busby.  
 Bessie and Palos, F. R. Mapes.  
 Brookside Circuit, Franklin Bennett.  
 Campground Mission, J. T. Black.  
 Carbon Hill and Kansas, A. L. Mathison.  
 Cordova and Long Memorial, E. B. Reddus.  
 Corona and Patton, C. H. Bobo.  
 Covin Circuit, W. L. Morris.  
 Dora Station, I. B. Sargent.  
 Empire and Sipsey, J. W. Curl.  
 Fayette Station, M. R. Heflin.  
 Fayette Circuit, S. E. Maples.  
 Fernbank Circuit, A. W. Gregg.

Glen Allen and Gatlion, W. L. Capps.  
 Jasper Station, W. W. Scott.  
 Mineral Springs Circuit, O. N. Holmes.  
 New Prospect Mission, L. F. Faust, supply.  
 Oakman Circuit, R. L. Baker.  
 Quinton Circuit, J. E. Black.  
 Sulligent Station, W. E. Guthrie.  
 Townly Mission, J. W. Donaldson, supply.  
 Townly Station, E. E. Emerson.  
 Vernon Station, W. W. Heflin.  
 Vernon Circuit, A. Wood, supply.  
 Winfield and Guin, J. N. Davidson.

#### ROANOKE DISTRICT.

*W. E. Faust, P. E.*

Ashland Station, T. L. McDonald.  
 Camp Hill and Waverly, D. C. McNutt.  
 Cragford Mission, E. L. Roy.  
 Daviston Mission, H. A. Mullen.  
 Five Points Circuit, J. T. Self.  
 La Fayette Station, J. M. McClesky.  
 Lanett Station, O. A. Bonner.  
 Langdale Circuit, V. W. Hamner.  
 Lineville Station, W. W. Crymes.  
 Millerville Circuit, G. T. Martin.  
 Milltown Mission, T. B. Jordan.  
 Oakbowery Circuit, W. M. Wade.  
 Ranburne Circuit, O. L. Peek.  
 Roanoke Station, R. E. Tyler.  
 Shawmutt Station, W. T. Daniel.  
 Standing Rock Circuit, E. M. Barnes.  
 Wadley Circuit, J. H. Harris.  
 Wedowee Circuit, J. F. Dunn.

#### SYLACAUGA DISTRICT.

*W. F. Price, P. E.*

Agricola Circuit, P. C. Oliver.  
 Alexander City, P. L. Abernathy.  
 Calera Circuit, John A. Wales.  
 Chelsea, S. W. Burt, supply.  
 Childersburg Station, W. L. Holdridge.  
 Childersburg Circuit, Elijah Ogborne, supply.  
 Columbiana and Shelby, A. J. Notestine.  
 Dadeville, J. E. Morris.  
 Goodwater and Andrew Chapel, G. E. Driskill.  
 Hackneyville Circuit, M. R. Myer.  
 Helena Circuit, J. W. Coffman.  
 Hollins Circuit, S. A. Owen.  
 Kelleyton Circuit, H. M. Hurst.  
 Montevallo Station, W. W. Dorman.  
 Rockford Circuit, C. H. Lane.  
 Shades Mountain Circuit, J. T. Miller.  
 Siluria Circuit, R. L. Stallings.  
 Sylacauga Station, Clare Purcell.  
 Sylacauga Circuit, J. W. Culbertson.  
 Sylacauga and Mignon, W. D. Barnes.  
 Wilsonville Circuit, L. N. Hartsfield.  
 Wilton Circuit, M. B. Malone, supply.

#### TALLADEGA DISTRICT.

*J. R. Turner, P. E.*

Alexandria Circuit, J. M. Tabor.  
 Anniston: First Church, K. N. Matthews.  
 McCoy Memorial, W. K. Simpson.  
 City Mission, J. P. Cornelius.  
 Easonville and Coal City, P. L. Newton.  
 Edwardsville Circuit, J. M. Farrel.  
 Heflin Circuit, C. L. Herring.  
 Jacksonville and White Plains, O. L. Millican.  
 Lanier Circuit, W. F. Barnes.  
 Leeds Circuit, W. T. Hamby.  
 Lincoln Station, V. H. Hawkins.  
 Hunford Circuit, R. M. Phifer.  
 Ohatchee Circuit, J. O. Ray.  
 Oxford Station, C. L. Sumner.  
 Pell City and Mission, L. D. Adkins.  
 Ragland and Odenville, W. P. McDonald.  
 Talladega: First Church, E. B. Norton.  
 Trinity, C. A. Tatum.  
 Talladega Circuit, B. F. Hammond.  
 Vincent Circuit, W. A. Mays.  
 Superintendent of Alabama Orphanage, J. C. Craig.  
 Conference Missionary Evangelists, S. L. Pruitt and R. H. Jones.

#### TUSCALOOSA DISTRICT.

*R. W. Anderson, P. E.*

Bethel Circuit, M. L. Patton, supply.  
 Blocton Station, H. F. Crim.  
 Brookwood and Searles, R. L. Dill.  
 Carrollton and Aliceville, M. R. Smith.  
 Coaling Mission, R. L. Wilson, supply.  
 Coker Circuit, Roy Hewlett.  
 Ethelville Circuit, H. P. Waits.  
 Gordo and Reform, J. C. Francis.  
 Gordo Mission, R. L. Crump, supply.  
 Hargrove and Garnsey, S. N. Burns.  
 Holt Station, J. F. T. Brown.  
 Kennedy Circuit, W. W. Levy.  
 Millport Circuit, C. C. Turner.  
 Northport Station, L. A. Waits.  
 Piper and Coleanor, J. J. Sandlin.  
 Southside and Cottondale, R. M. Lavin-der.  
 Tuscaloosa: First Church, George W. Read.  
 Brandon Memorial, S. M. Mimms.  
 Woodstock, J. M. Wigley.  
 Yolande and Johns, Z. R. Carpenter.  
 Professor in Candler School of Theology, H. C. Howard.  
 Professor in University of Alabama, Arthur Bonner.  
 Secretary of Y. M. C. A., Joseph Parkin.

*Transferred.*—J. A. Bowen, to the North Mississippi Conference.

# NORTH TEXAS CONFERENCE.

FIFTIETH SESSION.

HELD AT GREENVILLE, TEX., NOVEMBER 1-6, 1916.

BISHOP MCCOY, *President*; R. G. MOOD, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
ANSWER. C. B. Fielder, L. M. Manning, R. E. Clifton, H. G. May, H. C. Minnis, W. F. Gilmore, H. H. Breedlove, R. H. Jarrell, Roy L. Patton. 9.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? W. H. Baker, G. W. Renfro, Frank Wilkinson, G. H. Brown, W. B. Simmons, A. O. Hood, L. N. Stuckey, H. H. Bain, S. E. Pritchett, W. H. Vail. 10.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? C. L. Satterfield, A. Wall, S. P. Farler, E. A. Drew, Gilbert Irwin. 5.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? Nathan Powell, elder, A. A. Kidd, elder, and H. G. Cook, elder, from the Texas Conference; J. A. Old, elder, from the West Oklahoma Conference; R. P. Shuler, elder, O. T. Cooper, elder, E. H. Crandall, elder, and E. L. Edgar, elder, from the West Texas Conference; Paul Kern, elder, from the Tennessee Conference; C. G. Chappell, elder, from the Central Texas Conference. 10.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? B. A. Moores. 1.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? Arthur S. Eggner. 1.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? E. F. Lancaster, F. C. Adams, R. T. Breedlove, F. M. Richardson, J. J. Cooper, H. C. Hand, W. W. Barnett, G. R. Slaughter. 8.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? A. Wall, S. P. Farler, E. A. Drew. 3.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? A. Wall, S. P. Farler, E. A. Drew. 3.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? H. L. Sone, C. Q. Smith, W. H. Baker, L. N. Stuckey, M. L. Beck, I. M. Payne, E. L. Naugle. 7.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? W. H. Baker, L. N. Stuckey, M. L. Beck, I. M. Payne, E. L. Naugle. 5.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? R. N. Huckaby, R. B. Curry, G. F. Jones, E. M. Jones, M. A. Stout,

W. E. Barberee, T. L. Huffstutler, M. C. Sooter, W. F. Davis, E. J. Harris. 10.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? R. N. Huckaby, R. B. Curry, G. F. Jones, E. M. Jones, M. A. Stout, W. E. Barberee, T. L. Huffstutler, M. C. Sooter, W. F. Davis, E. J. Harris. 10.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? R. J. Kiker. 1.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? P. S. Warren, H. B. Johnson, at their own request. 2.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? S. L. Ball, H. M. Cosby, W. D. Mountcastle, E. L. Spurlock. 4.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? S. M. Ownby, H. A. Bourland, H. M. Pirtle, J. A. Stafford, A. W. Gibson, G. H. Adams, J. A. Allen, G. F. Boyd, S. Crutchfield, I. N. Crutchfield, W. A. Coppedge, W. F. Clark, W. A. Edwards, R. S. Goreline, L. W. Harrison, B. T. Hayes, J. N. Hunter, M. B. Johnston, J. A. Kerr, C. E. Lamb, James McDougal, J. B. Minnis, S. W. Miller, J. H. Hunter, J. W. Murphy, John Moore, L. F. Palmer, J. H. Reynolds, J. F. Sheerwood, H. E. Smith, J. E. Vinson, J. C. Weaver, E. S. Williams, B. H. Webster, E. B. Thompson, C. C. Williams, F. A. Rosser, J. H. McLean, J. F. Alderson, I. A. Thomas, I. M. Woodward, J. W. Tincher, W. B. Martin, J. D. Whitehead. 44.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? J. M. Binkley, R. N. Brown, W. H. Hughes, I. W. Clark. 4.

WILLIAM HOLMES HUGHES ("Uncle Buck") was born in Stokes County, N. C., January 27, 1828. His parents, William and Alice Hughes, were Methodists of the old type for more than half a century. He was of an influential family of fourteen children, all reaching mature life, seven living to be more than eighty years old, and one reaching the ripe age of ninety-two. While the subject of this memoir was but a child, his parents moved to Bedford County, Tenn., where they remained several years, and then settled in Maury County, Tenn., where young William H. grew to manhood. His parents gave him



the best opportunities for an education the facilities of that country then afforded, and he made good use of those opportunities. He was converted at the age of nine years, and joined the Methodist Church. In 1845, when he was seventeen years old, he was licensed to exhort by the Quarterly Conference. Soon after this time the war between the United States and Mexico having begun, he offered himself for service in the army. Being in bad health, he failed to pass the physical examination, and was rejected. When eighteen years old he was licensed to preach by the Rock Creek Quarterly Conference, in January, 1846, A. F. Driskel, presiding elder; and in the fall of that year he was admitted on trial into the Tennessee Conference at Nashville, Bishop Soule presiding, and was sent to Richland Circuit in Giles County. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Paine in 1848, and ordained elder by Bishop Capers in 1850; thus being a minister in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, for more than seventy years, and an ordained elder sixty-six years. On September 10, 1849, he was happily married to Miss Zuleika R. Kittrell, of Maury County, Tenn. This marriage was truly one in which God joined husband and wife together. In the days of heroic womanhood in the itinerancy there were few, if any, who met the privations and hardships incident to a pioneer ministry with more fortitude than did this consecrated and godly woman. She was modest, unassuming, benevolent, devout, and refined in heart and life, and loved by all who knew her. She was everybody's "Aunt Leik." To them were born five children, four of whom are living—W. R. and L. H. Hughes, and Mrs. R. B. Oliver, of Dallas, and Dr. H. B. Hughes, of Hampshire, Tenn.; all of these were with him when the end came. In the fall of 1852, when but twenty-four years of age, broken in health, he was given a superannuate relation by the Tennessee Conference, and, on the advice of his physician, came to Texas and settled on a farm five miles north of what was then the little village of Dallas. For several years his health remained in a precarious condition, and he asked for, and was granted, a location by his Conference. At this time there were but few people living in Dallas County, and but three Methodist organizations north of the Trinity River. The first was organized in the home of I. B. Webb, brother-in-law of Brother Hughes, on Farmer's Branch, in March, 1847. Soon after this, two other classes were organ-

ized—one in Cedar Springs Schoolhouse, three miles north of Dallas; the other on Duck Creek. During these years Brother Hughes was very active as a local preacher; holding protracted and camp meetings, preaching to those hardy pioneers as much as his health would permit, and many souls were converted under his ministry. Having recovered his health sufficiently, he was readmitted into the East Texas Conference at Palestine, Tex., in the fall of 1859, Bishop Pierce presiding, and was sent to Marshall Station, where he remained one year. At the Conference of 1860 he was appointed presiding elder of the Dallas District, which embraced a large part of what is now the North Texas Conference. Serving this district four years, he was sent to the Dallas Circuit, where he remained two years. In the fall of 1868, his parents having been broken up by the Civil War, and being in feeble health, he transferred to the Tennessee Conference to take care of them. While there he filled the following stations: Mount Pleasant, three years; Culleoka, one year; Pulaski, two years; Lebanon, two years; and Gallatin, one year, and was returned for the second year, but soon after the session of the Tennessee Conference he was transferred by Bishop Wightman to the North Texas Conference and made presiding elder of the Dallas District. Serving this three years, he was sent to Paris Station two years; then to First Church, Dallas, where he remained two years. In the fall of 1883 he went back to Tennessee to settle some business affairs. Coming to the North Texas Conference, he filled the following appointments: Dallas District, one year; Terrell District, two years; Sulphur Springs Station, one year; Dallas City Mission, one year; supernumerary relation, one year; Pilot Point Station, two years; and Ladonia Station, two years. This was his last appointment in the regular itinerancy. For a number of years he sustained the supernumerary relation, and three years ago, against his wish, was placed on the superannuate list. Judged from any standpoint, he was a great man, measuring up to a high standard of noble Christian manhood. He hated shams of every sort, and had no patience with what he called "newfangled" ideas in religion. He was a man of strong convictions and courage to maintain them. He never half-way did anything, and whatever he undertook to do he did with his might, rarely stopping until he had achieved his purpose. He had great sympathy and respect for

the men on the honor roll of our Conference, and was ever ready to give of his means to help them in their needs. He deeded to our Conference a superannuate home in the city of Dallas, valued at three thousand dollars. Brother W. F. Clark, eighty-five years of age, just lingering on this side of the River, ready for the crossing, is now occupying this home. Naturally endowed with an incisive and logical mind, and having closely studied books and men, he acquired a vast store of knowledge which he used during his long and useful life to the advancement of the kingdom of God. He ranked high as a preacher, being thoughtful, analytical, argumentative, and forceful. His preaching was didactic rather than oratorical, making no attempt at display whatever—but preaching on the great themes of the gospel and defending the doctrines of Methodism. He loved his Church with her doctrines and polity, never apologizing for either, but ever ready to defend them against every foe; and woe be unto the man who crossed swords with him in the polemic arena! During the latter years he wrote much for our Church papers, and many of his articles ran as editorials, some of which were masterpieces. I regard his little book entitled *Old Foggy* as one of the most concise, unanswerable treatises on the distinctive doctrines of our Church I have ever seen. Uncle Buck was one of the charter members of the Trinity Conference, organized at Sulphur Springs in 1867, which four years later became the North Texas Conference. There are now but two of that "old guard" left, Dr. John H. McLean and W. C. Young, of Dallas. Twice, in the absence of a bishop, Brother Hughes was elected president of his Conference, and was twice elected delegate to the General Conference. A man of as positive a nature as his is sure to create some antagonisms, but all who knew Uncle Buck loved him, or at least respected him. Perhaps he performed more marriage ceremonies and buried more people than any other man in all the land. Under the touch of the Divine Hand, his nature was deeply spiritual and his life devout. The life that he lived in the flesh he lived by faith in the Son of God. To him God was not a doctrine, but a presence; religion was not a theory, but a realization; salvation was not a hope, but a possession. Some three months before his death his vocal organs became paralyzed so that he could not be understood. This was a source of great grief to him and to his many friends who vis-

ited him. He seemed to have no disease, suffered no pain, but gradually grew weaker day by day. The candle of his life that had burned so long flickered in its socket and went out at 12:15 P.M. October 24, 1916. As peacefully as a child falls asleep in its mother's arms, he passed to his rich reward. A great man in Israel has fallen!—O. S. Thomas.

ISAAC WESLEY CLARK was well equipped mentally, physically, and religiously for his life work, and took rank with the foremost of the State as a preacher and educator. He was three times, as a layman in 1890 and as a clerical member in 1898 and 1902, a delegate to the General Conference. He was a curator of the Southwestern University; a member of the Joint Board of Publication of the *Texas Christian Advocate*; presiding elder of five different districts; filled prominent stations; for thirteen years was President of Honey Grove High School; was a revivalist of great power and success, and in his varied services has left his impress for good upon many lives. He was the son of Rev. Joshua and Mary E. Clark—born in Tipton County, Tenn., July 16, 1840. His father was a preacher and teacher of note, who moved to Texas in 1853 and established in Upshur County the Murray League Institute, which for a number of years was a popular and prosperous institution of learning. At this school Brother Clark received his preparation for college, and in his seventeenth year entered the University of North Carolina and a few months before graduation joined the Confederate Army and served under that gallant commander, Gen. W. P. Lane, of Marshall, Tex. In 1866 he was happily married to Miss Mary C. Du Bose, whose father, Col. Virgil M. Du Bose, was a prominent teacher in his day and member of the faculty of the Murray League Institute; but prior to this, in 1849 and 1850, was co-principal with Prof. A. W. Tarleton, of the Republican Academy, of Marshall. Brother and Sister Clark reared a family of nine children and two grandchildren. Two children, a son and a daughter of mature age, have died. Seven children survive—Rev. Joshua J., Milton, Wesley, Joseph, and three daughters, Mrs. Carey, Mrs. C. E. and Mrs. A. B. Carter. He professed religion in September, 1869, and was licensed to preach three days later, and served as a local preacher and teacher until 1891, when he joined the North Texas Conference, and

continued in its active service until 1913, when failing health compelled him to surrender the pastorate. Whilst in the local ranks he practiced law at Mount Pleasant, but, finding it incompatible with his duties as a preacher, he abandoned the law at the end of one year. He taught for a short time at Leesburg, Mount Pleasant, and Sulphur Springs, but his chief work as a teacher was at Honey Grove. A number of his pupils are filling important positions in Church and State. Brother Clark was a modest, not to say timid, man—underrating his abilities. He seldom engaged in Conference discussions. He was a thoughtful, logical, forceful preacher, and many of his sermons were masterpieces. His was a fruitful ministry. Many in the great day of accounts will own him as their spiritual father. He will carry many sheaves with him to the heavenly garner. "He that winneth souls is wise." He was of a mercurial temperament, and whilst he was hopeful in the main, he was at times greatly depressed; adversity bore heavily upon him.

"Lo, the pris'ner is released,  
Lighten'd of his fleshly load;  
Where the weary are at rest,  
He is gathered unto God."

In the order given, he served the following appointments: Greenville, Paris, Sulphur Springs District, Bonham District, Terrell District, Sherman, Dallas District, McKinney District, Paris, Pilot Point, Grand Prairie. A short time before his death he was brought from his home at Grand Prairie to the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Carter, of Dallas, where he died on August 14, 1916. He was buried from the Oak Cliff Methodist Church. Rev. J. A. Old conducted the services, and paid a just tribute to the life and labors of the honored dead that lay coffined before him and the large, sympathetic audience. All but two of the children were present. The body was interred in the Oak Cliff Cemetery. Whilst the deceased bequeathed but little of earthly goods to his family, he has left them what is far better—a good name—the heritage of a life well spent in the service of God and humanity, in trying to brighten and better the lives of others as well as in the perfection of his own life. Blessings on the bereaved wife and children! May all profit by his godly life and counsel, emulate his virtues, and meet him in heaven.

—John H. McLean.

RICHMOND NOLLEY BROWN was born in Milton County, Ga., December 29, 1839. His parents were of English descent; his father was born near Culpeper Court-house, Va., in 1787, and his mother was born in Georgia in 1800. His father was a well-to-do farmer, and gave his children such advantages as the time afforded. Brother Brown's parents were Methodists of the olden type, having been converted and received into the Church under the ministry of Rev. Dr. Lovick Pierce. He was dedicated to God in infancy by baptism, and when twenty-six years of age he professed faith in Christ and joined the Church of his parents. He served four years in the Confederate Army, and was wounded at Murfreesboro, Tenn., in December, 1862. After the war he engaged in the mercantile business one year and taught school two years, having had the training afforded by the public schools and a year and a half in Emory College, Ga. He was married to Miss M. A. Cody in Milton County, Ga., June 24, 1866. To this union were born five children—Walter, Nolley, George P., Mrs. E. E. Emerson, and Mrs. Walton Bussey, all of whom, with his good wife, survive him. He was licensed to preach by the Quarterly Conference of Alpharetta Circuit, North Georgia Conference, July 30, 1870. He moved to Texas in 1871 and located at Duck Creek, now Garland, in Dallas County. He was recommended by the Quarterly Conference of Dallas Circuit for admission on trial into the North Texas Annual Conference and was received on trial in October, 1871. He was received into full connection at Dallas in 1873. He was ordained deacon November 3, 1871, by Bishop Kavanaugh, and elder at Paris, Tex., November 7, 1875, by Bishop Pierce. He served the following charges: 1871-72, Scyene Mission; 1872-73, Bois d'Arc Mission; 1873-74, Honey Grove Circuit; 1874-75, Dodd City Circuit; 1875-76, New Boston Circuit; 1878-81, Decatur Circuit; 1881-82, Rosston Circuit; 1882-85, Decatur Circuit; 1885-87, Sherman Circuit; 1887-88, Bells and Savoy; 1888-89, Rockwall and Garland; 1889-91, Brookston and White Rock; 1891-92, Deport Circuit; 1892-94, Bonham Circuit; 1894-95, Ben Franklin Circuit; 1895-96, Pattonville Circuit; 1896-98, Deport Circuit; 1898-99, Whitesboro Circuit; 1899-1901, Aubrey Circuit. At the session of the Conference held in 1901 he was granted a superannuate relation, and a year or so later moved to Sherman, where he lived until God called

him home on Monday, April 10, 1916, he being at the time seventy-six years, three months, and eleven days of age. He says of his life and experience: "God has been gracious to me through all these years, and when I have been tempted to take a local relation and tried to accumulate something with which to support myself and dependent family, my noble, self-sacrificing wife would encourage me to press on in the itinerant ministry, trusting in the promises of God. In the years of itinerant service I haven't missed a Quarterly Conference, District Conference, or Annual Conference; and after an experience running through all these years, I don't believe I could have done anything that would have been better for me, for my family, my country, or the human race, than to have been an itinerant Methodist preacher." Brother Brown was a thoroughly loyal and consistently faithful and successful preacher. His was a fruitful ministry—one year alone he had over two hundred conversions and one hundred and seventy-six additions to the Church. He served with fidelity on many of the Conference boards and committees, and was always dependable and trustworthy. He was an active and intelligent Mason, and rendered invaluable service in the different Masonic lodges of which he was a member. His funeral was held from Travis Street Church, Sherman, at three o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, April 11, 1916, being conducted by the writer, assisted by several of his brethren of the ministry, and the Masons having charge at the grave. Perhaps the one word which will best sum up Brother Brown's life, the outstanding characteristic of his life, is the word *fidelity*. As a son, husband, father, citizen, patriot, soldier, and a minister of the gospel of our Lord—in all these relationships—he was faithful, and having been faithful "unto death," has received his "crown of life." He died very suddenly, having been taken off in an instant, but his life is the only testimony we need, and we know that he has gone to be with God. He was a man of singularly artless and childlike faith. Humble, sweet-spirited, cheerful, uncomplaining, he has left to his family, to the Church, and to his brethren of the ministry a rich heritage of a worthy and useful and well-spent life. May God the Father bless and sustain his good wife, who has been bedridden for over five years, and his children, and may they and we, his brethren of the ministry, all

come at last "unto the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and to the innumerable company of angels, to the general assembly and Church of the first-born which are written in heaven."—*Robert Gibbs Mood.*

JACOB MONROE BINKLEY, a prominent minister and citizen, has been removed from our Church and State. For nearly sixty years he had been a faithful watchman on the walls of Zion, proclaiming the truths of Christianity and advocating the cause of civic righteousness. He was a native of Robertson County, Tenn., born February 26, 1833, and at the age of twenty came to Texas with his parents, locating in Grayson County, which he ever claimed as his home. His father, David Binkley, was of German extraction, and his mother, Rebecca Adams, a lineal descendant of Lord Posey, of England. He was converted in Tennessee, just before coming to Texas, under the ministry of Rev. A. R. Dixon, and soon felt called to preach. At this critical period of his life he was quite fortunate in finding a friend and teacher in Rev. Barton W. Taylor—fresh from McKenzie College—who had established a school of high grade in Sherman. Here Brother Binkley enjoyed his best educational advantages and greatest encouragement and inspiration as a young preacher. In 1857, at Rusk, Tex., he joined the East Texas Conference, and was greatly gratified a little later to be joined in Conference fellowship by his spiritual father, Rev. A. R. Dixon, who transferred from Tennessee to the East Texas Conference. In 1866 this Conference was divided into the East Texas and Trinity Conferences, and Brother Binkley and his friend Dixon went with the Trinity Conference. As a matter of history, McKenzie, Hughes, and Binkley, delegates to the General Conference of 1866, which met in New Orleans, La., were the prime movers in securing the permission to divide the East Texas Conference, which was done in the fall of 1866. At the General Conference of 1874 the name of Trinity was changed to that of North Texas, and as a member of that body the deceased continued until the day of his death. He was a man of splendid personnel, brilliant intellect, ready wit that served him well in retort, repartee, or debate—and of high moral and physical courage. He was a facile speaker, of easy, natural manners, but when animated was forceful and impressive—a strong and fearless de-

fender and advocate of the doctrines and polity of his Church. He was of an affectionate, sympathetic, and generous nature, transcending at times his financial ability in his contributions to the claims of the Church and calls of humanity. He did not know how to say "No" to the calls of charity, or to a friend asking aid. His native intellect, generous nature, and great force of character gave him prominence among his fellows. In the eighth year of his ministry he was elected to the General Conference, and to four subsequent General Conferences. He always served acceptably on missions, circuits, stations, but one-half of his ministry was spent in the presiding eldership. He served on various Conference boards and committees, was a charter member of the Board of Trustees of Southwestern University and of the North Texas Female College, and ever fostered these institutions, serving from its inception as President of the Board of Trustees of the last-named school. He lived to the good old age of nearly eighty-three years, when the weary wheels of life, on January 13, 1916, suddenly stood still, and without ache or pain, sigh or groan, his spirit went home to God. The family was summoned, some members from a distance, and the obsequies were held on Saturday, January 16, 1916, in the Travis Street Methodist Church of Sherman, Tex., conducted by the presiding elder, Rev. R. G. Mood, assisted by the pastor, Rev. J. F. Pierce, Rev. H. A. Bourland, D.D., Rev. P. C. Archer, and the writer, who had known him intimately for fifty-five years. The greatest respect was shown the memory of this their most honored citizen by the community in which he had made his home for sixty-three years. The Mayor and City Council requested all business houses to be closed at the hour of the funeral service, and the large church was filled to its capacity and many stood without. There was the greatest display of choicest flowers, wrought into the most artistic designs the writer ever saw. The large audience sympathized profoundly throughout the solemn and impressive service, and with loving hands laid him tenderly to rest in beautiful West Hill Cemetery, awaiting the resurrection morn. "Soldier of Christ, well done! Rest from thy loved employ." The deceased is survived by his wife and ten children. Five children are the fruit of his first marriage with Miss Sarah F. Coutts, on April 13, 1863, who died in 1874, leaving one son, Marvin, and four

daughters, Mrs. S. C. Riddle, Mrs. T. U. Cole, Mrs. Page Harris, and Mrs. Tom Randolph. On May 22, 1876, he was united in marriage with Miss Anna A. Evans, and leaves two sons, C. C. and J. M., Jr., and three daughters, Mrs. George Hubbard and Misses Mattie and Reba. May all profit by his godly counsel and useful life, and in the end be an unbroken family in heaven.—*John H. McLean.*

Among the first recollections of my life was being sent by my father to meet Brother Binkley at the train as he came to Georgetown to attend a meeting of the Trustees of Southwestern University, and from that time on I have known and loved him. He gave me my first appointment, and during those first months of ignorant blundering he was as kind and sympathetic and helpful as a father; and doubtless many members of the North Texas Conference could bear the same testimony. The past three years, as his presiding elder, I have been thrown in very close and intimate relationship with him, and have always found him safe in counsel and helpful in his sympathy. It has been a joy to watch him ripen and sweeten for his departure. During the last two or three years of his life he was confined to his home a large part of the time, but about a year ago, one bright, balmy spring day, he telephoned me to come over and go driving with him. That afternoon he opened his heart to me and talked freely and without reserve. He had a dread of becoming totally helpless, and speaking of this he said: "I do not complain, and I do not want to dictate to Providence, but I cannot help wish that I might slip away now." And then as his eyes filled with tears he added: "But it's all right. God has been good to me and the way is perfectly clear, not a cloud in my sky." To his friend, Dr. Wharton, of the First Presbyterian Church, he remarked just a few days before his death, "I want my friends to come to see me now, for I am going on a long journey pretty soon"; and on he talked of his death as calmly as of any everyday fact of his life. "Know ye not that there is a prince and a great man fallen this day in Israel?" May a double portion of his spirit fall upon us younger men of the ministry to which he gave his life, and may we be worthy of the heritage which he, McLean, Norwood, Neely, Piner, Hughes, Powers, and others have left to us.—*Robert Gibbs Mood.*



Mrs. LUCY A. KIDD-KEY was born in Salvisa, Ky., on December 27, 1839. In her very early girlhood she gave her heart and life unreservedly for God and the Church, and for a period of about sixty-five years she has given her life wholly to the service of God and the Church and humanity. Before her marriage, Mrs. Key was Miss Lucy Thornton, of the aristocratic Thornton family of Versailles, Ky. Her mother was a most excellent and devoutly pious woman, and from her Mrs. Key inherited much of her womanly winsomeness. Her first marriage was to Dr. Henry Kidd, of Yazoo, Miss. While living in Yazoo she was very active in her church, being Sunday-school superintendent and easily the leader in all the work of the church—as one has put it, “She was the church in Yazoo.” When the lamented Bishop Galloway was quite a young man he was sent as pastor to the church at Yazoo, and the church at that place, rather resenting the fact that so young and inexperienced a man was sent to them, received and treated him with scant courtesy, no one offering to receive him or show him any consideration. Mrs. Key, then Mrs. Kidd, with a thoughtfulness which characterized her whole life, invited the young preacher into her home, and for six months he made his home in the house of herself and husband, and there was begun a friendship that was beautiful to see and which only increased and ripened with the passing years. At the death of Dr. Kidd, with that courage and cheerfulness which through all her life characterized this elect woman, she took up the burden of life and the care of her children and became connected with Whitworth College, at Brookhaven, Miss. It was here that she gained her first experience as manager of a school, and it was her eminent ability as an educator which, being recognized by Bishop Galloway, caused him to recommend her for the position of President of the North Texas College, at Sherman. With a high courage and dauntless faith, Mrs. Key came to Texas in the summer of 1886 to undertake her new duties. The North Texas College consisted of two small frame dormitories and a tiny, antiquated brick chapel, which were situated at one side of the then small village of Sherman. These buildings were deserted and desolated by a vacancy of two years. Mrs. Key at once began to go on her rounds of the Annual Conferences in Texas and Oklahoma, making personal

solicitations for pupils and funds. Her first pupil was Miss Georgia Bonney, now Mrs. Tom Finty, of Dallas. Many of these journeys were made by stage and old-fashioned coaches, and the howls of wolves in the lonely settlements of what was then the Indian Territory often dismayed her; but true to the call of duty, she said, with the great Apostle to the Gentiles, “None of these things move me,” and, faithfully and unflinchingly she went on and on with the work which the Church had called her to do. The development of Kidd-Key as an institution received the earnest and constant attention of Mrs. Key. Almost no year has gone by since she became President that some new building or annexes have not been made. Two disastrous fires destroyed dormitories at different times in the history of the school, and the buildings were replaced with imposing brick structures, housing scores of students. She established the Kidd-Key Conservatory of Music and Art as a separate institution, but one conducted in conjunction and by the coöperation of the North Texas College. The College, as it now stands, consists of nineteen buildings. They are: Lois Thompson Hall, the residence of Bishop and Mrs. Key, Annie Green Dormitory, the Chapel, Binkley Hall, Kimbley Hall, the Music Practice Building, Norfleet Hall, Orlena, Paradise and Bliss Cottages, the Infirmary, Miller Cottage, Barry Cottage, Versel Cottage, Conservatory, Alamo, Senior Hall, Laboratory, and Gymnasium. The five last-named stand on the property acquired from the old Mary Nash College. While she has been President of the College since she first took it in charge, she has filled practically every position that needed to be filled in the institution. In the words of Thomas Nelson Page: “She was mistress, manager, nurse, counselor, seamstress, teacher, housekeeper, slave, all at once. What she really was was known only to God.” Certainly her physical endurance, her moral responsibility, her unflagging tact, were often taxed to the utmost. During all her life her vitality and interest have seemed inexhaustible. Only a few years ago she made an extended tour of Europe, and proved herself a tireless traveler. The following year she decided on impulse to go again, and spent three months in Germany and Holland. She greatly admired the orderliness and efficiency of the Germans as a people. Mrs. Key was the first educator to bring artist teachers of

the highest standing to the Southwest. She maintained a high standard of excellence in both the academic and music departments, and hundreds of carefully educated and beautifully cultured women in all parts of the country attest to the practicality of her methods. Early in her career she recognized that women require a type of education equal to that of men, but different. She maintained at all times that the fine arts had a definite place in the training of young women, and many movements for reform in methods for the teaching of women originated in her school. Paramount above all, Mrs. Key never failed to urge the young women intrusted to her care to find themselves as women. From the old South she herself inherited dignity and gentleness of manner, purity of heart and nobility of soul. Her contact with and supervision over her girls, the personal care she gave to each and every one of them, enabled her to exert to the full the power of her nature and personality as creative forces in the development of the characters of those in her charge. On April 5, 1892, she was most happily married to Bishop Joseph S. Key, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South; and perhaps there were never two people who were so beautifully congenial and between whom there was a closer sympathy and more perfect understanding. Their life together stands as a rebuke to the shallow and hollow mockery of many present-day marriages. The ceremony of this wedding was performed by her life-long friend and counselor, Bishop Charles B. Galloway, who came from Mississippi to preside at the happy occasion. She leaves, besides her husband, two children, Mr. Edwin Kidd and Mrs. Holt Versel, both of Sherman, Tex. Of her distinguished service to the Church and State it is not necessary at this hour to speak. Her life and work are so well known that it would be a work of supererogation to try to speak at this time. Of the countless lives whom she has touched, and touched to help, adorn, and beautify, no one can speak fully. The record is on high, and is alone known to "Him whose she was and whom she served" for so long and with such fidelity. There is mourning all over Texas to-day and all over the South; indeed, all over the nation. She went home to be with God on Wednesday night, September 13, 1916, about 10:30 o'clock. She would have been

seventy-seven years of age next December.—R. G. Mood.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called one by one, and their characters passed. J. W. O'Bryant and H. L. White withdrew from the ministry and membership of the Church.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### Bonham District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Bailey .....	...	348
Bonham .....	...	800
Bonham Mission .....	3	345
Brookston and High .....	1	239
Dodd City .....	1	393
Ector .....	...	425
Honey Grove .....	1	408
Ladonia .....	...	243
Leonard .....	1	243
Betty .....	...	224
Ravenna .....	1	330
Trenton .....	3	420
Telephone .....	1	171
White Rock .....	1	415
Windom and Rock Point .....	...	259
	13	5,263

#### Dallas District.

Cedar Hill .....	...	369
Cochran and Maple .....	1	175
Dallas: Brooklyn Avenue .....	2	134
Cole Avenue .....	2	162
Ervay Street .....	2	695
First .....	4	741
Forest Avenue .....	3	289
Grace .....	1	1,056
Irving .....	1	70
Munger .....	1	457
Oak Cliff .....	...	853
Oak Lawn .....	3	637
St. John .....	2	285
Trinity .....	3	1,007
Tyler Street .....	2	880
West Dallas .....	...	96
University Church .....	23	200
Duncanville and Wheatland .....	...	252
Grand Prairie .....	3	289
	53	8,674

#### Decatur District.

Alvord Station .....	...	232
Argyle and Ponder .....	2	435
Bryson and Germyn .....	4	289
Boyd Circuit .....	1	355
Bridgeport Station .....	2	300
Chico Mission .....	3	371
Crafton Mission .....	...	299
Decatur Station .....	...	383
Decatur Circuit .....	3	345
Greenwood Mission .....	...	208
Jacksboro Station .....	...	234
Krum and Slidell .....	...	290
Mount Zion and Shiloh .....	1	98
Paradise Mission .....	...	285
Perrin and Barton .....	...	373
Post Oak Mission .....	2	317

*Decatur District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Roanoke and Justin .....		253
Sunset Mission .....	1	251
Vineyard Mission .....		185
	19	5,303

*Gainesville District.*

Aubrey Circuit .....		462
Bonita Mission .....	1	180
Dexter Mission .....	1	196
Denton Station .....		913
Era and Spring Creek .....		289
Gainesville: Denton Street .....		553
Whaley Memorial .....	3	575
Lewisville Station .....	1	329
Marysville Circuit .....		338
Montague Mission .....	1	216
Myra and Hood .....		295
Pilot Point Circuit .....	2	382
Rosston Mission .....	1	217
Sanger Station .....		265
Spanish Fort Mission .....	3	106
St. Jo Mission .....	1	245
Valley View Station .....	1	225
Woodbine Circuit .....	2	423
	17	6,209

*Greenville District.*

Caddo Mills and Floyd .....	4	375
Campbell Circuit .....	1	551
Celeste Station .....		261
Celeste Circuit .....		318
Commerce Station .....	1	621
Fairlie Mission .....	1	350
Greenville: Kavanaugh .....	6	682
Lee Street .....	1	377
Wesley .....	2	792
Mission .....	1	486
Jones, Bethel, and Wesley Chapel .....	1	466
Lone Oak Station .....	2	284
Merit Circuit .....		567
Quinlan .....		501
Wolfe City Station .....		394
	20	7,025

*McKinney District.*

Allen and South McKinney .....	2	351
Anna and Melissa .....	1	407
Blue Ridge Circuit .....	1	384
Carrollton and Farmer's Branch .....	1	276
Celina Station .....	1	285
Farmersville Station .....	3	415
Frisco Station .....	1	295
Josephine Circuit .....		340
McKinney: First Church .....		560
Nevada Station .....		216
Plano Station .....	1	310
Princeton Circuit .....		429
Prosper Circuit .....	1	451
Renner Circuit .....		480
Richardson Circuit .....	1	289
Weston Circuit .....	2	355
Wylie Mission .....	1	255
	16	6,098

*Paris District.*

Annona .....		445
Avery .....	2	400
Blossom .....		267
Bogota .....	1	589
Paris: Bonham Street .....		300
Centenary .....	2	589
Lamar Avenue .....		661

*Paris District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Clarksville .....	1	436
Clarksville Circuit .....	1	285
Deport .....		293
Detroit .....	1	448
Emberson .....		510
Howland .....	1	316
Paris Circuit .....	1	342
Pattonville .....		275
Roxton .....	1	256
White Rock .....	1	420
Woodland .....		260
	12	7,122

*Sherman District.*

Bells Circuit .....	2	347
Collinsville and Tioga .....		380
Denison: Mission .....		104
Trinity .....	3	529
Waples Memorial .....	3	675
Howe .....	1	240
Pilot Grove Circuit .....		286
Pilot Point Station .....		177
Pottsboro and Preston .....		256
Sadler and Gordonville .....	2	230
Sherman Circuit .....	1	389
Sherman: Key Memorial .....		494
Travis Street .....		1,247
Van Alstyne Station .....		365
Whitesboro Station .....	1	340
Whitewright Station .....		310
	13	6,369

*Sulphur Springs District.*

Brashear .....		399
Coma and Forest Academy .....	1	474
Cooper .....		277
Cumby Circuit .....	1	324
Klondike Circuit .....	1	204
Lake Creek Circuit .....	1	238
Mount Vernon Station .....	1	308
Mount Vernon Mission .....	1	104
Pecan Gap and Ben Franklin .....	3	500
Pickton Circuit .....	1	520
Relly Springs Circuit .....	1	602
Saltillo and Weaver .....	2	326
Sulphur Bluff Circuit .....		430
Sulphur Springs .....	1	1,020
Wesley Circuit .....	2	120
Winnsboro .....	3	506
Yowell Circuit .....		297
	19	6,649

*Terrell District.*

Chisholm Circuit .....		281
College Mount Circuit .....		232
Crandall Circuit .....		390
Elmo Mission .....	2	325
Fate Circuit .....	1	365
Forney Station .....		295
Garland Station .....	2	307
Hutchins and Wilmer .....		285
Kaufman Station .....	1	361
Kemp and Becker .....	5	409
Lancaster Station .....	1	290
Mabank Mission .....		304
Mesquite and Pleasant Mound .....	2	440
Rockwall Station .....		453
Royse Station .....		424
Scurry Circuit .....	2	430
Terrell Station .....		669
	16	6,260

*Wichita Falls District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Archer City .....	...	217
Bellevue .....	...	218
Blue Grove .....	...	339
Bowie .....	1	369
Burkburnett .....	...	189
Byers .....	...	381
Dundee .....	...	181
Electra Mission .....	...	150
Electra Station .....	1	278
Henrietta .....	2	368
Iowa Park .....	1	212
Megargel .....	1	187
Nocona .....	1	392
Petrolia .....	...	191
Ringgold .....	...	160
Vashti .....	...	409
Wichita Falls Mission .....	1	170
Wichita Falls Station .....	3	1,121
	11	5,532

*Recapitulation.*

Bonham District .....	13	5,263
Dallas District .....	53	8,674
Decatur District .....	19	5,303
Gainesville District .....	17	6,209
Greenville District .....	20	7,025
McKinney District .....	16	6,098
Paris District .....	12	7,122
Sherman District .....	13	6,369
Sulphur Springs District .....	19	6,649
Terrell District .....	16	6,260
Wichita Falls District .....	11	5,532
Total this year .....	209	70,504
Total last year .....	197	71,662
Increase .....	12	....
Decrease .....	...	1,158

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 36. Yes.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 14. Yes.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 815.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 2,874.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 157.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 5,719.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 448.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 4,737.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 58,745.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$15,831.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$12,679. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$15,062; Home and Conference Missions, \$13,472. Total, \$28,534.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$8,302.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$15,795.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$1,154.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$31,082; preachers in charge, \$182,657.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$2,486.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 526; houses of worship, 451.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$2,025,235; indebtedness, \$147,201.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 196; parsonages, 187.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$354,075; indebtedness, \$26,252.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 11; district parsonages, 11.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$45,000; indebtedness, \$4,250.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 4; amount of damage, \$6,762.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$910,435; premiums paid, \$5,346; losses sustained, \$6,762; collections on losses, \$5,254.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Southern Methodist University: Value of property, \$2,294,735; endowment, \$212,147.49; professors, 43; pupils, 698. Southwestern University: Value of property, \$500,000; endowment, \$361,490; professors, 25; pupils, 719. Texas Woman's College: Value of property, \$415,000; pupils, 334. North Texas Female College: Value of property, \$175,000; boarding pu-

pils, 185. Wesley College: Value of property, \$100,000; pupils, 277.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 287; Conference organ, 4,174.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? R. R. Dial.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Sulphur Springs, Tex.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### BONHAM DISTRICT.

*E. W. Alderson, P. E.*

Bailey Circuit, C. B. Golson.  
Bonham Station, W. L. Tittle.  
Brookston and High, H. B. Chambers.  
Dodd Circuit, M. C. Sooter.  
Ector Circuit, J. A. Wheeler.  
Fannin Mission, to be supplied.  
Honey Grove Station, Rex B. Wilkes.  
Ladonia Station, K. R. Isbell.  
Leonard Station, J. M. Sweeton.  
Petty Circuit, L. F. Tannery.  
Ravenna Mission, R. T. Breedlove.  
South Bonhan, J. R. Wages.  
Telephone Mission, E. L. Edgar.  
Trénton Circuit, W. F. Davis.  
Whiterock Circuit, A. T. Bridges.  
Windom and Rock Point, W. B. Byars.

#### DALLAS DISTRICT.

*S. R. Hay, P. E.*

Cedar Hill, M. C. Dobbs.  
Cochran, to be supplied.  
Dallas: Brooklyn Avenue, W. W. Johnson.  
Cole Avenue, to be supplied.  
Duncanville and Wheatland, C. P. Combs.  
Ervay Street, G. C. French.  
First Church, S. H. C. Burgin.  
Forest Avenue, H. G. Cook.  
Grace Church, W. J. Johnson.  
Highland Park, C. G. Chappell.  
Irving, R. W. Fischer.  
Maple Avenue, E. J. Harris.  
Munger Place, J. A. Old.  
Oak Cliff, C. M. Gibson.  
Oak Lawn, C. M. Simpson.  
St. John's, C. D. Montgomery.  
Tyler Street, C. O. Shugart.  
Grand Prairie, I. C. Kiker.  
Commissioner of Education for Southern Methodist University, O. S. Thomas.  
Secretary of Home Missions, John M. Moore.

Agency Secretary of American Bible Society, J. J. Morgan.

Conference Evangelists, W. H. Brown and J. B. Davis.

Professor in Hardin School for Boys, M. G. Maiden.

Professor in Southern Methodist University, Paul B. Kern.

Conference Secretary of Education, G. C. French.

Powell University Training School, Nathan Powell.

Conference Secretary of Missions, L. P. Smith.

#### DECATUR DISTRICT.

*W. A. Stuckey, P. E.*

Alvord Station, J. P. Humphreys.  
Bowie, G. A. Lehnhoff.  
Boyd Circuit, J. D. Hudgins.  
Bridgeport Station, J. R. Atchley.  
Bryson and Jermyn, E. H. Coburn.  
Chico Mission, E. F. Brown.  
Crafton Mission, Riley H. Jarrell.  
Decatur Station, R. B. Moreland.  
Decatur Circuit, J. E. Short.  
Greenwood Mission, C. M. Clark.  
Jacksboro Mission, E. L. Harris.  
Jacksboro Station, R. N. Huckabee.  
Justin and Ponder, W. N. Vernon.  
Krum and Slidell, C. W. Glanville.  
Mount Zion and Shiloh, G. F. Boyd, supply.  
Paradise Mission, E. A. Drew.  
Perrin and Barton, W. J. Wilson.  
Roanoke and Argyle, E. M. Jones.  
Sunset Circuit, W. W. Barnett.  
Willow Point Mission, Roy F. Patton.

#### GAINESVILLE DISTRICT.

*C. M. Harless, P. E.*

Aubrey Circuit, H. C. Hand.  
Bonita Mission, C. W. Thomas, supply.  
Denton Mission, R. G. Mood.  
Dexter Mission, L. M. Manning.  
Era Circuit, M. A. Stout.  
Gainesville: Denton Street, C. C. Young.  
Whaley Memorial, C. A. Long.  
Lewisville Station, N. R. Stone.  
Marysville Circuit, W. E. Barberee.  
Montague Mission, R. L. Patterson, supply.  
Myra and Hood, L. A. Burke.  
Rosston Mission, to be supplied by A. B. Moores.  
Pilot Point Circuit, A. S. Eggner.  
Sanger Station, T. W. Lovell.  
Spanish Fort Circuit, R. A. Oakes, supply.  
St. Jo Mission, S. E. Pritchett.  
Valleyview Station, J. W. Slagle.  
Woodbine Circuit, H. H. Breedlove.



## GREENVILLE DISTRICT.

*M. L. Hamilton, P. E.*

Caddo Mills and Floyd, J. V. Davis.  
 Campbell Circuit, J. B. Adair.  
 Cash Mission, G. W. Renfro.  
 Celeste Station, J. Leonard Rea.  
 Celeste Circuit, W. H. Baker.  
 Commerce Station, J. W. Hill.  
 Fairlie Mission, L. L. Naugle.  
 Greenville: Kavanaugh, C. A. Spragins;  
     E. L. Spurlock, Sup.  
     Lee Street, C. C. Childress.  
     Wesley, T. H. Morris.  
 Greenville Mission, J. W. Clifton.  
 Jones and Bethel and Wesley Chapel, O.  
     E. Moreland.  
 Lone Oak Station, B. B. Hall.  
 Merit Circuit, E. L. Silliman.  
 Quinlan, C. H. Russell.  
 Wolfe City Station, C. L. Bounds.  
 Commissioner for Wesley College, J. B.  
     Gober.  
 Conference Evangelist, L. E. Conkin.

## MCKINNEY DISTRICT.

*C. W. Dennis, P. E.*

Allen and South McKinney Mission, J. W.  
     Beck; Luther Beck, junior preacher,  
     supply.  
 Anna and Melissa, R. S. Kerr.  
 Blue Ridge Circuit, S. P. Farler.  
 Carrollton and Farmer's Branch Mission,  
     L. N. Stuckey.  
 Celina Station, H. E. Anderson.  
 Farmersville Station, T. N. Weaks.  
 Frisco Station, E. H. Crandall.  
 Frisco Circuit, C. B. Fielder.  
 Josephine Circuit, E. F. Lancaster.  
 McKinney: First Church, W. T. White-  
     side.  
 Nevada Station, W. J. Bludworth.  
 Plano Station, J. F. Holmes.  
 Princeton Circuit, L. A. Hanson.  
 Prosper Circuit, Guy F. Jones.  
 Renner Circuit, H. H. Bain.  
 Richardson Circuit, C. L. Bowen.  
 Weston Circuit, George R. Slagle.  
 Wylie Mission, D. F. Fuller.  
 Agent of Homes for Superannuates, F. O.  
     Miller; Assistant Agent, P. C. Archer.

## PARIS DISTRICT.

*J. L. Morris, P. E.*

Annona Circuit, C. W. Kavanaugh.  
 Avery Mission, J. W. Beckham.  
 Blossom, E. L. Wright.  
 Bogota Circuit, W. A. Pritchett.  
 Clarksville Station, R. C. Hicks.  
 Cuthand Circuit, Frank Wilkinson.  
 Deport Station, W. R. McCarter.  
 Detroit, G. W. Whisler.

Emberson Circuit, F. C. Adams.  
 Howland Mission, J. D. Thomas.  
 Paris: Bonham Street, W. H. Wright.  
     Lamar Avenue, T. J. Beckham.  
     Centenary, R. P. Shuler; W. D. Mount-  
     castle and H. M. Cosby, Sup's.  
 Paris Circuit, G. H. Brown.  
 Pattonville, A. P. Hightower.  
 Roxton, A. F. Hendrix.  
 White Rock and Williams Chapel, W. H.  
     Vail.  
 Woodland Circuit, J. J. Cooper.

## SHERMAN DISTRICT.

*D. K. Porter, P. E.*

Bells Circuit, C. N. Smith.  
 Collinsville and Tioga, O. T. Rogers.  
 Denison: Sherman and Denison Mission,  
     R. E. Clifton.  
     Trinity, L. D. Shawver.  
     Waples Memorial, O. T. Cooper.  
 Howe Circuit, R. P. Buck.  
 Pilot Grove Circuit, W. E. Dale.  
 Pilot Point Station, E. V. Cole.  
 Pottsboro and Preston, C. F. McKinney.  
 Sadler and Gordonville, N. C. Little.  
 Sherman: Key Memorial, A. A. Kidd.  
     Travis Street, J. F. Pierce.  
 Sherman Circuit, J. L. Johnson.  
 Van Alstyne Station, F. B. Wheeler.  
 Whitesboro Station, J. H. Scrimshire.  
 Whitewright Station, A. R. Nash.  
 Professor and Business Manager of North  
     Texas Female College, J. O. Leath.

## SULPHUR SPRINGS DISTRICT.

*R. F. Bryant, P. E.*

Brashear Mission, W. E. Kirby.  
 Como and Forest Academy, J. F. Archer.  
 Cooper Station, S. M. Black.  
 Cumby Circuit, J. L. Sullivan.  
 Klondike and Enloe, J. T. Bludworth.  
 Lake Creek Circuit, W. B. Simmons.  
 Mount Vernon Station, N. W. Oliver.  
 Pecan Gap and Ben Franklin, M. H. Read.  
 Pickton Circuit, S. L. Habern.  
 Reily Springs Circuit, J. W. Baughman.  
 Saltillo Mission, H. C. Minnis.  
 Sulphur Bluff Circuit, to be supplied by  
     J. S. Hughes.  
 Sulphur Springs Mission, to be supplied  
     by J. B. Culwell.  
 Sulphur Springs Station, W. D. Thomp-  
     son.  
 Winnsboro Station, J. E. Roach.  
 Yowell Mission, Alex Hubbard.

## TERRELL DISTRICT.

*E. L. Egger, P. E.*

Chisholm Circuit, C. L. Satterfield.  
 College Mound and Poetry, H. G. May.

Crandall Circuit, T. M. Kirk.  
 Elmo Mission, A. C. Sterling.  
 Fate Circuit, J. P. Rodgers.  
 Forney Station, T. W. Preston.  
 Garland Station, R. E. Porter.  
 Hutchins and Wilmer, F. M. Richardson.  
 Kaufman Station, E. H. Casey.  
 Kaufman Circuit, to be supplied.  
 Kemp and Becker, E. G. Roberts.  
 Lancaster Station, W. C. Howell.  
 Mabank Mission, E. B. Jackson.  
 Mesquite and Pleasant Mound, R. L. Ely.  
 Rockwall Station, S. C. Riddle.  
 Royse Station, C. B. Fladger.  
 Scurry Circuit, H. M. Cowling.  
 Terrell Station, J. L. Pierce.  
 President of Texas Military College, L. C. Perry.

### WICHITA FALLS DISTRICT.

*J. Sam Barcus, P. E.*

Archer City, I. S. Ashburn.  
 Bellevue Station, R. B. Curry.  
 Blue Grove Circuit, A. O. Hood.

Burkburnett Station, T. L. Huffstutler.  
 Byers Circuit, G. B. Carter.  
 Dundee Mission, W. F. Gilmore.  
 Electra Station, T. G. Whitten.  
 Electra Mission, Gilbert Irwin.  
 Henrietta Station, F. A. Crutchfield.  
 Iowa Park Station, A. P. Bradford.  
 Megargel Mission, A. F. Watkins.  
 Nocona Station, Minor Bounds.  
 Petrolia Circuit, M. P. Hines.  
 Post Oak Mission, Lee Sanders.  
 Ringold Circuit, M. R. T. Davis.  
 Vashti Mission, A. Wall.  
 Wichita Falls Station, S. A. Barnes.  
 Wichita Mission, W. D. Sauls.

*Transferred.*—O. F. Sensabaugh, D. B. Doak, J. W. Brown, D. H. Aston, to the Northwest Texas Conference; H. K. Age, A. Frank Smith, J. J. Mason, to the West Texas Conference; E. A. Maness, to the Texas Conference; P. R. Knickerbocker, to the New Mexico Conference; A. L. Andrews, to the Central Texas Conference; T. E. Cannon, L. L. Cohen, to the West Oklahoma Conference.

## NORTHWEST TEXAS CONFERENCE.

SEVENTH SESSION.

HELD AT STAMFORD, TEX., NOVEMBER 8-12, 1916.

BISHOP MOUZON, *President*; A. L. MOORE, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. J. F. Cocke, W. L. Vaughan, C. M. Killian, W. A. Hitchcock, George W. Montgomery, J. A. Bell, Clyde M. Haddick, J. E. Boyd, H. W. Hanks, J. M. McCreary. 10.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? C. I. Beck, T. W. Brabham, C. C. Tyler, W. E. Hassler, J. O. Little, W. S. Boyd, A. T. Scoggins, S. W. Franklin, J. H. Hicks, Daniel Rees, Ancil Lynn, A. J. Brown, W. L. Lightfoot, J. W. Martin, J. W. Leggett, C. A. Duncan, J. E. Yeats, H. L. Hughes. 18.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? J. S. Ryan and T. A. Jackson, at their own request. 2.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? B. L. Nance, B. W. Wilkins, J. O. Haymes, William Murrell, O. B. Annis, H. B. Watts, E. E. White, W. M. Pearce, W. B. Woodruff, G. H. Gattis, R. H. Boyd. 11.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? J. Watt Fulton. 1.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer

from other Conferences? H. M. Whaling, Jr., D. H. Aston, O. F. Sensabaugh, J. W. Brown, D. B. Doak, J. G. Thomas, G. H. McAnally, S. T. Cherry, J. H. Huckabee, J. W. Cole, J. E. Carpenter. 11.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? R. V. Tooley and J. W. Israel. 2.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? B. W. Wilkins, B. L. Nance, J. O. Haymes, William Murrell, W. M. Pearce, W. B. Woodruff, G. H. Gattis, R. H. Boyd, H. B. Watts, E. E. White, O. B. Annis, J. O. Quattlebaum, S. H. Young, J. L. Rucker, Z. R. Fee, S. H. Adams. 16.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? W. M. Pearce, W. B. Woodruff, G. H. Gattis, R. H. Boyd, A. E. Arnfield, B. L. Nance, B. W. Wilkins. 7.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? B. L. Nance, B. W. Wilkins, W. M. Pearce, W. B. Woodruff, G. H. Gattis, R. H. Boyd. 6.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elect-

ed deacons? John Pearce Tye, Washington Irving Willis, Enoch Eiland. 3.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Washington Irving Willis. 1.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Robert Etticus Burns, Binkley Harmon Oxford, Emmett Leonidas Yeats, W. Riley Kirkpatrick, Jesse Milton Fryar, Luther Neil Lipscomb, Ed Alonzo Tharp, Arthur Vinson Hendricks, Claude Oliver Huff, James G. Thomas, James White Cole. 11.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? R. E. Burns, B. H. Oxford, E. L. Yeats, W. R. Kirkpatrick, J. M. Fryar, L. N. Lipscomb, E. A. Tharp, A. V. Hendricks, C. O. Huff, J. G. Thomas, J. W. Cole. 11.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? William Thomas Gray and Oliver Bishop Annis. 2.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? W. T. Gray and O. B. Annis. 2.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? D. W. Hawkins, A. T. Culbertson, R. B. Bonner, Leon Henderson, Thomas Hanks, R. B. Evans, J. B. McReynolds, V. H. Trammell, J. G. Putman. 9.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? J. M. Baker, D. C. Ross, A. B. Roberts, George F. Fair, J. L. Hollers, J. A. Crutchfield, R. S. Heizer, H. C. Jolly, B. F. Gasoway, I. L. Mills, J. R. Mood, J. W. R. Bachman, T. B. Hilburn, B. T. Sharp, J. A. Hyder, S. C. Vaughan, J. M. Sollie, John R. Steele, M. D. Hill, A. H. Hussey, C. S. McCarver, W. E. Caperton, A. B. Keen, J. B. Wood, L. E. Riddle, Sam H. Adams. 26.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? None.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? O. P. Kiker surrendered credentials; Hayes Howell expelled from the ministry and membership of the Church; J. W. Smith withdraws.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### Abilene District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Abilene: First Church .....	1	461
St. Luke .....	...	136
St. Paul .....	2	465
Anson .....	...	320
Baird .....	...	222

#### Abilene District (Continued).

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Capps .....	1	268
Clyde .....	...	278
Cross Plains .....	4	228
Eula .....	1	226
Hawley .....	1	264
Moran .....	...	136
Ovala .....	2	244
Putnam .....	...	239
Tuscola .....	...	230
Tye .....	1	231
	13	3,948

#### Amarillo District.

Amarillo: Polk Street .....	...	917
Buchanan .....	3	119
Mission .....	2	100
Canadian .....	...	190
Canyon .....	2	459
Channing .....	1	100
Dalhart .....	...	213
Dumas .....	1	173
Glazier .....	3	141
Hansford .....	...	148
Hereford .....	1	400
Higgins .....	...	205
Ochiltree .....	1	296
Panhandle .....	1	167
Stratford .....	...	192
Texline .....	...	73
Vega .....	...	122
	15	4,215

#### Big Springs District.

Andrews .....	1	133
Big Springs .....	1	575
Big Springs Mission .....	1	250
Brownfield .....	...	212
Coahoma .....	...	219
Gail .....	...	136
Lamesa .....	...	162
Lamesa Mission .....	1	149
O'Donnell .....	...	220
Seminole .....	...	125
Slaton .....	...	139
Stanton .....	...	178
Tahoka .....	1	275
Wilson .....	...	172
	5	2,941

#### Clarendon District.

Clarendon Station .....	17	796
Clarendon Mission .....	1	194
Claude .....	...	330
Goodnight .....	...	310
Headley .....	1	...
Lakeview .....	2	330
McLean .....	1	324
Memphis .....	2	552
Miami .....	2	290
Pampa .....	...	240
Quail .....	...	307
Rybach .....	1	165
Shamrock Station .....	...	306
Shamrock Mission .....	1	141
Wellington Station .....	...	492
Wellington Mission .....	2	238
Wheeler and Mobeetie .....	1	275
	31	5,250

#### Hamlin District.

Aspermont Station .....	2	169
Aspermont Mission .....	...	...
Clairmont .....	...	90

*Hamlin District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Crowell .....	...	335
Hamlin .....	4	486
Jayton .....	1	222
Knox City .....	2	176
Margaret .....	1	235
Matador .....	4	384
McCauley .....	...	356
Roaring Springs .....	2	273
Roby .....	2	331
Rochester .....	...	298
Rotan .....	...	212
Rule .....	1	352
Spur .....	...	252
Tuxedo .....	4	299
Vera .....	...	350
	23	4,830

*Plainview District.*

Abernathy .....	1	190
Bovina .....	1	89
Crosbyton .....	...	167
Dimmitt .....	...	136
Floydada Station .....	1	317
Floydada Mission .....	1	274
Hale Center .....	...	...
Kress and Happy .....	1	156
Lockney .....	1	256
Lorenzo .....	1	260
Lubbock Station .....	...	533
Lubbock Mission .....	...	89
Plainview Station .....	8	1,023
Plainview Mission .....	1	136
Silverton .....	...	...
Tulia .....	...	301
Turkey .....	...	258
	16	4,185

*Stamford District.*

Albany .....	...	197
Avoca .....	1	135
Bomarton and Shady .....	...	168
Goree .....	...	204
Haskell .....	...	430
Lueders and Nugent .....	...	112
Munday Station .....	2	275
Munday Circuit .....	1	236
Seymour Station .....	...	467
Seymour Mission .....	...	112
Stamford: St. John .....	3	617
Mission .....	1	195
Ward Memorial and Bethel .....	5	374
Throckmorton Station .....	...	172
Throckmorton Mission .....	...	...
Weinert Mission .....	...	230
Westover .....	1	251
Woodson Mission .....	1	264
	15	4,439

*Sweetwater District.*

Blackwell .....	2	363
Camp Springs .....	2	100
Colorado .....	...	294
Dunn .....	1	216
Fluvanna .....	3	159
Hermleigh .....	...	217
Ira .....	1	215
Lorraine .....	1	235
Merkel .....	1	471
Post .....	2	256
Post Mission .....	...	163
Roscoe .....	...	260
Snyder .....	1	521
Sweetwater .....	3	555
Sweetwater Mission .....	...	...

*Sweetwater District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Sylvester .....	1	317
Trent .....	...	208
Trent Mission .....	...	100
Westbrook .....	3	440
	21	5,095

*Vernon District.*

Childress Mission .....	1	...
Childress Station .....	3	575
Chillicothe .....	2	341
Dumont .....	...	202
Estelline .....	1	333
Kirkland .....	1	236
Lazare .....	...	151
Newlin .....	1	133
Odell .....	1	207
Paducah .....	1	201
Quanah Station .....	1	458
Quanah Mission .....	1	95
Tell .....	...	192
Tolbert .....	...	350
Vernon Station .....	2	687
Vernon Circuit .....	...	292
	15	3,453

*Recapitulation.*

Abilene District .....	13	3,948
Amarillo District .....	15	4,215
Big Springs District .....	5	2,941
Clarendon District .....	31	5,250
Hamlin District .....	23	4,830
Plainview District .....	16	4,185
Stamford District .....	15	4,439
Sweetwater District .....	21	5,095
Vernon District .....	15	3,453
Total this year .....	154	38,356
Total last year .....	160	36,711
Increase .....	...	1,645
Decrease .....	6	...

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 7. Yes.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 10. Yes.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 541.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,979.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 95.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 3,390.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 261.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 2,666.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 33,677.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$7,503.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$6,449. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$9,378; Home and Conference Missions, \$13,069. Total, \$22,447.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$5,158.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$7,757.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$448.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$24,256; preachers in charge, \$130,185.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$1,570.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 438; houses of worship, 224.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$1,005,830; indebtedness, \$87,958.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 157; parsonages, 141.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$228,235; indebtedness, \$8,043.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 9; district parsonages, 6.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$24,300; indebtedness, \$1,700.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 5; amount of damage, \$985.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$649,220; premiums paid, \$4,949; losses sustained, \$985; collections on losses, \$985.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Southern Methodist University: Value of property, \$2,082,588; endowment, \$212,147; professors, 43; pupils, 705. Texas Woman's College: Value of property, \$333,394; professors, 9; pupils, 346. Stam-

ford College: Value of property, \$150,000; professors, 14; pupils, 224. Southwestern University: Value of property, \$500,000; endowment, \$112,681; professors, 35; pupils, 877. Clarendon College: Value of property, \$127,100; professors, 16; pupils, 287.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 188; Conference organ, 3,392.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? Hon. F. P. Works, Lay Leader, Amarillo, Tex.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Memphis, Tex.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### ABILENE DISTRICT.

*O. F. Sensabaugh, P. E.*

Abilene: First Church, C. W. Hearon.

St. Luke's, J. W. Cadwell.

St. Paul's, A. L. Bowman; Thomas Hanks, Sup.

Anson, A. W. Waddill.

Baird, W. Y. Switzer.

Caps, B. J. Osborn.

Clyde, W. M. Murrell.

Cross Plains, A. D. Jameson.

Eula, J. W. Brown.

Hawley, R. S. Watkins.

Lawn, C. G. Shutt, supply.

Ovalo, R. E. L. Stutts.

Putnam and Moran, A. V. Hendricks.

Tuscola, E. L. Yeats.

Tye, G. H. McAnally.

Student in Southern Methodist University, W. E. Hassler.

Student in University of Chicago, Comer M. Woodward.

Agent of Superannuate Homes, C. D. West.

Commissioner for Southern Methodist University, O. F. Sensabaugh.

Professor in Southern Methodist University, H. M. Whaling, Jr.

#### AMARILLO DISTRICT.

*E. E. Robinson, P. E.*

Amarillo: Polk Street, J. E. Carpenter.

Buchanan Street, L. G. Hagard.

Mission, C. M. Killian.

Canadian, J. E. Stephens.

Canyon, R. A. Stewart.

Channing, W. H. Strong.

Dalhart, J. W. Israel.

Dumas, G. H. Bryant.



Glazier, W. L. Vaughan.  
Hansford, S. W. Franklin.  
Hereford, George S. Wyatt.  
Higgins, G. J. Irvin.  
Ochiltree, H. B. Watts.  
Ochiltree Mission, Ira Sanford, supply.  
Panhandle, T. J. Rea.  
Stratford, J. E. Eldridge.  
Texline, Ancil Lynn.  
Vega, G. T. Palmer.  
Conference Evangelist, F. M. Neal.  
Student in Southwestern University, H. G. Scoggins.  
Conference Secretary of Education, G. S. Wyatt.

#### BIG SPRINGS DISTRICT.

*W. E. Lyon, P. E.*

Andrews, H. L. Hughes.  
Big Springs, G. W. Shearer.  
Big Springs Mission, Daniel Rees.  
Brownfield, J. M. Fryar.  
Coahoma, J. Watt Fulton.  
Gail, S. B. Cox.  
Lamesa, A. E. Arnfield.  
Lamesa Mission, W. T. Gray, supply.  
O'Donnell, W. C. Hart, supply.  
Plains Mission, A. J. Brown.  
Seminole, J. W. Cole; J. B. McReynolds, Sup.  
Slayton, T. C. Willett.  
Stanton, M. L. Moody.  
Tahoka, R. F. Dunn.  
Wilson Mission, J. P. Calloway.

#### CLARENDON DISTRICT.

*A. W. Hall, P. E.*

Clarendon, A. J. Weeks.  
Clarendon Mission, L. A. Reavis.  
Claude, P. G. Huffman.  
Claude Mission, E. L. Sisk.  
Goodnight, J. H. Watts.  
Hedley, J. H. Hicks.  
Lakeview, J. A. Laney.  
McLean, J. T. Howell.  
Memphis, John R. Henson; Leon Henderson, Sup.  
Miami, J. B. McCarley.  
Pampa, J. S. Huckabee.  
Quail, L. B. Smallwood.  
Shamrock, J. P. Patterson; R. B. Bonner, Sup.  
Shamrock Circuit, J. C. Carpenter.  
Wellington, M. E. Hawkins.  
Wheeler and Mobeetie, C. C. Wright.  
Zebach and Gageby, W. A. Hitchcock.  
Clarendon College: G. S. Slover, President; S. E. Burkhead, Professor.  
Sunday School Field Agent, B. L. Nance.

#### HAMLIN DISTRICT.

*B. W. Dodson, P. E.*

Aspermont, C. S. Cameron.  
Aspermont Mission, J. G. Thomas; Lee Culwell, junior preacher, supply.  
Clairemont, J. Fred Cox.  
Crowell, M. W. Rogers.  
Hamlin, J. H. Hamblen.  
Jayton, O. M. Addison.  
Knox City, W. B. McKeown.  
Margaret, G. H. Gattis.  
Matador, C. H. Ledger.  
McCauley, J. L. Rucker.  
Roaring Springs, I. A. Smith.  
Roby, S. H. Young.  
Rochester, C. O. Huff.  
Rotan, S. L. Culwell.  
Rule, J. O. Haymes.  
Spur, E. E. White.  
Tuxedo, J. D. Crockett.  
Vera, C. D. Pipkin.

#### PLAINVIEW DISTRICT.

*A. L. Moore, P. E.*

Abernathy, B. Y. Dickinson.  
Bovina, Z. R. Fee.  
Crosbyton, W. M. Pearce.  
Dimmitt, W. L. Lightfoot.  
Floydada, W. M. Lane.  
Floydada Mission, George Montgomery.  
Hale Center, B. H. Oxford.  
Kress and Happy, W. P. Edwards.  
Lockney, J. A. Sweeney.  
Lockney Mission, Clyde M. Haddick.  
Lorenzo, B. W. Wilkins.  
Lubbock, J. T. Hicks.  
Lubbock Mission, D. C. Ross, supply.  
Plainview, J. W. Story.  
Plainview Mission, S. J. Upton, supply.  
Ralls Circuit, W. S. Boyd.  
Silverton, J. A. Bell.  
Tulia, W. M. Pope.

#### STAMFORD DISTRICT.

*J. G. Miller, P. E.*

Albany, Ben Hardy.  
Avoca, W. B. Woodruff.  
Bomarton and Shady, R. H. Boyd.  
Goree, A. C. Aston.  
Haskell, Ed R. Wallace.  
Lueders and Nugent, J. W. Glance.  
Munday, C. B. Meador.  
Munday Circuit, Ed A. Tharp.  
Seymour, O. P. Clark.  
Seymour Mission, G. W. Smith.  
Stamford: St. John's, C. N. N. Ferguson; R. B. Evans, Sup.  
Ward Memorial and Bethel, L. N. Lipscomb.

Stamford: Mission, J. E. Yeats.  
 Throckmorton, W. C. Childress.  
 Weinert, J. O. Little.  
 Westover, R. V. Tooley.  
 Woodson Mission, J. E. Boyd.  
 Stamford College: J. W. Hunt, President;  
 George Smallwood, Assistant Business  
 Manager.  
 Conference Evangelist, A. M. Martin.

#### SWEETWATER DISTRICT.

*J. T. Griswold, P. E.*

Blackwell, J. W. Watson.  
 Blair Mission, J. C. Moore, supply.  
 Camp Springs, C. A. Duncan.  
 Colorado, W. P. Garvin.  
 Dunn, H. H. Liles.  
 Fluvanna, S. T. Cherry.  
 Hermleigh, J. R. Plant.  
 Ira, C. C. Tyler.  
 Loraine, C. E. Jameson.  
 Merkel, L. A. Humphries.  
 Post Station, W. C. Hinds.  
 Post Mission, C. F. Carmack.  
 Roscoe, D. B. Doak.  
 Snyder, J. W. Mayne.  
 Sweetwater, G. S. Hardy; V. H. Trammell,  
 Sup.  
 Sweetwater Mission, H. W. Hanks.  
 Sylvester, J. T. Ross.

Trent, F. T. Johnson.  
 Westbrook, L. Jackson.  
 Missionary to Cuba, J. F. Caperton.

#### VERNON DISTRICT.

*M. Phelan, P. E.*

Childress, W. H. Terry; A. T. Culbertson,  
 Sup.  
 Childress Mission, O. B. Annis.  
 Chillicothe, M. M. Beavers.  
 Dumont, W. R. Kirkpatrick.  
 Estelline, L. B. Tooley.  
 Kirkland, J. O. Quattlebaum.  
 Lazare, Wilson McCreary.  
 Newlin, J. W. Martin.  
 Odell, R. E. Burns.  
 Paducah, M. S. Leveridge.  
 Quanah Station, R. A. Clements.  
 Quanah Mission, C. I. Beck.  
 Tell, J. W. Leggett.  
 Tolbert and Fargo, M. H. Hudson.  
 Turkey, C. E. Lynn.  
 Vernon Station, H. M. Long; J. G. Put-  
 man, Sup.  
 Vernon Circuit, Z. B. Pirtle.  
 Conference Temperance Worker, Simeon  
 Shaw.

*Transferred.*—New Harris and D. H.  
 Aston, to the East Oklahoma Conference.

### TEXAS CONFERENCE.

SEVENTY-SEVENTH SESSION.

HELD AT LUFKIN, TEX., NOVEMBER 8-13, 1916.

BISHOP MCCOY, *President*; O. T. HOTCHKISS, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. Daniel Edward Sneller, Jesse  
 Clayton Lanier, Grover Cleveland House,  
 Roger Mills House, William Henry Pit-  
 man, John L. Webb, William Granville  
 Jones, M. Reagan Turner, Richard C.  
 Goens, Luther J. Waggoner, Jodie H.  
 Westmoreland. 11.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Ernest  
 G. Downs, Thomas W. St. John, William  
 August Allen, Kenneth Edward Barnhart,  
 Otto Daniel, Charles H. Doak, William  
 Harrison Earls, Carter Braxton Fuller,  
 Robert Alva Gates, Leo Hopkins, Del-  
 bert W. Moore, Aaron Edward Rider,  
 James Walter Ussery, Francisco Zito. 14.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? Leon-  
 ard F. Hardy and R. Clyde Greer, at their  
 own request; Marvin J. Bigger, by the  
 Conference. 3.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full con-

nection? Walter Lee Cannan, James Har-  
 vey Carlin, Fred Evans Few, James Mar-  
 shall Gordon, DeWitt Stuart Hotchkiss,  
 John Claude Marshall, Garland Zealand  
 Sadler, James Frank Wallace, Stephens  
 Alexander Wiemer. 9.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer  
 from other Conferences? H. D. Knicker-  
 bocker, elder, and Francisco Zito (on trial  
 in class of first year), from the Central  
 Texas Conference; E. R. Barcus and E. A.  
 Maness, elders, from the North Texas  
 Conference; J. C. Williams, elder, from  
 the Los Angeles Conference; W. F. Pack-  
 ard, elder, from the New Mexico Confer-  
 ence. 6.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other  
 Churches as local preachers? Richard  
 Julian Smith, an elder, from the U. S. A.  
 Presbyterian Church. 1.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? R. R. Smith, elder, from the Methodist Episcopal Church; William Brichta, elder, from the U. S. A. Presbyterian Church. 2.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? Harold G. Cooke, Preston Florence, J. Marvin Fuller, Robert Benjamin Jones, Richard Spencer Marshall, Jesse Clayton Thomson, John Earle White, John Mitchell Cochran, William Murray Bass, William Lee Russell, Archie Watson Gordon, Walter Lee Cannan. 12.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? James Harvey Carlin, John Alexander Moore, Stephen Alexander Weimer, James Marshall Gordon, Fred Evans Few, John Claude Marshall, De Witt Stuart Hotchkiss, Garland Zealand Sadler. 8.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? James H. Carlin, John A. Moore, Stephen Alexander Weimer, James Marshall Gordon, Fred Evans Few, John Claude Marshall, DeWitt Stuart Hotchkiss, Garland Zealand Sadler. 8.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? Walter Benjamin Kidd, Leo Hopkins, W. H. Chadwick, William Granville Jones. 4.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Walter Benjamin Kidd, Leo Hopkins, William Granville Jones. 3.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Howard Vance Watts, George Ellington Kemp, Benjamin Callaway, Lawrence Howard Bradford, Robert Edgar Ledbetter, John Lloyd Weatherby, David Baker Boddie, Batty La Fayette Owens, John Crawford Cockrell, Luke Frederick Brothers. 10.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Howard Vance Watts, George Ellington Kemp, Benjamin Callaway, Lawrence Howard Bradford, Robert Edgar Ledbetter, John Lloyd Weatherby, David Baker Boddie, Batty La Fayette Owens, John Crawford Cockrell, Luke Frederick Brothers. 10.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? B. R. Bolton, W. F. Packard, J. B. Turrentine. 3.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? W. H. Brooks, Isaac Alexander, J. D. Burke, T. R. Cain, W. W. Graham, C. R. Lanier,

S. H. Morgan, H. T. Hart, G. H. Phair, G. C. Stovall, T. B. Graves, J. A. Moody, A. C. Biggs, William Sproule, T. J. Milam, I. M. Bryce, J. W. Kelley, A. G. Scruggs, John Helpinstill, C. L. Farrington, B. H. Greathouse, A. Little, J. C. Cameron, D. P. Cullen, I. J. Coppage, J. L. Russell, G. A. Le Clere, J. W. Johnson, J. M. Mills, W. W. Adams, L. M. Fowler. 31.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? C. H. Brooks, J. L. Dawson, O. A. Shook, E. D. Watson, H. T. Swartz (no memoir). 5.

CALVIN HERLOCK BROOKS, son of Richard S. and Vashti V. Brooks, was born in Huntsville, Ala., February 20, 1827. When about six years old he moved with his parents to Denmark, Tenn., where he received a common-school education. He was converted at the Big Black Camp Ground in 1840, and in the autumn of that year united with the Methodist Episcopal Church on probation, and six months later was received into communion, being baptized by T. L. Boswell, D.D. By act of the General Conference he became a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in 1845. He was licensed to preach in 1851 by Dr. Baskerville as pastor and G. W. D. Harris, D.D., as presiding elder, and was admitted on trial into the Memphis Conference of the same year. He served two years as junior preacher on the La Grange Circuit, was sent to the Coahoma Circuit in 1853, and in 1854 he was appointed a missionary to the slaves in the bounds of the Holly Springs Circuit. His ministry to this lowly people was wonderfully blessed. He was transferred to the Texas Conference in 1854; was ordained a deacon by Bishop Capers in 1853, and an elder by Bishop Paine at Gonzales, Tex., in 1856. For forty-five years he responded to roll call. Promptness and fidelity were notable characteristics of the man. He served the following charges after coming to Texas: Retreat Circuit, 1855; Houston Station, 1856; Montgomery Circuit, 1857; in local ranks from 1854 to 1860; Cold Springs and Waverly, 1861-62; chaplain in the Confederate Army, Elmore's regiment, 1863; San Jacinto Circuit, 1864; Danville Circuit, 1865; Montgomery, 1866-67; in local ranks, 1867-77; Madisonville, 1878; Zion Circuit, 1879; Huntsville District, 1880-82; Austin District, 1883-86; Chapel Hill Station, 1887-88; Marlin Station, 1889; Chapel Hill District, 1890-93; Elgin Station, 1896-99; La Grange Station, 1900; Elgin Station, 1901-02. By act

of the General Conference he fell into the territory of the West Texas Conference in 1902, and in 1903 was transferred to the Texas Conference and asked for the superannuate relation. He was married at Montgomery, Tex., in 1857, to Miss Letitia Worsham, who was his faithful, sympathetic, and devoted companion for more than fifty-nine years. He lovingly referred to her as his junior preacher, and attributed to her his success. He leaves his devoted wife, one son, three daughters, and twenty-three grandchildren. In referring to his work, he said: "In all of these places and years I have tried to do whatever I did as unto the Lord. I have therefore made no sacrifice, but have sought to render unto the Lord his own." In 1875, while in the local ranks, he was elected to the fifteenth legislature. He said: "I accepted this, as I have all other appointments, as coming from my Lord; and whatever else I did, I did not lower the dignity of my calling as a preacher of the gospel. I am proud of many things I have done, and ashamed of nothing." His was a strong personality. He possessed a vigorous body and an analytical mind, which was well trained. He was a preacher of marked ability. His sermons always gave evidence of the deepest thought and the most careful preparation. In the very best sense he was a man of one book—the Bible. He made other books contribute to a richer and a fuller exposition of God's Word. When men listened to him, they felt that truly a prophet of Jehovah was speaking to them. He was always loyal to the Church, subject to the powers that be, faithful to the trust committed to his hands, and untiring in his efforts to build up the Church and extend the Redeemer's kingdom. He was a distinct leader in his Conference for many years. He won leadership by being willing to obey and to be led. He never compromised, but frowned upon wrongdoing in every form and all places. He was too big to do a little thing. He was a man of noble ideals and of the purest motives. He was gentle in the simplicity of his manner and cordial and sincere in the exhibitions of his friendships. His was a triumphant death. When the call came for him "to put out to sea," he was ready. He had engaged to preach for his pastor the last Sunday in July; but while at breakfast that morning, he was stricken with paralysis and was unable to speak for a time, but rallied later and said to his loved ones: "I will not be able to preach my sermon to-

day, but will preach it when I cross over the river, and I will not make any mistakes then." His pastor said to the writer: "I have never known a man who was so perfectly calm and possessed such serenity of soul and whose faith was so clear and strong in his last days." Truly it can be said of him:

"Servant of God, well done!

Thy glorious warfare's past;  
The battle's fought, the race is won,  
And thou art crowned at last."

While he quit the works of men, his influence will abide. The ties of memory, love, and friendship are not broken by the hand of death. These are graces ordained of God to cheer us in our time of loneliness until we shall see his face again.—S. W. Thomas.

J. L. DAWSON.—Another good man has gone home. A faithful soldier has laid down his armor and weapons of warfare to take up palms of the victor. A weary toiler has at last found rest. We weep and are disconsolate over his departure, but truly rejoice in his great and ultimate victory. Jordan Lemuel Dawson was born in Lynchburg, Va., April 19, 1856. Reared by a consecrated Christian mother, he was early led to know the Lord, to whom he gave his heart in boyhood and united with the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. When just past his twentieth year, he answered a definite call to preach, and was licensed by the Quarterly Conference of the Madison, Lynchburg District, Virginia Conference, in October, 1876—L. W. Way, preacher in charge and J. D. Blackwell, presiding elder. Brother Dawson was an expert boot and shoe maker by trade. In 1876, shortly after he was licensed to preach, he came to Texas and settled at Longview, earning his livelihood by plying his trade, while he preached as a local preacher as opportunity afforded. Feeling impressed to give his whole time to the ministry, and believing that a call to preach was a call first for the best possible preparation, he spent some months at the Alexander Institute at Kilgore, Tex., under the tutorage of that prince of Christian gentlemen and educators, Dr. I. Alexander. In the fall of 1879 he was admitted on trial into the East Texas Conference, and assigned his first year (1880) as junior preacher under J. C. A. Bridges on the Pine Hill Circuit. In 1881, Carthage Circuit; 1882-84, Nacogdoches and San Augustine. Here he met Miss

Cora Davis, of San Augustine, to whom he was married February 26, 1884. In 1885-86 he was at Center; 1887, Pine Hill; 1888, Mineola; 1889-90, Nacogdoches; 1891-92, Crockett; 1893-96, Brushy Creek; 1897, Trinity and Groveton; 1898-1901, Carthage; 1902, Rusk Station; 1903-11, chaplain to the East Texas penitentiary at Rusk; 1912-14, Garrison; 1915, Jefferson. At the session of the Texas Conference, he having suffered a total failure of health during the year 1915, he was granted a superannuate relation. Scarcely a fortnight after the adjournment of the Conference the Great Bishop of the Church of the Living God, even our Lord Jesus, distinctly called his name and assigned his place—"My faithful servant, Jordan L. Dawson, for eternity, *Heaven*." Promptly he obeyed the summons, and surrounded by every member of his family, in the home of his son, Rev. F. D. Dawson, in Jasper, Tex., as the dawn was breaking in the east, he bade farewell forever to earth's joys and sorrows and took his departure to the realms of everlasting day, to be "forever with the Lord," November 26, 1915. There survive him his widow, four sons, and one daughter, who mourn his departure. His children have followed their father's example and are all members of the Church. Truly a good man has gone from us. He was faithful, uncomplaining, unselfish—an Israelite in whom there was no guile. As a preacher, he was far above the average; as a pastor, attentive and faithful; as a friend, true; as a father, kind, firm, and companionable; as a husband, tender, loving, and constant. The Lord multiply his kind in the earth! "Servant of God, well done!"—*Committee*.

OSGOOD ANDREW SHOOK was a son of Rev. Nathan Shook, and was born in Cass County, Tex., in March, 1845; converted in July, 1857, and joined the Church immediately afterwards. He was licensed to preach September 16, 1868, and was admitted on trial into the Northwest Texas Conference in 1871; ordained deacon November 30, 1873, and ordained elder in November, 1875. He was appointed to the Rockdale Circuit in 1872, and received one hundred and twenty members that year. Served Palo Pinto Circuit in 1873; Mount Calm Circuit in 1874, on which he built a church and had eighty conversions. Served Fort Graham Mission in 1875, and because of failing health was a supernumerary from 1876 to 1879. Located in 1880, and was readmitted in 1881; served

Sugarloaf Circuit in 1882, where one church was built and sixty conversions reported. Served Plum Creek Circuit in 1883; reported eighty-five additions to the Church at the end of that year. Served Center City Mission in 1884, and Dickens Mission in 1885. In the fall of 1885 he was located at his own request. In 1889 he supplied the Bellville Circuit in the Texas Conference, and that fall moved to East Texas, where he was employed as a supply for a time and then was readmitted into the East Texas Conference. He served the Liberty Circuit 1896 to 1897, and after a few years was granted the superannuate relation. He lived an exemplary life. His memory is blessed; a faithful man has fallen. He died at his home in Houston, Tex., leaving his faithful wife to mourn her loss. We extend to her and other loved ones sincerest sympathy.—*Committee*.

EDGAR D. WATSON was the son of Rev. Henry B. and Gertrude Watson, and was born in St. Charles, Mo., September 30, 1865. He was converted in early childhood and, as is so often the case, got back into the world, but was reclaimed under the ministry of his father in 1882, at the age of seventeen years, and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. He was licensed to preach at Palmyra, Mo., March 9, 1892; was admitted on trial into the Missouri Conference at Memphis, Mo., September 2, 1898, by Bishop Candler; was ordained a local deacon by Bishop Galloway at Hannibal, Mo., September 6, 1896; ordained elder by Bishop Wilson at Chillicothe, Mo., September 7, 1902. As stated above, he joined the Missouri Conference September 2, 1898, and was transferred to the Texas Conference and appointed to Atlanta Station November 28, 1912. Brother Watson served the following charges in the Missouri Conference: Parkville, January, 1897, to July, 1897, as supply; Salisbury, March, 1898, to September, 1898, as supply; Elmo Circuit, September, 1898, to September, 1901, as preacher in charge; Kirksville Station, September, 1901, to September, 1903; Glasgow Station, September, 1903, to September, 1905; Louisiana Station, September, 1905, to September, 1907; Vandalia, September, 1907, to September, 1908; assistant to Secretary of the Board of Church Extension, Louisville, Ky., September, 1908, to September, 1912; Palmyra Circuit, September, 1912, to November, 1912, when he was transferred to the Texas Conference and stationed at Atlanta. In this Confer-



ence he served Atlanta from November, 1912, to November, 1914; Wills Point Station, November, 1914, to November, 1915; Center Station, November, 1915, until God called him home August 29, 1916. The call was sudden and without warning, having been received while he and the members of his family were preparing to return after an evening spent in the home of one of his members. While laughing heartily over some pleasantries, he suddenly "closed his eyes to earthly scenes to open them on the glories of the 'Home over there.' Few have the honor of being thus permitted to depart this life without suffering or pain. 'May my last end be like his!'" But suffering he had in abundance during the past years of his life, and indeed his was a "tired body" inured to pain; yet all was borne with heroic patience and un murmuring fortitude so characteristic of those who put their trust in the Lord Jesus Christ. His remains were conveyed to Palmyra, Mo., the home of his childhood and the scene of part of his labors, where by loving, sympathetic friends they were laid away to rest with tender care, to await the last day when the Lord shall come to claim his own, and when earth and sea shall give up their dead and the corruptible bodies of those who sleep in Him shall be made like His own glorified body. So let it be.—Committee.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called one by one, and their characters passed, except C. B. Thompson, expelled for immorality during the year. J. F. Jewell surrendered his credentials.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### Beaumont District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Anahuac and Stowell .....	1	202
Batson and Saratoga .....	1	151
Beaumont: First Church .....	1,297	
North End .....	129	
Roberts Avenue .....	1	425
Brookland .....	125	
Call .....	2	166
China and Nome .....	241	
Dayton .....	229	
Jasper .....	1	214
Jasper Circuit .....	1	165
Kirbyville .....	248	
Kountze .....	1	200
Liberty .....	100	
Bellview and Crosby .....	1	160
Nederland .....	237	
Newton .....	2	300

#### Beaumont District (Continued).

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Orange .....	1	568
Port Arthur .....	1	640
Silsbee and Buna .....	...	312
Sour Lake and Grayburg .....	...	270
Woodville .....	1	222
	14	6,609

#### Brenham District.

Bay City .....	336
Bellville .....	225
Brenham .....	305
Beasley .....	94
Brookshire and Patterson .....	146
Caldwell .....	1
Chapel Hill .....	1
Giddings .....	136
Hempstead .....	154
Lexington .....	190
Lyons .....	1
Matagorda .....	119
Richmond .....	138
Rockdale .....	1
Rosenburg .....	162
Sealy .....	150
Somerville .....	242
Tanglewood .....	1
Thorndale .....	1
Wallis and Fulshear .....	115
Waller .....	296
Wharton .....	1
	7
	4,621

#### Houston District.

Alvin .....	5	379
Angleton .....	...	177
Brazoria .....	1	143
Cedar Bayou .....	...	205
Columbia and Velasco .....	1	97
Galveston: First Church .....	2	970
Thirty-third Street .....	...	393
Harrisburg .....	1	75
Houston: Bruner .....	1	260
First Church .....	2	1,380
McAshan .....	...	227
St. Paul .....	3	1,153
Seth Ward Memorial .....	6	721
Tabernacle .....	...	311
Woodland Street .....	...	142
Woodland Heights .....	2	342
Grace .....	3	597
Humble .....	...	207
Iowa Colony .....	...	30
Katy .....	...	151
League City .....	3	223
Seabrook and Pasadena .....	...	132
Texas City .....	...	175
	30	8,490

#### Jacksonville District.

Alto Station .....	288
Alto Circuit .....	1
Athens Station .....	340
Bullard and Mount Selman .....	1
Cushing Station .....	1
Elkhart Circuit .....	1
Eustace Circuit .....	1
Frankston and La Rue .....	1
Gallatin Circuit .....	3
Jacksonville Station .....	8
Jacksonville Circuit .....	2
Keltys Circuit .....	2
Malakoff Circuit .....	1
Montalba Circuit .....	2
Neches and Brushy Creek .....	...
Overton and Arp .....	2

*Jacksonville District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Palestine: Centenary .....	2	782
Grace .....		430
Palestine Circuit .....		....
Rusk Station .....	1	313
Rusk Circuit .....	1	150
Troup Station .....		201
Transcedar Mission .....		317
	30	8,301

*Marlin District.*

Bremond .....		209
Buckholts .....		171
Calvert .....	2	332
Cameron .....		505
Centerville .....	1	246
Davilla .....	3	322
Durango .....		196
Fairfield .....	1	480
Franklin .....	2	308
Flynn .....		375
Gause .....		230
Hearn .....	1	283
Jewett .....	1	450
Kosse .....		355
Leon Mission .....		190
Lott .....	3	257
Marlin .....		548
Marquez .....	1	129
Mayfield .....	1	194
Normangee .....	1	263
Reagan .....		400
Rosebud .....		273
Teague .....	1	150
Travis .....	1	300
Wheelock .....		335
	19	7,501

*Marshall District.*

Beckville .....	3	932
Bethany .....		311
Church Hill .....	1	602
Gilmer .....		425
Hallsville .....	1	480
Harleton .....		278
Harrison .....	1	257
Henderson Station .....		310
Henderson Circuit .....	3	310
Jefferson .....		150
Kellyville .....		335
Kilgore .....		403
Laneville .....		371
Longview .....	1	632
Marshall: First Church .....	2	801
Summit .....	1	264
Ogburn .....	1	416
Rosewood .....	2	481
	16	7,758

*Navasota District.*

Anderson .....	1	359
Beloit .....		375
Brazos County Mission .....		130
Bryan Station .....		655
Cleveland and Fostoria .....		169
Conroe .....	1	308
Cold Springs .....	1	200
Crockett Station .....	1	466
Dodge and Oakhurst .....		351
Grapeland and Lovelady .....	2	250
Groveton Station .....		186
Huntsville Station .....		508
Madisonville Station .....	2	423
Madisonville Circuit .....	1	201
Midway .....		322
Millican .....	2	349

*Navasota District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Montgomery .....		150
Navasota Station .....	1	295
Onalaska .....	1	326
Shiro .....	3	448
Tartar Springs .....	1	220
Trinity .....		320
Walker County Mission .....		162
Willis .....		158
	17	7,324

*Pittsburg District.*

Atlanta Station .....		264
Boston Circuit .....	1	186
Cason Circuit .....	2	469
Cornett Circuit .....	1	95
Daingerfield .....		337
Dalby Springs .....	1	367
Douglasville .....	1	420
Hughes Spring .....		....
Linden .....	1	272
Mount Pleasant .....	2	358
Naples and Omaha .....	2	423
Nash Circuit .....	1	461
North Boston and De Kalb .....	1	435
Pittsburg Circuit .....	2	663
Pittsburg Station .....	1	751
Queen City Circuit .....	1	372
Redwater Circuit .....		197
Texarkana: First Church .....	2	518
Hardy Memorial .....	3	578
Winfield Circuit .....	5	827
Winnsboro Circuit .....		341
	27	8,340

*Timpson District.*

Appleby .....	1	335
Burke and Diboll .....		110
Carthage .....		396
Center Circuit .....		977
Center Station .....		359
Corrigan .....	1	316
Garrison Station .....		175
Gary Circuit .....		418
Geneva Circuit .....		325
Hemphill and Bronson .....		237
Huntington and Manning .....		112
Kennard Circuit .....		332
Livingston Mission .....	1	283
Livingston Station .....		170
Lufkin .....	1	587
Melrose .....		482
Mount Enterprise and Caro .....		375
Nacogdoches .....		548
Pine Hill Circuit .....	2	197
San Augustine .....	1	284
Shelbyville .....	2	667
Tenaha .....	1	647
Timpson .....		494
	10	8,828

*Tyler District.*

Alba .....	1	561
Big Sandy .....		155
Canton .....	3	397
Cedar Station .....	1	257
Chandler .....		....
Colfax .....	5	595
Edgewood .....		....
Edom .....		479
Emory and Point .....	4	339
Emory Mission .....		150
Grand Saline .....		200
Lindale Station .....	2	254

*Tyler District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Lindale Circuit .....	2	591
Marvin .....	3	1,000
Mineola Station .....	1	260
Mineola Mission .....	...	223
Murchison .....	2	520
Quitman .....	...	456
Tyler Circuit .....	4	665
Whitehouse .....	1	445
Wills Point Circuit .....	5	435
Wills Point Station .....	...	361
	34	8,343

*Recapitulation.*

Beaumont District .....	14	6,609
Brenham District .....	7	4,621
Houston District .....	30	8,490
Jacksonville District .....	30	8,301
Marlin District .....	19	7,501
Marshall District .....	16	7,758
Navasota District .....	17	7,324
Pittsburg District .....	27	8,340
Timpson District .....	10	8,828
Tyler District .....	34	8,343
Total this year .....	204	76,115
Total last year .....	181	77,470
Increase .....	23	...
Decrease .....	...	1,355

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? Not answered.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? Not answered.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,090.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 2,813.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 101.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 3,828.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 556.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 4,946.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 57,997.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$12,000.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$10,293. Distributed to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$12,208;

Home and Conference Missions, \$16,418. Total, \$28,626.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$9,054.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$12,203.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$844.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$28,858; preachers in charge, \$203,663.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$2,867.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 718; houses of worship, 538.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$2,249,550; indebtedness, \$176,595.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 223; parsonages, 196.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$409,400; indebtedness, \$24,972.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 10; district parsonages, 9.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Not answered.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Church damaged, 1; amount of damage, \$1,200.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$927,005; premiums paid, \$8,450.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Southern Methodist University: Value of property, \$2,294,735; professors, 45; pupils, 705; endowment, \$212,147. Southwestern University: Value of property, \$438,536; professors, 23; pupils, 927; endowment, \$141,666. Alexander Collegiate Institute: Value of property, \$100,000; professors, 13; pupils, 162.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 277; Conference organ, 3,796.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? Lay Leader, W. L. Dean.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session

of the Conference be held? Palestine, Tex.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

# BEAUMONT DISTRICT.

*C. F. Smith, P. E.*

Anahuac, S. H. Innis, supply.  
 Batson and Saratoga, J. C. Stewart.  
 Beaumont: First Church, Glenn Flinn; A. W. Gordon, junior preacher.  
 North End and Deaton's Chapel, D. W. Moore.  
 Roberts Avenue, H. T. Perritte.  
 Brookland, D. E. Sneller.  
 Call, L. E. Green.  
 China, Nome, and Graysburg, J. C. Marshall.  
 Crosby and Mount Bellview, J. C. Lanier.  
 Dayton, G. H. Collins.  
 Jasper, F. D. Dawson; S. A. Weimer, junior preacher.  
 Kirbyville, D. A. Williams.  
 Kountze, R. R. Smith.  
 Liberty, W. C. Hughes.  
 Nederland, M. F. Wells.  
 Newton, Weems Wootton; Milton Jordan, junior preacher, supply.  
 Orange Station, W. W. Watts.  
 Port Arthur Station, S. S. McKenney.  
 Silsbee and Buna, H. K. Morehead.  
 Sourlake, J. W. Cullen.  
 Stowell and Deweyville, Gus Garrison.  
 Woodville, J. F. Wallace.  
 Conference Missionary Secretary, Glenn Flinn.

# BRENHAM DISTRICT.

*Jesse Lee, P. E.*

Bay City, O. T. Hotchkiss.  
 Bellville, S. W. Stokely.  
 Brenham Station, E. G. Cook.  
 Brookshire, T. W. St. John.  
 Caldwell Station, L. J. Power.  
 Chapel Hill, A. B. Chapman.  
 Giddings, W. W. Horner.  
 Glen Flora, H. B. Dailey, supply.  
 Hempstead, D. S. Hotchkiss.  
 Lexington, G. C. Cravy.  
 Lyons, Walton Day.  
 Matagorda, T. S. Williford.  
 Richmond Station, E. L. Shettles.  
 Rockdale Station, H. B. Smith.  
 Rosenberg, F. O. Favre.  
 Sealy Circuit, H. A. Matney.  
 Somerville, Allen Tooke.  
 Tanglewood, R. C. Goens.  
 Thorndale, C. E. Garrett.  
 Waller Circuit, D. B. Boddie.  
 Wallis and Fulshear, L. H. Bradford.  
 Wharton Station, L. L. Lloyd.

# HOUSTON DISTRICT.

*R. W. Adams, P. E.*

Alvin Station, C. M. Myers.  
 Angleton and Columbia, C. J. Atkinson.  
 Brazoria, A. L. Carnes.  
 Cedar Bayou, I. B. Manly.  
 Galveston: First Church, O. E. Goddard.  
 Thirty-third Street, C. S. Harkey.  
 Harrisburg, G. E. Kemp.  
 Houston: First Church, H. D. Knickerbocker.  
 Grace, J. F. Carter.  
 McAshan, O. W. Hooper.  
 McKee Street and Mission, K. C. Barnhart.  
 St. Paul, J. W. Mills.  
 Tabernacle, J. E. Green.  
 Trinity, W. F. Davis.  
 Washington Street, C. E. Clark.  
 West End, R. E. Ledbetter.  
 Woodland Heights, J. D. F. Houck.  
 Humble, J. B. Bell.  
 Iowa Colony and Pasadena, to be supplied.  
 Katy, C. E. W. Smith.  
 League City, J. L. Weatherby.  
 Seabrook and Alta Loma, William Bard, supply.  
 Texas City, H. V. Watts.  
 Velasco and Freeport, H. A. Abney, supply.  
 Professor in Southern Methodist University, James Kilgore.  
 Conference Sunday School Secretary, W. G. Harbin.  
 Port Mission United States Immigration Station, J. E. Reifschneider.  
 Conference Secretary of Education, James Kilgore.  
 Student in Southern Methodist University, T. S. Ogle.

# JACKSONVILLE DISTRICT.

*I. F. Betts, P. E.*

Alto Circuit, M. F. Daniel.  
 Alto Station, J. C. Williams.  
 Athens Circuit, D. F. Pulley, supply.  
 Athens Station, C. A. Tower.  
 Bullard and Mount Selman, E. C. Escoe.  
 Cushing Circuit, J. M. Cochran.  
 Elkhart Circuit, Preston Florence.  
 Eustace Circuit, Benjamin Callaway.  
 Frankston and La Rue, C. B. Fuller.  
 Gallatin Circuit, L. W. Nichols, supply.  
 Jacksonville Circuit, W. B. Moon, supply.  
 Jacksonville Station, P. T. Ramsey; B. R. Bolton, Sup.  
 Keltys, J. R. Murray.  
 Malakoff Circuit, T. C. Sharp.  
 Mount Alba, W. H. Pitman.  
 Neches and Brushy Creek, C. M. Kennedy.

Overton and Arp, Leo Hopkins.  
 Palestine: Grace, L. B. Saxon.  
 Centenary, D. H. Hotchkiss.  
 Palestine Circuit, J. T. Hooks.  
 Rusk Station, J. W. Goodwin.  
 Rusk Circuit, R. B. Moon, supply.  
 Troup Station, L. H. McGee.  
 Secretary of Y. M. C. A. in Peru, Ind., H. H. Davis.  
 Alexander College: W. K. Strother, President; J. W. Treadwell, Financial Agent.

## MARLIN DISTRICT.

*George W. Davis, P. E.*

Buckholts, J. M. Gordon.  
 Calvert, F. G. Clark.  
 Cameron, H. C. Willis.  
 Centerville, S. W. Lowe.  
 Davilla Circuit, E. A. Sample.  
 Durango, R. A. Gates.  
 Fairfield and Dew, P. R. White.  
 Flynn Circuit, R. O. Weir.  
 Franklin Circuit, G. C. House.  
 Franklin Station, T. R. Morehead.  
 Gause Circuit, J. W. Wardlow.  
 Hearne Station, H. J. Hayes.  
 Jewett, R. S. Marshall.  
 Kosse, J. E. Payne.  
 Leon Mission, R. M. House.  
 Lott and Chilton, B. T. Bell.  
 Marlin Station, W. F. Bryan; W. F. Packard, Sup.  
 Maysfield Circuit, G. Z. Sadler.  
 Normangee, W. A. Craven.  
 Reagan and Stranger, O. F. Zimmerman.  
 Rosebud, E. L. Ingram.  
 Teague, S. W. Thomas.  
 Travis Circuit, J. C. Cockrell.  
 Wheelock Circuit, J. F. Garrett.  
 Manager of Texas Methodist Orphanage, R. A. Burroughs.  
 Conference Evangelist, C. E. Monk.  
 Bohemian Mission, J. M. Vondraceck.

## MARSHALL DISTRICT.

*F. M. Boyles, P. E.*

Beckville, R. E. Beaird.  
 Bethany Circuit, M. R. Turner.  
 Church Hill Circuit, A. G. Hall.  
 Gilmer Station, J. C. Carr.  
 Hallsville Circuit, I. F. Pace.  
 Harleton Circuit, W. L. Cannan.  
 Harrison Circuit, E. G. Downs.  
 Henderson Circuit, L. J. Waggoner.  
 Henderson Station, H. H. McCain.  
 Jefferson Station, L. F. Brothers.  
 Kellyville Circuit, J. M. Smith.  
 Kilgore Circuit, A. J. McCary.  
 Laneville Circuit, B. L. Owens.  
 Longview Station, W. D. White.

Marshall: First Church, C. T. Tally.  
 Summit Street, W. S. Easterling.  
 Ogburn Circuit, A. L. Conner.  
 Rosewood Circuit, W. H. Earls.

## NAVASOTA DISTRICT.

*J. E. Morgan, P. E.*

Anderson Circuit, W. L. Pate.  
 Beloit Circuit, Ed Prather, supply.  
 Brazos County Mission, Jesse C. Thomson.  
 Bryan Station, E. W. Solomon.  
 Cleveland and Fostoria, D. W. Gardner.  
 Cold Springs Circuit, F. E. Few.  
 Conroe Station, Ira F. Key.  
 Crockett, C. U. McLarty.  
 Dodge and Oakhurst, J. L. Webb.  
 Grapeland and Lovelady, B. C. Ansley.  
 Groveton Station, S. D. Horger.  
 Huntsville, E. W. Potter.  
 Latexo, R. F. Hodges, supply.  
 Madison County Mission, P. W. Norwood, supply.  
 Madisonville Station, A. S. Whitehurst.  
 Midway, W. A. Allen.  
 Millican Circuit, G. W. Riley.  
 Montgomery Circuit, W. T. Ayers.  
 Navasota, J. L. Massey.  
 Onalaska, C. C. Bell.  
 Shiro, J. E. Buttrill.  
 Trinity Station, J. F. Kidd.  
 Walker County Mission, A. J. Frick, supply.  
 Willis Circuit, D. S. Burke.  
 Agent of Superannuate Endowment Fund, A. A. Wagnon.  
 Chaplain to State Penitentiary, W. T. McDonald.  
 Chaplain to United States Army, E. P. Newson.  
 Bohemian Missionaries, Joseph Dobes and William Brichta.  
 Italian Missionary, Francisco Zeto.

## PITTSBURG DISTRICT.

*W. H. Vance, P. E.*

Atlanta Station, E. A. Maness.  
 Boston Circuit, R. J. Deets, supply.  
 Cason Circuit, M. I. Brown.  
 Daingerfield, L. H. Mathison.  
 Dalby Springs Circuit, W. G. Jones.  
 Douglasville, J. C. Huddleston.  
 Hughes Springs and Avinger, C. T. Cummings.  
 Linden, I. O. Dent.  
 Mount Pleasant Station, M. N. Terrell.  
 Naples and Omaha, A. A. Tharp.  
 Nash Circuit, J. E. White.  
 New Boston and De Kalb, J. L. Red.  
 Pittsburg Circuit, R. B. Jones.  
 Pittsburg Station, C. B. Garrett.



Queen City Circuit, J. H. Carlin.  
Redwater Circuit, J. W. Ussery.  
Ripley Circuit, J. H. Westmoreland.  
Texarkana: First Church, W. F. Andrews;  
J. B. Turrentine, Sup.

Hardy Memorial, A. T. Walker.  
Winfield Circuit, W. H. Edwards.  
Winnsboro Circuit, J. A. Moore.

#### TIMPSON DISTRICT.

*L. B. Elrod, P. E.*

Appleby Mission, to be supplied.  
Burke and Diboll, Charles Doak.  
Carthage Station, G. L. Taylor.  
Center Circuit, W. L. Russell.  
Center Station, C. H. Adams.  
Corrigan Circuit, Otto Daniel.  
Garrison Station, J. W. Bridges.  
Gary Circuit, W. A. Belcher.  
Geneva Circuit, M. G. Taylor, supply.  
Hemphill and Bronson, J. B. Luker.  
Huntington and Manning, L. F. Smith, supply.  
Kennard Circuit, A. G. Coleman.  
Livingston Station, B. C. Anderson.  
Livingston Mission, A. E. Rider.  
Lufkin Station, H. M. Timmons.  
Melrose Circuit, J. S. Wilson, supply.  
Mount Enterprise, J. M. Fuller.  
Nacogdoches Station, W. H. Crum (died at close of Conference).  
Pine Hill Circuit, A. A. Rider.  
San Augustine Station, W. W. Gollighugh.  
Shelbyville Circuit, P. I. Milton.  
Tenaha, Frank Platt.

Timpson Station, W. M. Sherrell.  
Conference Evangelist, W. W. Thomas.

#### TYLER DISTRICT.

*J. T. Smith, P. E.*

Alba Circuit, W. M. Bass.  
Big Sandy Circuit, R. J. Smith, supply.  
Canton, J. O. Coppage; one to be supplied.  
Chandler and Brownsboro, W. A. Pounds.  
Colfax, S. N. Allen.  
Edgewood, I. E. Thomas.  
Edom, T. D. McCrary.  
Emory and Point, I. W. Campbell.  
Grand Saline, W. F. Smith.  
Lindale Circuit, J. I. Weatherby.  
Lindale Station, J. L. Ross.  
Mineola Circuit, A. Terry, supply.  
Mineola Station, C. W. Hughes.  
Murchison, E. S. Brawner, supply.  
Quitman Circuit, J. C. Calhoun, supply.  
Tyler: Cedar Street, J. R. Ritchie.  
Marvin, E. R. Barcus.  
Tyler Circuit, E. P. Swindall.  
Whitehouse, J. S. Hendrick.  
Wills Point Circuit, G. M. Fletcher, supply.  
Wills Point Station, F. E. Luker.

*Transferred.*—C. S. Wright, to the West Texas Conference; H. M. Whaling, Jr., to the Northwest Texas Conference; Frank Seay, to the East Oklahoma Conference; E. Binford, to the West Oklahoma Conference; J. W. Bergin, to the Central Texas Conference; G. M. Gibson, A. A. Kidd, H. G. Cooke, and Nathan Powell, to the North Texas Conference.

## UPPER SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE.

SECOND SESSION.

HELD AT GREENVILLE, S. C., NOVEMBER 15-20, 1916.

BISHOP CANDLER, *President*; W. J. SNYDER, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. Joseph Emmerson Brown, James Boozer Chick, Richard Furman Cogburn, Walter Young Cooley, Samuel Clarence Dunlap, Choice Leon Harris, Raymond Lee Holroyd, James Foster Lupo, Wirron Wendell McGhee. 9. (William Andrew Lamar, received from the Methodist Protestant Church, pursues his studies with the above class. Charles Pettigrew Carter, William Alfred Duckworth, and J. P. Winingham, not before the committee for examination, continue in the above class.)

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? L. Por-

ter Anderson, Alex. McBee Doggett, Jacob Festus Golightly, Joseph Dempsey Griffin, Benjamin Herbert Harvey, George Heyward Hodges, George Thomas Hughes, Wade Hampton Lewis, Morris Keener Meadors, Alexander Quay Rice, S. B. White. 11. (Jesse Clark Cunningham, received from the Methodist Episcopal Church, pursues his studies with the above class, having passed an approved examination in the class of the first year in the above Church.)

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? Joseph Earle Steadman. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full

connection? Jephtha Bittleman Connelley, Arthur Lovelace Gunter, Reuben Leon Keaton, Benjamin Loyless Knight, Mark Boyd Patrick, Samuel Lanham Rogers. 6. (Hollis Alexander Whitten, not before the committee for examination, continues in the above class.)

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? Elzie Myers, M. J. Latham. 2.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? Benjamin L. Knight, from the South Carolina Conference; John W. Frazer, from the Alabama Conference; B. G. Vaughan, from the Pacific Conference; R. L. Doggett, from the Western North Carolina Conference. 4.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? Jesse Clark Cunningham, from the Methodist Episcopal Church; William Andrew Lamar, from the Methodist Protestant Church. 2.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? William Forney Gault, Darling Earle Jeffcoat, Pierce Riddle Kilgo, R. H. Lupo, William Paschal Meadors, Jr. 5.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Jephtha Bittleman Connelley, Arthur Lovelace Gunter, Reuben Leon Keaton, Benjamin Loyless Knight, Mark Boyd Patrick, Samuel Lanham Rogers. 6.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Jephtha Bittleman Connelley, Arthur Lovelace Gunter, Reuben Leon Keaton, Benjamin Loyless Knight, Mark Boyd Patrick, Samuel Lanham Rogers. 6.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? None. \*

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? William Butler Garrett, John David Holler, James Boyce Mahaffey, Robert Frederick Morris, William Louie Mullikin, Tilman Aristotle Shealy. 6.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? William Butler Garrett, John David Holler, James Boyce Mahaffey, Robert Frederick Morris, William Louie Mullikin, Tilman Aristotle Shealy. 6.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? George Gary-Lee, at his own request. 1.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? A.

H. Best, J. C. Chandler, J. K. Holman, E. W. Mason, D. R. Roof, Foster Speer. 6.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? J. F. Anderson, D. P. Boyd, M. M. Brabham, R. F. Bryant, J. E. Carlisle, W. A. Clark, Marion Dargan, R. L. Duffie, L. L. Inabinet, W. P. Meadors. 10.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? W. B. Wharton, W. L. Gault. 2.

WHITFIELD BROOKS WHARTON.—When the subject of this sketch died on the afternoon of April 28, 1916, one of the purest and most consecrated members of our Conference passed from the toils and sufferings of an earthly life to the unspeakable joys of an eternal home. The writer considers himself fortunate to have been the friend of such a man. Reared in practically the same community, attending the same school, and worshipping at the same church, he almost knew his thoughts; and in every relation to his schoolmates and friends he was always considerate and as true as the needle to the pole. His influence was always in the interest of purity and uprightness of conduct, so that he was recognized by every one as a model boy and noble young man. The Reverend Whitfield Brooks Wharton, the fourth child and second son of John and Jane A. Wharton, was born near Waterloo, in Laurens County, S. C., on October 11, 1858. His father died during the Civil War while the boy was still a child. His mother lived to see her boy an influential member of the Conference, and passed away on September 20, 1903. She was a woman of great faith, and her influence was of untold benefit to the boy in his youth and young manhood. He joined the Methodist Church early in life and lived a consistent member of the same, but it was not until the latter part of the year 1875, during a revival meeting conducted by Rev. W. H. Ariail, of the South Carolina Conference, that he was consciously converted. He immediately felt the call of God to preach the gospel, but did not, however, respond to the call until several years later, though he could never get away from the conviction that God had called him to the work of the ministry. Upon reaching mature manhood, he entered the business world as a merchant and farmer, and, carrying into this vocation the same genuine courtesy and uprightness that had characterized his youth, prosperity soon crowned his efforts, and he was recognized by all as a safe

and trustworthy business man. It was in the midst of this temporal prosperity, which no doubt appealed to him as strongly as to other men, that the call to preach pressed so heavily upon him that he no longer "conferred with flesh and blood," but began to prepare for that important work. His early education had been such only as the common schools of the country afforded, and he was unwilling to undertake the great responsibility of preaching the gospel without better educational equipment. Notwithstanding the fact that he now had a family dependent upon him, he sold out his interest in his mercantile business and moved his family to Spartanburg, where he might avail himself of the advantages afforded by Wofford Collège. For four years he pursued the regular course of study, graduating with the class of 1892. With this preparation and the anointing of the Holy Ghost, he entered the South Carolina Conference at the session held in the city of Charleston, December, 1892, and was assigned by Bishop Hendrix to the Greenwood Circuit, which is but a few miles from the home of his youth. For four years he rendered acceptable and efficient service to the people of that charge. His next charge was the Donalds Circuit, where he likewise served with marked success for four years. He was next appointed to the Prosperity Circuit, where he was serving with his usual acceptability when he was elected to the superintendency of the Epworth Orphanage in December, 1901. It was in this capacity that he rendered his best service to the Church. Taking charge of the institution in what might be termed its beginning, and with a debt of several hundred dollars against it, he brought to his aid the experience he had gained in the business world, and by strict economy and wise management soon paid off the indebtedness and steadily built up the property, until at his death the plant was easily worth a hundred thousand or more dollars, besides having laid by a snug little sum as an endowment or emergency fund for the "rainy day." On the first day of November, 1877, Brother Wharton was married to Miss Mattie Jane Puckett, a neighbor girl whom he had known from her childhood. They became the happy parents of eight children, four only of whom are now living, namely: Marvin Talmage, of the Upper South Carolina Conference; Jennie Louise (Mrs. C. M. McLaughlin, of Atlanta, Ga.); Whitfield Carlisle, and Edward Murray; to whom he

leaves the priceless heritage of a name untarnished and a character above reproach. "Well done, thou good and faithful servant; enter thou into the joys of thy Lord." Thou art gone to thy well-earned rest, and we will not mourn as those who have no hope, but shall with confidence expect to meet thee in our Father's house, which is eternal in the heavens.—T. C. O'Dell.

WYATT LESTER GAULT, son of Rev. S. D. F. and H. Elizabeth B. Gault, was born near Wilkinsville, Cherokee (formerly Union) County, S. C., January 30, 1875, and died at Landrum, S. C., April 9, 1916. He was the second oldest of eight children—five boys and three girls. He was reared in a home of piety, where the family altar-fires burned daily. His father, Sidney D. F. Gault, was a consecrated, useful local preacher, always willing and ready to help his pastor. The mother of Brother W. L. Gault is an amiable Christian woman, still spared of the Lord to be a blessing to her children. Brother Lester was a boy of fourteen in age when the writer became his pastor in 1889. He with the whole family was a regular attendant at Sunday school and church. He was converted at the age of twenty-two while at Leesville College, under the presidency of Prof. Lawson B. Haynes, a cousin. He soon thereafter answered the call to preach and set about better and further preparation for the itinerancy. He preached a year or two after his graduation at Leesville College. Then he joined the South Carolina Conference at the session of 1902. His first appointment was as junior preacher on the Whitmire Circuit. Then he served in succession at Fort Mott, Swansea, Traveler's Rest, Santuc, Grover, and Greenwood Mills. Dr. Stackhouse says of him in the *Southern Christian Advocate*: "He was a forceful and effective preacher. His sermons were scriptural in content, clear in thought, logical in arrangement, and delivered with great earnestness. Many heard from his lips and heeded the call to a better life. Numbers of people in all the fields he served became his warm and devoted personal friends, and his early death is mourned in all sections of the State." He married Miss Ida Belle Crouch, of Leesville, S. C., in 1904. Four children were born to them—the eldest a boy and the youngest a little girl of two years. For his devoted wife and precious children he made a heroic fight to live. About five years ago Brother

Gault's health so failed that he had to give up the active ministry and take the superannuate relation. In this he suffered, waited, watched, and prayed. The writer recalls a letter he wrote the *Advocate* in the summer of 1915, in which he describes his experience in suffering and his conflict with doubt. It sounded to me like the wail of the Master: "My God, my God, why hast thou forsake me?" It was as the cry of a child in the night. "Death held no terrors for him," says his brother, Forney; "time after time he gave us the sweet assurance that all was well." His wife is an accomplished musician. A day or so before his death he asked her to play some of his favorite hymns. While she was playing "It Is Well With My Soul," he smiled and, though weak as he was, tried to follow her in the singing. In the language of the Master, we may say, "He is not dead, but sleepeth." "For He giveth His beloved sleep."—J. W. Shell.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called one by one in open Conference, and their characters examined and passed.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### Anderson District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Anderson: St. John .....	1	801
Orrville .....	2	332
Bethel .....	1	400
Antreville .....		517
Calhoun Falls .....		220
Central .....		275
Clemson College .....		61
Honea Path .....		495
Lowndesville .....		260
McCormick .....	1	514
Pelzer .....		587
Pendleton .....		500
Seneca .....		245
Starr .....		461
Townville .....		260
Walhalla .....		193
Walhalla Circuit .....		368
Westminster .....		403
Williamston and Belton .....	1	338
	6	8,031

#### Cokesbury District.

Abbeville Circuit .....	275
Abbeville Station .....	323
Broad River .....	178
Butler .....	800
Cokesbury .....	294
Greenwood: Main Street .....	2
Greenwood Mills .....	158
Greenwood Circuit .....	400
Kinards .....	340

#### Cokesbury District (Continued).

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
McKendree .....		249
Newberry: Central .....		356
O'Neale Street .....		300
Newberry Circuit .....		740
Ninety-Six .....	1	545
Parksville .....		200
Phoenix .....	1	456
Princeton .....		412
Prosperity and Zion .....		444
Saluda .....		433
Waterloo .....		306
Whitmire .....		312
	4	8,191

#### Columbia District.

Aiken and Williston .....	1	183
Aiken Circuit .....		162
Batesburg .....		474
Columbia: Brookland .....		303
Edgewood .....		185
Green Street .....		356
Main Street .....	3	1,185
Shandon .....	1	608
Washington Street .....		677
Waverly .....		185
Whaley Street .....		450
Edgefield .....		217
Fairfield .....		378
Gilbert .....		664
Graniteville .....		384
Irmo .....	1	542
Johnston .....		515
Langley .....		106
Leesville .....	1	274
Leesville Circuit .....		576
Lexington .....		372
Middleburg .....	1	136
North Augusta .....		198
Richland .....	1	361
Ridgeway .....		173
Swansea .....	2	595
Wagener .....		466
	11	10,730

#### Greenville District.

Clinton .....		306
Easley .....	1	391
Fountain Inn .....		533
Gray Court .....		558
Greenville: Bethel and Poe .....		300
Brandon and Judson .....		194
Buncombe Street .....		608
Duncan .....		173
Hampton Avenue .....		254
South Greenville .....		108
St. Paul .....		518
West Greenville .....		163
Greenville Circuit .....	1	560
Greer .....	2	382
Laurens .....		409
Laurens Circuit .....		180
Liberty .....		219
Pickens .....		177
Pickens Circuit .....	1	297
Piedmont .....		442
South Easley .....	1	460
South Greer .....	3	437
Traveler's Rest .....		403
	9	8,072

#### Rock Hill District.

Blacksburg .....		148
Blackstock .....		125
Chester .....		559

*Rock Hill District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers
Chester Circuit .....		575
Clover .....		489
East Lancaster .....	1	711
Fort Mill .....		493
Great Falls .....		560
Hickory Grove .....		651
Lancaster .....		192
Lancaster Circuit .....		391
North Rock Hill Circuit .....	1	336
Richburg .....		345
Rock Hill; Manchester and High- land Park .....		337
St. John .....	1	540
West Main Street .....		291
Rock Hill Circuit .....		448
Van Wyck .....		413
Winnboro .....		262
York .....		390
	3	8,246

*Spartanburg District.*

Belmont .....		429
Campobello .....		391
Carlisle .....		132
Cherokee .....	1	461
Chesnee .....		180
Clifton and Glendale .....		350
Enoree .....		407
Gaffney; Buford Street .....		289
Limestone Street .....		201
Gaffney Circuit .....		466
Inman .....		539
Jonesville .....		500
Kelton .....	1	503
Pacolet .....		812
Pacolet Mills .....		280
Reidville .....		805
Spartanburg; Bethel .....		887
Central .....		782
Duncan .....	6	656
North Spartanburg .....	2	254
Union; Buffalo .....		221
Grace .....		376
Green Street .....	2	200
South Union .....		505
Woodruff .....		200
	12	10,826

*Recapitulation.*

Anderson District .....	6	8,031
Cokesbury District .....	4	8,191
Columbia District .....	11	10,730
Greenville District .....	9	8,072
Rock Hill District .....	3	8,246
Spartanburg District .....	12	10,826
Total this year .....	45	54,096
Total last year .....	55	51,016
Increase .....		3,080
Decrease .....	10	.....

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 7. Some have been sent.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 7.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 928.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,598.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 50.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 1,989.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 361.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 3,273.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 44,127.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$8,750.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$6,744. Distributed by Board of Finance.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$10,723; Home and Conference Missions, \$15,174. Total, \$25,897.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$5,573.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$8,741.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$511.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$14,108; preachers in charge, \$119,360.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$1,670.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 422; houses of worship, 388.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$1,472,070; indebtedness, \$81,743.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 135; parsonages, 110.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$300,240; indebtedness, \$14,230.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 6; district parsonages, 6.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of in-



debtedness thereon? Value, \$50,000; indebtedness, \$5,625.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 2; amount of damage, \$1,625.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$658,375; premiums paid, \$3,503; losses sustained, \$1,625; collections on losses, none.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Wofford College and Wofford Fitting School: Value of property, \$399,550; endowment, \$204,438; professors, 17; pupils, 381. Columbia College: Value of property, \$245,000; endowment, \$12,000; professors, 21; pupils, 235. Lander College: Value of property, \$174,450; endowment, \$8,200; professors, 22; pupils, 248. Carlisle Fitting School: Value of property, \$85,000; endowment, \$5,000; professors, 11; pupils, 128. Textile Industrial Institute: Value of property, \$85,000; professors, 4; pupils, 105. Cokesbury Conference School: Value of property, \$6,000; endowment, \$1,000; professor, 1; pupil, 1.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 213; Conference organ, 2,862.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? Lay Leader, George C. Hodges.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Clinton, S. C.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### ANDERSON DISTRICT.

*T. C. O'Dell, P. E.*

Anderson: St. John's, M. L. Carlisle.

Orrville, L. W. Johnson.

Bethel, C. P. Carter.

Antreville, W. S. Martin.

Calhoun Falls, J. W. Bailey.

Central, B. M. Robertson.

Clemson College, J. M. Steadman.

Honea Path, T. W. Munnerlyn.

Lowndesville, M. K. Meadors.

McCormick, J. C. Huggin.

Pelzer, J. H. Danner.

Pendleton, W. M. Owings.

Seneca, N. G. Ballenger.

Starr, J. E. Strickland.

Walhalla, J. L. Stokes.

Walhalla Circuit, W. T. Belvin.

Westminster, J. W. Lewis.

Williamston and Belton, S. H. Booth.

Commissioner for the Washington City Church, T. C. O'Dell.

#### COKESBURY DISTRICT.

*W. I. Herbert, P. E.*

Abbeville Circuit, J. N. Isom.

Abbeville Station, J. L. Daniel.

Butler, W. P. Meadors, Jr.

Cokesbury, R. E. Sharp.

Greenwood: Main Street, L. P. McGee.

Greenwood Mills, C. L. Harris.

Greenwood Circuit, G. F. Clarkson.

Kinards, W. H. Murray.

McKendree, to be supplied.

Newberry: Central, F. E. Dibble.

O'Neale Street, B. L. Knight.

Newberry Circuit, W. R. Bouknight.

Ninety-Six, R. F. Morris.

Parksville, A. Q. Rice.

Phoenix, John I. Spinks.

Pomaria Circuit, W. A. Duckworth.

Princeton, J. B. Connelley.

Prosperity and Zion, E. P. Taylor.

Saluda, O. A. Jeffcoat.

Waterloo, J. M. Fridy.

Whitmire, J. W. Shell.

Lander College: John O. Willson, President; R. O. Lawton, Professor.

Assistant Sunday School Editor, L. F. Beaty.

Commissioner for the Washington City Church, W. I. Herbert.

#### COLUMBIA DISTRICT.

*J. W. Kilgo, P. E.*

Aiken and Williston, A. E. Driggers.

Aiken Circuit, J. H. Montgomery.

Batesburg, W. J. Snyder.

Columbia: Brookland, to be supplied by D. H. Attaway.

Edgewood, R. H. Lupo.

Green Street, L. E. Wiggins.

Main Street, B. R. Turnipseed; Foster Speer, Sup.

Shandon, W. B. Garrett; J. C. Chandler, Sup.

Washington Street, A. N. Brunson.

Waverly, J. B. Mahaffey.

Whaley Street, O. M. Abney; D. R. Roof, Sup.

Edgefield, A. L. Gunter.

Fairfield, J. A. Bledsoe; E. W. Mason, Sup.

Gilbert, D. E. Jeffcoat.

Graniteville, J. F. Lupo.

Irmo, F. G. Whitlock.

Johnston, J. H. Thacker.

Langley, J. E. Brown.

Leesville, C. E. Peele.

Leesville Circuit, to be supplied by M. A. Cleckley.

Lexington, J. G. Farr.  
 North Augusta, Hamlin Etheredge.  
 Richland, J. M. Meetze.  
 Ridgeway, T. A. Shealy.  
 Swansea, J. W. Neeley.  
 Wagener, to be supplied by W. T. Patrick.  
 Commissioner for the Washington City  
 Church, J. W. Kilgo.

GREENVILLE DISTRICT.

*R. E. Turnipseed, P. E.*

Clinton, Henry Stokes.  
 Easley, R. L. Holroyd.  
 Fountain Inn, M. T. Wharton.  
 Gray Court, G. G. Harley.  
 Greenville: Bethel and Poe, J. D. Holler.  
 Brandon and Judson, A. M. Doggett.  
 Buncombe Street, P. F. Kilgo.  
 Camperdown, R. F. Cogburn.  
 Duncan, S. C. Dunlap.  
 Hampton Avenue, E. R. Mason.  
 St. Paul's, A. E. Holler.  
 West Greenville, W. H. Lewis.  
 Greenville Circuit, J. L. Singleton.  
 Greer, L. D. Gillespie.  
 Laurens, W. A. Fairey.  
 Laurens Circuit, W. L. Mullikin.  
 Liberty, G. H. Hodges.  
 Pickens, E. T. Hodges.  
 Pickens Circuit, to be supplied by S. M.  
 Jones.  
 Piedmont, J. D. Griffin.  
 South Easley, G. T. Hughes.  
 South Greer, J. P. Winningham.  
 Traveler's Rest, W. A. Lamar.  
 Conference Missionary Secretary, R. E.  
 Turnipseed.  
 Commissioner for the Washington City  
 Church, R. E. Turnipseed.

ROCK HILL DISTRICT.

*E. S. Jones, P. E.*

Blacksburg, J. B. Traywick.  
 Blackstock, S. B. White.  
 Chester: Baldwin Mill, to be supplied.  
 Bethel, C. C. Herbert.  
 Chester Circuit, W. T. Duncan.  
 Clover, H. A. Whitten.  
 East Lancaster, J. H. Manly.  
 Fort Mill, W. S. Goodwin.  
 Great Falls, J. B. Kilgore.  
 Hickory Grove, H. C. Mouzon.  
 Lancaster, D. W. Keller.  
 Lancaster Circuit, T. F. Gibson.  
 North Rock Hill Circuit, W. M. Harden.  
 Richburg, E. Z. James.

Rock Hill: Manchester and Highland  
 Park, Elzie Myers.  
 St. John's, J. C. Roper.  
 West Main Street, W. H. Polk.  
 Rock Hill Circuit, P. R. Kilgo.  
 Van Wyck, M. G. Latham.  
 Winnsboro, H. B. Hardy.  
 Yorkville, J. F. Mahaffey.  
 Missionary to Korea, L. Porter Anderson.  
 Commissioner for the Washington City  
 Church, E. S. Jones.

SPARTANBURG DISTRICT.

*R. E. Stackhouse, P. E.*

Campobello, R. C. Boulware.  
 Carlisle, R. L. Doggett.  
 Cherokee, J. R. Copeland.  
 Chesnee, W. W. McGhee.  
 Clifton and Glendale, S. L. Rogers.  
 Cross Anchor, J. F. Golightly.  
 Enoree, J. T. Miller; J. K. Holman, Sup.  
 Gaffney: Buford Street, G. C. Leonard.  
 Limestone Street, W. F. Gault.  
 Gaffney Circuit, R. L. Keaton; A. H. Best,  
 Sup.  
 Inman, M. M. Brooks.  
 Jonesville, W. B. Justus.  
 Kelton, W. C. Kelley.  
 Pacolet, C. M. Peeler.  
 Pacolet Mills, W. H. Cooley.  
 Reidville, S. T. Blackman.  
 Spartanburg: Bethel, J. R. T. Major; M.  
 B. Patrick, junior preacher.  
 Central, John W. Frazer.  
 Duncan, D. H. Covington.  
 North Spartanburg, J. C. Cunningham.  
 Union: Bethel, J. H. Brown.  
 Buffalo, B. H. Harvey.  
 Grace, J. W. Speake.  
 Green Street and Unity, J. B. Chick.  
 Woodruff, S. T. Creech.  
 Conference Evangelist, J. L. Harley.  
 Textile Industrial Institute: D. E. Camak,  
 President.  
 Conference Secretary of Education, J. R.  
 T. Major.  
 Commissioner for the Washington City  
 Church, R. E. Stackhouse.

*Transferred.*—C. W. Burgess, Gobe  
 Smith, B. G. Vaughan, to the South Caro-  
 lina Conference; S. A. Steel, to the Loui-  
 siana Conference; W. B. Duncan, Jr., to  
 the Florida Conference; J. A. Cook, to the  
 Western North Carolina Conference; P.  
 B. Wells, to the North Alabama Confer-  
 ence.

## VIRGINIA CONFERENCE.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH SESSION.

HELD AT RICHMOND, VA., NOVEMBER 15-21, 1916.

BISHOP KILGO, *President*; B. F. LIPSCOMB, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. Leonard R. Black, William K. Cunningham, James U. Edwards, Harvey A. Glauss, William Oliver Gordon, Duncan Malone, Laxton C. Smart, Chester A. Tucker. 8.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Henry I. Anker, William L. Burks, Richard R. Burnette, Edgar W. Davis, Wade H. Fletcher, Otis L. Gilliam, Joseph S. Gresham, Charles T. Harrell, Leon W. Hendrickson, Edward M. Higginbotham, Edgar G. Hill, Zebulon V. Johnston, George H. I. Mayo, Charles W. Moss, C. Leslie Salmon, Bernard S. Via. 16.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? David S. Walker. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? William J. Boyd, Leslie F. Callahan, James A. Chapman, Jacob J. Clarke, T. Maynard De Shazo, Walter S. Deyerle, James B. Douglas, James L. Finch, Leon S. Flournoy, William H. Hantzmon, Theodore G. Laughon, Eugene B. Loving, Charles H. McNeil, Hugh D. Mollart, Henry W. Neville, William P. Province, A. Walter Roten, Arthur L. Stevenson, Sterling W. Wilkinson. 19.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? John B. Winn, an elder, from the Baltimore Conference. 1.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? F. M. Correll and Frank Pellikon, elders, from the Methodist Episcopal Church. 2.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? None.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? James E. Avery, Jr., Walter S. Brown, Fred R. Chenault, William H. Grubbs, Christopher C. Jones, Orson B. Newton, Horace P. Read, Bart D. Stephens, Henry T. Todd, Aden P. Williams. 10.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Leslie F. Callahan, Jacob J. Clarke, Leon S. Flournoy, William H. Hantzmon, Leon W. Hendrickson, Edgar G. Hill, Edward M. Higginbotham, Theodore G. Laughon, Charles H. McNeil, Henry W. Neville, William P. Province,

Arthur L. Stevenson, Sterling W. Wilkinson. 13.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Leslie F. Callahan, Jacob J. Clarke, Leon S. Flournoy, William H. Hantzmon, Leon W. Hendrickson, Edgar G. Hill, Edward M. Higginbotham, Theodore G. Laughon, Charles H. McNeil, Henry W. Neville, William P. Province, Arthur L. Stevenson, Sterling W. Wilkinson. 13.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? William James Craddock, William K. Cunningham, Dumas Malone, John Marshall, James M. Mooney, Chester A. Tucker. 6.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? William James Craddock, William K. Cunningham, Dumas Malone, John Marshall, James M. Mooney, Chester A. Tucker. 6.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Cecil C. Bell, Hadley V. Clarke, Fleming W. England, Allen W. Linthicum, William A. Orser, John B. Peters. 6.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Cecil C. Bell, Hadley V. Clarke, Fleming W. England, Allen B. Linthicum, William A. Orser, John B. Peters. 6.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? John William Wimbish. 1.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? John William Wimbish. 1.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? John M. Burton, William H. Camper, John E. McCartney, Edward L. Pell, Edgar A. Potts, Eugene J. Potts, Horace P. Read. 7.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? W. G. Bates, Sr., L. B. Betty, Charles H. Boggs, H. C. Bowles, Charles W. Cain, William R. Crowder, S. W. Day, T. P. Duke, John R. Gill, Charles H. Green, Wester H. Gregory, B. S. Herrink, William P. Jordan, William E. Judkins, S. S. Lambeth, William A. Laughon, J. E. McSparran, James O. Moss, James E. Oyler, E. P. Parham, John W. Parrish, N. J.

Pruden, John Q. Rhodes, William H. Riddick, D. R. Sturgis, William A. Tompkins, D. J. Traynham, William V. Tudor, C. W. Turner, Charles E. Watts, C. C. Wertenbaker, J. T. Whitley, Walter J. Williams, John P. Woodward. 34.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? Joseph H. Amiss, Robert B. Blankinship, Robert N. Crooks, William G. Starr, Travis J. Taylor. 5.

ROBERT N. CROOKS was born in Greenup County, Ky., March 16, 1830, and departed this life at Yorktown, Va., February 26, 1916. His parents were Abraham and Catherine Conrad Crooks, of Kentucky. He was converted early in life, and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in August, 1852, when about twenty-two years of age. He was licensed to preach by the Greenup Quarterly Conference in March, 1855; received into the Western Virginia Conference in September, 1855; ordained a deacon in 1857, and an elder in 1859. He came to Virginia the first year of the Civil War, enlisted for service, and was made first lieutenant of his company. This position he held until June, 1862, when he was appointed chaplain in the Confederate Army and assigned to duty at Chimborazo Hospital, Richmond, where he remained until after the war. In November, 1865, he was transferred to the Virginia Conference. Having passed through the perils and hardships of the Civil War, and of a pioneer preacher in the mountains, he now entered a field with as many difficulties and hardships as he had encountered in the past. He was sent to York Circuit, where he had to reorganize scattered societies and rebuild demolished churches. But none of these things moved him. He had seen a vision and caught an inspiration that gave him such courage and determination as to make his efforts always a great success. Nine churches and two parsonages were built under his administration, while many old places of worship were either rebuilt or repaired, and thirteen hundred persons were received by him into the Church. His active ministry extended through about one-third of a century, and was of unusual acceptability as well as efficiency. During that time he served two charges—Bertie and York Circuits—fifteen years. While pastor of Hanover Circuit from 1879 to 1882, Brother Crooks was painfully injured by a fall from his buggy. Though compelled to itinerate on crutches, he persevered in his loved em-

ploy until the Conference of 1883, when, with a constitution shattered by rheumatism and other painful maladies, he reluctantly retired to the superannuate relation. He ended his career as an itinerant preacher on the Chase City charge, and then located in Richmond, where he resided four years. From there he removed to Yorktown, where he spent the remainder of his life. He loved his Church, but the cause of Christ more. Though circumscribed by superannuation, he was not wholly hindered from the work he so much loved. Sabbath after Sabbath he would meet the people of his town in the little chapel that he had been instrumental in building, and open to them the Scriptures, either from the pulpit or in the pew. Here he was greatly beloved by the people, and eternity alone will reveal the good he has done. Brother Crooks was happy in his domestic relations. August 6, 1867, he was married to Miss Susan Scully, of Richmond. Eight children were born to them, four of whom are now living—two sons and two daughters. He was a kind and affectionate father, and the mutual devotion of father and children was beautiful. He loved his brethren and delighted in their fellowship. His kindness, courtesy, and geniality won for him many friends. He was so magnanimous in spirit that men everywhere would say, "He is one of the best." The funeral services were conducted by the writer, whom he received into the Methodist Church forty-seven years ago, assisted by Rev. W. W. Royall and Rev. J. B. Askew, of our Church, and Rev. A. J. Renforth, of the Christian denomination. We laid him away in the cemetery of Providence church, which in the days of his active ministry he had served as pastor for seven years. Here rests the body of one of the purest, noblest, and most consecrated men of whom modern Methodism can boast.

"Servant of God, well done!  
Rest from thy loved employ;  
The battle fought, the victory won,  
Enter thy Master's joy."

—T. G. Pullen.

TRAVIS J. TAYLOR departed this life at the residence of his son-in-law, R. R. Carter, of Nottoway County, Va. As his redeemed spirit went "sweeping through the gates" into the Eternal City, many won to Christ by his ministry and blessed and nurtured by his tender, loving pastoral care, who had preceded him to the man-

sions of the blest, gave him glad welcome into the eternal habitations; while over all their rejoicing and glad welcome was heard the voice of Jesus saying: "Well done, thou good and faithful servant; enter thou into the joy of thy Lord." But few words need to be written of this great and good man—great because he was good. Of him it can be truly said: "He was a good man, and full of the Holy Ghost and of faith; and much people was added unto the Lord." The name of a more consecrated and useful man has not adorned the roll of membership of the Virginia Conference in all of its long and honorable history. He was born at Burwell's Bay, Isle of Wight County, Va., May 16, 1845, his parents being Robert Carter and Mary Evelyn Taylor. He was converted and at once joined the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in October, 1866, and in a few weeks was appointed class leader; May 18, 1867, he was licensed as an exhorter; November 2, 1867, he was licensed to preach, and in the same month he was received on trial into the Virginia Conference. His first appointment was King William Circuit, where he remained two years. On this charge God greatly blessed his ministry. Thereafter he served with the most signal success the following charges: Dinwiddie, Bedford Springs, Prospect, and Appomattox, four years each; South Norfolk Circuit, two years; Smithfield and Benn's, four years; Wright Memorial Station, Portsmouth, two years; and each of the following charges four years: Laurel Street, Richmond; Calvary, North Danville; Crewe Station, Queen Street, Norfolk; and Chestnut Avenue, Newport News. Failing health caused him to superannuate in 1913. During a part of this year, however, he served Ocean View charge. Returning to the effective list in 1914, he was reappointed to Ocean View; but his health again failed, and at the Conference of 1915 he again took the superannuate relation. This is a most notable record. In a ministry of nearly forty-nine years he served ten charges four years each; and the charges he served only two years would have gladly retained him for the full term of four years, had the appointing power permitted it. In an experience of fifteen years in the presiding eldership of the Virginia Conference, I can say without reserve that Travis J. Taylor was one of the most complete, all-round pastors of a charge I have ever known. His reports to the Quarterly Conference were

models. Every interest of the charge he knew, even to the minutest details. His work was his constant joy. He was an optimist, attempting great things, expecting great things, and accomplishing great things. The joy of the Lord was the strength of his soul. Brother Taylor lived in constant communion with his Lord. He walked and talked with God. Prayer was his "vital breath," his "native air," the atmosphere in which he lived. He prayed without ceasing and in everything gave thanks. He had fully dedicated his life to God and was entirely consecrated to his service. He was indeed "a vessel unto honor, sanctified and meet for the Master's use, and prepared unto every good work." The following tribute, by one who knew him well and loved him long, gives a beautiful and true description of his life and labors: "He did not possess the gifts that dazzle, but he had the graces that shine, and the light of his life radiated and blessed wherever he went. He never seemed to be weary in well doing, nor to count his life dear unto himself, if he might finish his course with joy, and the ministry which he had received of the Lord Jesus, to testify the gospel of the grace of God. He was instant in season and out of season, visiting the sick, comforting the sorrowing, correcting the wrong, calling back the prodigal, and pointing all to the Lamb of God that taketh away the sin of the world. He achieved remarkable success in winning souls to Christ, in reconciling men to each other and to God, in building up the charges he was sent to serve. He drew men and women and children to him by the warmth and sincerity of his love for them, and many will rise up and call him blessed because of his tender sympathy and helpful ministrations; they are better, nobler, happier, because he lived and loved and served." He was gentle, yet firm, kind, and tactful. He knew how to handle the sensitive, to recall the wayward, and to adjust and reconcile differences and difficulties. He asked of God, and he gave him the wisdom that is "first pure, then peaceable, gentle and easy to be entreated, full of mercy and good fruits, without partiality, and without hypocrisy." Brother Taylor was blessed with one of God's best gifts, a noble and consecrated wife. On May 18, 1870, he was married to Miss Eliza Campbell, daughter of Achilles and Elizabeth Campbell, of King William County, Va. This union must have been made



in heaven, for it made a home a very heaven on earth. From this home of love and joy this good man went forth followed and sustained by the love and prayers of a good wife, who entered with her whole mind, soul, and strength into all of her husband's labors, and contributed largely to his success. This union was blessed with a son and three daughters, and all of these as they grew up added their love and labors to those of the father and mother in the work of their Master. His wife and three daughters—Mrs. J. K. Joliff and Mrs. J. W. Eure, of the Virginia Conference, and Mrs. R. R. Carter, of Nottoway County, Virginia—survive to mourn their immeasurable loss. Our dear brother was not exempt from great sorrow. His only son, bearing the name of his father, a talented Christian physician with the most flattering prospects of great success, was suddenly called from his chosen profession on earth to the silence of the tomb. In this great sorrow our brother murmured not. God's will was his will. From that hour heaven became nearer and dearer, and his labors, if possible, more diligent and unremitting in the Master's service. His last days were spent in the reading of God's Word and in sweet communion with the Saviour. He would say to his wife over and over again: "Jesus, my Saviour, is so sweet and precious to me." Thus walking with God, on the afternoon of June 28, 1916, he walked through the pearly gates and came back no more, for God had taken him. His funeral services were conducted from the Laurel Street Church, Richmond, of which his son-in-law, Rev. J. K. Joliff, is pastor, and which he himself had served four years with signal success. The services were conducted by the writer, assisted by Rev. T. McN. Simpson and Rev. R. F. Gayle. His brethren of the Conference bore him to his last resting place, and his precious dust was laid to rest in Hollywood Cemetery on Friday, June 30, 1916.

"Life's labor done, as sinks the clay,  
Light from its load the spirit flies,  
While heaven and earth combine to say,  
'How blest the righteous when he dies!'"

—J. C. Reed.

WILLIAM G. STARR was the son of Rev. William H. and Frances Starr, and was born in Rappahannock County, Va., September 26, 1840. His father was a member of the Virginia Annual Conference

fifty-one years. The son exceeded his father's term of service by five years. He was converted at the age of sixteen. Randolph-Macon College was his *alma mater*, graduating him at the age of eighteen. He was chosen as the valedictorian of his class. The writer was present and heard the address, a poem that elicited great admiration, giving promise of his brilliant career. After graduation he went to Alabama and taught school for a year. In 1860, at Alexandria, Va., he was received on trial into the Virginia Conference, and was sent to Gloucester Circuit as the junior of Rev. John B. Dey. Six weeks later he was directed by his presiding elder to take charge of the church in Hampton, where his work was terminated by the War between the States. He then returned South and enlisted as chaplain in the Forty-seventh Alabama Regiment. In 1863 he became the captain of a company in the same regiment. As a soldier he was noted for cool-headedness, courage, and resourcefulness. On the retreat of the Army of Northern Virginia from Gettysburg a battery located on an eminence was annoying the Confederate forces, and the General in command of that part of the field ordered Captain Starr to capture it. He replied: "General, I cannot capture the battery by a frontal attack, but if you will let me flank it through that ravine [pointing to the ravine], I think I can capture it." The General replied: "Take it any way you can." Captain Starr had the command of about ninety men. He flanked the battery, charging it from the rear; and though he lost more than twenty-five per cent of his men, he captured the battery. As one who knew him well, I can see the firm-set lips, the flashing eye, and hear the clear-ringing voice of command as he charged and captured that battery. It was just like him; whatever he attempted he did with his might. After the close of the war we find him filling the position of junior preacher on the Bedford Circuit. In 1865 he reconnected himself with the Conference at its session in Danville, having been discontinued three years before at his own request, on account of feeble health. Beginning his active and continuous work in the Virginia Conference in 1865, he was sent to Murfreesboro, N. C., where he remained two years, 1865 to 1867. Then he was stationed at Liberty (now Bedford City), two years, 1867 to 1869. The next three years, 1869 to 1872, he was pastor of the

church in Suffolk. During his Suffolk pastorate he was united in marriage, April 5, 1870, to Miss Elizabeth A. Leigh, of Gloucester County, Va., who was a helpmeet indeed. She carefully guarded him from unnecessary interruptions when engaged in study, and entered with great earnestness into all his labors. She survives, with two daughters—Miss Frances Leigh Starr, of Newport News, and Mrs. H. B. Dowst, of Waban, Mass.—and one son, Prof. Ernest L. Starr, of Winston-Salem, N. C., to mourn his departure and look forward to a blessed reunion in our Father's house in heaven. At the Conference of 1872, held in Petersburg, he was appointed agent for the Wesleyan Female College at Murfreesboro, N. C. In 1873 he became president of the college, and continued in this position with great success until the destruction of the building by fire August 5, 1877. In 1878 he was appointed to Broad Street, Richmond, serving four years. In 1882 he was sent to Charlottesville, where he remained three years. Thence, in 1885, he went to Main Street, Danville, remaining four years. Cumberland Street, Norfolk, was his next charge, where his term of service was four years. In 1893 he was stationed at Washington Street, Petersburg; remaining two years; and then, in 1895, he was sent to Broad Street, Richmond, for a second term, where he served until 1899. That year he was elected President of Randolph-Macon College, in which position he remained three years. During his presidency he was especially active in the Twentieth Century Movement. Feeling, however, that his work lay in the regular pastorate, he resigned the presidency of the college in 1902, and was reappointed to Washington Street, Petersburg, where he remained three years. In 1905 he was again sent to Cumberland Street, Norfolk, serving the full quadrennium. In 1909 he was appointed to Trinity, Newport News, remaining four years, and ending his active labors. His work was done, and well done. Asking and receiving the superannuate relation in 1913, he spent his days of retirement in reading, meditation, and prayer. The writer on visiting him found him cheerful and bright. He was conscious of his physical weakness, and knew that the summons might come at any moment; yet he said he was ready for the Master's call to come up higher. Dr. Starr's appearance on the streets of Newport News cheered and gladdened the hearts of all

he met. His hearty hand-clasp and cheery words strengthened the weak, and gave new life and hope to the despondent. He let his light shine. On Thursday, June 29, he suffered a stroke of paralysis, and on Saturday, July 1, at 2 P.M., his spirit passed from his home on earth to his home in heaven. The funeral services were held July 3, at 8:30 A.M., in Trinity Church, Newport News, his last charge, and were conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. A. Thomas, assisted by Rev. D. G. C. Butts, Rev. George W. Wray, Rev. J. C. Reed, and Dr. E. T. Wellford of the Presbyterian Church. A large congregation at this early hour attested the reverence and love of the people for this man of God. The remains were taken to Richmond, where his brethren, members of the Virginia Conference, bore them to Hollywood Cemetery, and he was laid to rest beside his loved ones. Bishop Denny, Rev. W. Asbury Christian, and the writer conducted the service at the grave. The following tribute to the character, life, and labors of Dr. Starr, by Mr. W. S. Copeland, editor of the *Newport News Daily Press*, so appreciative, so beautiful in expression, and so true in statement, will make a fitting close to the memoir of our beloved brother: "Another of the great preachers of the Virginia Conference has finished his course and entered into the rest that remaineth to the saints. He fought a good fight; he kept the faith; he gains the crown. Dr. William G. Starr was one of the most accomplished preachers and teachers of his day and generation. He was a scholar, a gifted writer, a pulpit orator, a master of the English language, and without an ideal pastor. It is not often that such a combination of talents and qualifications is found in one minister of the gospel. Dr. Starr neglected no part of his sacred work. He never went into the pulpit unprepared. His sermons were carefully composed and reduced to writing, so that the line of argument might be expressed in precise terms. He preached from manuscript, but before entering the pulpit he had so familiarized himself with the phraseology that every written sermon was an eloquent oration, delivered with all the power and adornment of the finished orator. He was one of the most systematic men in all his work we ever knew. On Monday he mapped out and scheduled his work for the week; and there was a time for every duty, so far as it was possible for

him to forecast. He made his calls upon his parishioners with regularity and promptness, and if there was any partiality, it was because this one or that one most needed his attention and service. He had a time for visiting, a time for reading, a time for study and the preparation of his sermons, a time for private meditation and prayer and communion with God, a time for family devotion, a time for recreation, and the proportions were reduced almost to mathematical exactness. His work was so systematized that he accomplished the greatest possible results in a given time, and yet he never seemed hurried or worried or flustered. He was a thoroughly drilled soldier of the cross, and his duties were discharged day after day with almost military discipline. In short, Dr. Starr was the complete master of himself and all of his forces. His flesh was subject to his mind, his mind and flesh were subject to his spirit, and the whole man was under the domination of the Holy Ghost. Dr. Starr had a great intellect, and in any event would have made his mark in the literary world. But the great power of the man was his perfect faith in God; his absolute submission to the Divine will; his complete consecration to his ministry; his undivided allegiance to his Church. Religion to Dr. Starr was a reality, not merely a sentiment. The Bible was his code, his rule of conduct. His religion was the religion of happiness, the religion of joy, and his joy and happiness shone in his countenance and cropped out in his conversation. In sickness and in health, in prosperity, in adversity, in the activities of the ministry, in the leisure of his latter-day retirement, he was always in full enjoyment of his religion, his countenance was almost radiant, his smile was a feature of his face, and sunshine seemed to be his habitation. In the ordinary civilities of life he was genial, ingratiating, winsome, and he had a smile and a word of good cheer for all with whom he came in contact. It was a refreshment to meet him on the street, on the cars, in the social circle. He was sociable, approachable, magnetic. In the pulpit he was as a noble picture in a becoming frame. He seemed born to the sacred place, and the worship was conducted with imposing, almost dramatic, effect. His voice was full of melody, deep and cultured and musical, as soft and yet as resonant as the mezzo notes of the pipe organ. He read with

beautiful effect, whether it were a passage of Scripture or a Wesleyan hymn; and the rich cadence and inflections of his voice imparted music to every rhythmic line. Dr. Starr preached a living gospel, suited to every age, to every condition and phase of life, the answer to every question, the solution of every problem, temporal and spiritual. He preached a religion that was salvation now and hereafter; he pictured death of the body as the means of egress for the soul. He presented the life of the Christian as but the preparation for the greater and more abundant life beyond. He presented heaven as a result; the logical and inevitable refuge and abiding place of the soul redeemed. It was in that faith he died; and his spirit has inherited the riches of the glory reserved for the saints."—*J. C. Reed.*

JOSEPH H. AMISS was born in Culpeper County, Va., September 5, 1834, and was the son of Hiram L. and Emily E. Amiss. In 1861 he was united in marriage to Miss Joyce E. R. Hathaway, of Edenton, N. C., a lady of striking and charming personality, who was a faithful adviser and support in his responsibilities and struggles, and who shared his darkest days as well as his brightest and most triumphant. She preceded him to the tomb by almost three years. This union was blessed with eleven children, four of whom are now living: Mrs. Jesse D. Price, of Salisbury, Maryland; Mrs. James D. Porter, Mrs. Walter S. Dusch, and Mrs. Irma C. Hornthall, of Norfolk, Va. Three brothers, five grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren also survive. In 1911 Mr. and Mrs. Amiss celebrated their golden wedding, which was a delightful event, and which was attended by the representatives of four generations. Mr. Amiss was converted at the age of fifteen, and united with the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. He joined the Virginia Conference in the city of Norfolk in the year 1854, when only twenty years of age; was ordained a deacon by Bishop Early in 1856, and an elder by Bishop Kavanaugh in 1858. For sixty-two years he was a member of the Virginia Conference, and fifty-three of these years were spent in active labors. At the time of his death, which occurred in Norfolk, August 30, 1916, he was the oldest member of the Conference in point of service. The early educational advantages of Mr. Amiss were limited, but be-

ing endowed with superior natural powers and an insatiate thirst for knowledge, reinforced by an indomitable will and invincible determination to succeed, he embraced every opportunity for self-improvement and culture and became a diligent, systematic, and painstaking student. In the beginning of his career as an itinerant he became acquainted with many of the makers of literature, philosophy, and theology, and so thoroughly did he absorb and assimilate their teachings that ever afterwards he was able to command them with readiness and ease. He was without doubt a man of unusual gifts and endowments. He had a strong analytical mind that vigorously employed the processes of thought and easily made him the master of any theme. His memory was capacious and retentive in a remarkable degree, even encyclopedic. He forgot nothing that he ever heard or read. He excelled as a narrator of incidents and experiences, and might have written a book of reminiscences with the engaging style of a Buckley or the artistic touch of a Cuyler. I have heard him talk at length of the great camp meetings that were held in Virginia and Maryland in the good old days when Methodism emphasized the need and value of the real revival. His descriptions of these meetings were so graphic and vivid that I could easily imagine myself an attendant upon them and a witness of the stirring scenes and incidents of which he spoke, and even felt the thrill and glow of the blessed gospel preached with such phenomenal power, while my heart was strangely warmed with a new love to God and a new consecration to his service. His portrayal of the wonderful preaching of Marvin the spirit-filled orator, Doggett the polished and refined scholar, and Duncan the golden-mouthed Chrysostom of Southern Methodism, was so engaging that no man could withhold his tribute of admiration and praise. On one occasion when our lamented and gifted Bishop Galloway was my guest in Norfolk, Brother Amiss called to see him and in the course of the conversation Methodism's contribution to the galaxy of bright, particular stars was discussed, and Bishop Galloway, who was himself a prince of entertainers, felt and acknowledged the peculiar charm with which our departed brother unrolled the scroll of heroes and celebrities. As a result of his wide reading and patient investigation of the varied realms of knowledge, Broth-

er Amiss acquired a large and choice vocabulary which made him an interesting conversationalist and a splendid extemporaneous speaker. He had an inherent fondness and a natural aptitude for debate, and frequently lifted his voice on the Conference floor in the expression of his convictions and in defense of the principles for which he stood. If his faculties in this particular had been more perfectly trained and developed in his youth, he would, as one has truly said, have ranked with the mighty men of Israel in any arena. As a preacher he was logical and forceful, and frequently ornate and eloquent. In 1877 he preached the opening sermon before our Conference in Lynchburg. Dr. Lafferty, the brilliant editor and gifted biographer, the memory of whose genius and ability still abides, in speaking of the sermon, says: "The cultured men of the Conference—men of seasoned wisdom and observation—frankly admitted exceptional powers, both in the preparation and delivery of the discourse. It was indeed the product of a robust intellect with unusual and pleasing oratory." The field of the evangelist was to this enthusiastic and earnest apostle particularly attractive. He had superior talent as a winner of souls. He never preached that he did not place the emphasis upon the universal need of salvation and the necessity for an immediate acceptance of Christ. Scores and hundreds were converted and reclaimed under his ministry, and in the great day of final assize will "rise up and call him blessed." He believed that the revival as conducted by our fathers was a divine institution, and carried with it indubitable evidences of the Divine approval. In his opinion it was essential to the development and progress of the kingdom, and was a veritable solution of all our difficult and perplexing problems. He claimed that if the Church, with her wonderful and varied resources, her present compactness and efficiency of organization, her wealth, talents, and influence, her ministry so willing "to spend and be spent," could only be baptized with the old Methodistic fire and endued with the old Methodistic power, neither men nor devils could withstand her onward march to the conquest of the world. In the course of his long and useful ministry, Brother Amiss received quite a number of appointments in which he wrought with faithfulness and zeal, and in many of them the fruits of his arduous and successful labors are still

apparent. Among his principal charges may be mentioned Rock Creek and Howard Circuits, District of Columbia; Prince Edward Circuit; Central Church, Portsmouth; Berlin Circuit; Edenton, N. C.; Manchester, Va.; Elizabeth City, N. C.; Pasquotank Circuit; Sussex Circuit; Dorchester Circuit; Suffolk Station; Onancock Circuit; and Hertford, N. C. He was presiding elder of the following five districts: Eastern Shore, Norfolk, Portsmouth, Rappahannock, and Danville. Each of these he served two terms with his accustomed energy and success. It is said that he served as presiding elder longer than any other minister that ever filled this responsible office in the Virginia Conference. This, however, will occasion no surprise when we remember that he had singular qualifications for this important position. He was a born leader and organizer of men, a wise counselor, a tireless worker, a trusted and sympathetic comrade, and possessed that coveted quality of genius and consecration which enabled him to inspire others with a determination not only to succeed, but to excel. At the outbreak of the War between the States he espoused the cause of the Confederacy, and gave himself to its success with unflinching loyalty and devotion. In 1861 he was made chaplain of the First South Carolina Hospital in Pickleton Factory, in Richmond, Va., having received his commission from Governor Letcher. At a later period he ran a blockade from Edenton to Murfreesboro on the Chowan River, an act which called for daring and heroism, and which with other deeds of valor won for him the commendation of his comrades. Brother Amis was a splendid specimen of full-orbed Christian manhood. Kindness, generosity, and sympathy were the spontaneous outcroppings of his genial and benignant nature. Magnanimity was the most brilliant jewel in the coronet of his virtues. He belonged to the old school of Southern gentlemen, and carried with him a poise and dignity, a courtesy and consideration, which endeared him to all with whom he was brought into association. As a member of the Virginia Conference he was esteemed and honored by all his brethren. Though distinguished for broadness of mind and catholicity of spirit, he was an intense and devoted Methodist. He considered the itinerancy the greatest system ever devised for the propagation of the gospel and the advancement of the kingdom. Duty was to him an imperial

command. He never sought an appointment, or labored for his own personal aggrandizement and selfish ends. His abnegation of self was so utter and complete that no one ever thought of attributing to him an unworthy motive. The brilliant sphere, the conspicuous realm, the soft and easy chair, the attractive and remunerative field, offered him no inducement and furnished him no allurements. The dreams of unholy ambition and the mad quest for power and place never found a lodgment in his consecrated soul. He was ready to work anywhere that the need was apparent and the opportunity suggested. He knew that,

"If done to obey God's laws,  
E'en servile labors shine;  
Hallowed is toil, if this the cause,  
The meanest work divine."

As a friend Mr. Amiss was sincere and loyal. Being true to himself, it followed, "as the night the day," that he could not be "false to any man." He worshiped at the shrine of friendship with a faith that knew no "variableness, neither shadow of turning." Indeed, with him to disappoint a friend, ignore an obligation, or forfeit a confidence, was an offense almost unpardonable. In speaking of the life and character of Brother Amiss; I am sure that any delineation would be incomplete without some special reference to his exalted Christian character. To him the knowledge of sins forgiven and the Divine acceptance was a real and definite experience, and our holy religion a vitalizing and controlling principle. "He knew Him whom he had believed, and was persuaded that He was able to keep that which he had committed unto Him against that day." Death did not come to him unheralded. Many months prior to his departure he sustained a stroke of paralysis which made him a partial invalid; but during all his affliction he never murmured nor complained, but looked forward to his ultimate release with peace and joy and exultant anticipation. At the last session of our Conference in Norfolk, when he was called upon to make his report, he expressed his delight at being able to be present, and assured his comrades in the ministry that they occupied a warm place in his heart. He then declared, in feeble but touching tones: "I am holding on to His gracious promises. I am longing to see and know what is in store for me. I have curiosity to know Him up there, and to see what personal



fellowship with the saints will be. I am not afraid to die; no, no, I am in God's hands." To him death was not an invincible enemy, a grim destroyer, or the king of terrors. "The sting of death is sin," but for the Christian sin has been forgiven. "The strength of sin is the law," but for the Christian the law has been obeyed and satisfied. Death, therefore, for him was simply a friendly messenger who came to conduct him to his eternal home. To such as he was,

"There is no death; what seems so is transition;

This life of mortal breath

Is but a suburb of the life Elysian,  
Whose portal we call death."

He was not translated like Enoch or Elijah, but his exit from the earth was just as peaceful and triumphant, and his entrance into heaven just as glorious and sublime. He dwells to-day where he shall forever live, in the sun-bright clime of many mansions with God and the redeemed,

"Where the saints of all ages in harmony meet,

Their Saviour and brethren transported to greet;

While the anthems of rapture unceasingly roll,

And the smile of the Lord is the feast of the soul."

—*Geo. E. Booker.*

ROBERT BURGESS BLANKINSHIP, son of John A. Blankinship and Hester A., his wife, was born at Castle Craig, Campbell County, Va., August 28, 1854. His parents were devout Christians of the Methodist Protestant Church, and united their children with them in the same communion. At the early age of eleven years Brother Blankinship professed conversion. Later on he became dissatisfied with his religious experience and reconsecrated himself to the service of Christ, and ever afterwards had the joyous consciousness that he walked with God. With this new experience came the call to preach. Very naturally he shrank from so great a task, disqualified as he felt himself to be to assume such grave responsibilities. He was one of a large family of children, and being the second of nine brothers and three sisters, his assistance on the farm was urgently needed. Besides, he came to school age about the close of the Civil War, in whose wake followed almost general destitution. Living in a sparsely-

settled rural district, school facilities were very meager. So it was that he had poor educational opportunities. Notwithstanding these difficulties, however, he felt that he must preach, and directed all his energies to that purpose. Licensed by his Church, he did incidental and local work temporarily. Believing such action wholly justifiable, he joined the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and at the session of the Virginia Annual Conference held at Lynchburg in November, 1877, presided over by Bishop Doggett, he was admitted on trial, and appointed junior preacher of the Campbell Circuit under Rev. E. H. Pritchett. To be thus associated with such a godly and exemplary man he regarded as one of the most fortunate events of his life. The work of that year was characterized by revivals throughout the charge. The next year he was sent to East Halifax Circuit. In 1879, at the Conference held in Norfolk and presided over by Bishop Wightman, he was ordained deacon. Two years later, at the Conference held in Charlottesville, Bishop McTyeire presiding, he was ordained elder. Subsequently he served the following charges: South Brunswick, West Brunswick, Nottoway, Mecklenburg, Nelson, Ettrick, Wright Memorial, Capeville, Louisa, Amherst, Surry, Appomattox, and Campbell. Success attended his efforts on all these fields of labor. Brother Blankinship was quite above the average preacher. He was well built in both body and mind, which gave him a splendid equipment for effective service. His manner in the pulpit was engaging, modest, natural, thoughtful; with a well-modulated voice, he commanded a hearing. He read and studied the best books that bore on his life's work. But the Bible was his textbook. He always preached the Word. He did not read into or out of the Bible doctrines out of harmony with orthodox Christianity as taught by his Church. He had very decided opinions. He believed, and what he believed he spoke, and at times with decided emphasis. No one could charge him with duplicity. He was not all things to all men, that he might please all. He would not cheapen himself nor compromise his loyalty to the truth, that he might win popularity, and hence he sometimes provoked opposition. Those who knew him well greatly admired his nobility of character. The writer of this memoir first met him in his father's home thirty-eight years ago, when there sprang up a cordial intimacy which

remained without interruption all these years. While serving the Chatham Circuit, Brother Blankinship married Miss Lucy Easley, of Pittsylvania County, Va., whose superior qualities fitted her to be, as she was, of inestimable benefit to her husband in the discharge of all the difficult duties of his life. In his home he was perhaps at his best, and the family life was beautiful, a sanctuary to an often tired and troubled soul. For many years Brother Blankinship was not as robust in health as he appeared to be. Easily susceptible to malaria, which partly incapacitated him for service both mentally and physically, he could not serve with success in the Tidewater section of our Conference territory. Besides, a serious condition of the heart warned him to keep always at hand remedies for emergency treatment. But not until the close of last summer did his health so fail him that he could not longer preach. When advised by his physician that he must take at least a year's rest, he considered as he had never seriously done before the superannuate relation. When his presiding elder assured him that he would seek to provide for his comfort, he said: "I thank you, but after all I may not need it, for I may be gone before the time. It is all right; I am ready. There is no fear." Two weeks before his death he was stricken with critical illness, attended with intense suffering, which he bore without complaint. Believing the end to be near, his children were summoned to his bedside. From this illness he rallied, but several days afterwards, on October 30, 1916, at 2 p.m., while talking with his family, suddenly without a pain or struggle he passed away. The end had come and his work was done. His ministry closed where it began—in his own native county and among his own people. Often during his illness he said: "I began here, and I'll end here. It has taken me thirty-nine years to get around my circuit. Some might have done better, but I have done my best, and am not afraid to go." The funeral services were held at the parsonage at Rustburg, conducted by Rev. Dr. W. H. Edwards, his presiding elder, assisted by Rev. P. F. Arthur, of the Lynchburg Circuit. The body was taken to Lynchburg, and laid to rest in Spring Hill Cemetery by the side of his loved ones gone before. A great crowd of friends and neighbors was present at the funeral. His ministerial brethren of Lynchburg acted as pallbearers. Brother

Blankinship is survived by his widow, one son, two daughters, eight brothers, and two sisters. To some of us the Virginia Conference will never be just the same. He rests from his labors, and his works do follow him.—A. C. Berryman.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called one by one, and their characters examined and passed. Richard Wilkinson withdrew on March 5, 1916, from the ministry and membership of our Church.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### Charlottesville District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Albemarle .....	...	703
Amherst .....	1	546
Batesville .....	1	1,185
Brightwood .....	...	758
Charlottesville: First Church ....	1	1,239
Hinton Avenue .....	...	398
Crozet .....	...	224
Culpeper .....	...	326
Culpeper Circuit .....	...	653
East Albemarle .....	1	187
Fluvanna .....	1	765
Gordonsville .....	1	471
Greene .....	...	904
Louisa .....	...	825
Madison and Mountain Mission..	1	604
Monroe .....	...	394
Mount Pleasant .....	...	944
Nelson .....	...	713
Orange .....	...	517
Rapidan .....	...	477
Rappahannock .....	1	693
Scottsville .....	...	569
South Amherst .....	...	576
South Nelson .....	...	787
West Amherst .....	1	216
West Goochland .....	...	390
West Hanover .....	...	671
	9	16,735

#### Danville District.

Cascade .....	396
Chatham .....	643
Danville: Cabell Street Memorial. ....	518
Calvary .....	380
Grace .....	1 254
Main Street .....	2 704
Mount Vernon .....	1 569
Schoolfield .....	150
Sledd Memorial .....	130
Danville Circuit .....	670
East Franklin .....	500
East Halifax .....	604
Franklin .....	1 360
Henry .....	418
Hycos .....	525
Martinsville .....	262
North Patrick .....	1 303
Patrick .....	393
Pittsylvania .....	550
Rocky Mount .....	272
South Boston .....	334
South Franklin .....	306

*Danville District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
South Halifax .....	2	540
Stuart .....	1	439
West Franklin .....	...	384
	9	10,604

*Eastern Shore District.*

Accomac .....	1	292
Allen .....	...	348
Andrew Chapel .....	...	337
Atlantic .....	1	587
Bloxom .....	...	506
Broadwater and Bethel .....	...	484
Broadwater Mission .....	...	44
Cambridge .....	...	603
Cambridge Circuit .....	...	350
Cape Charles .....	1	194
Capeville .....	...	474
Cheriton .....	...	275
Craddockville and Belle Haven .....	...	430
Dorchester .....	...	157
Franktown and Johnson's .....	...	575
Keller .....	...	534
Onancock .....	...	297
Onley, Locustville, and Melfa .....	...	601
Pocomoke .....	...	650
Pungoteague .....	...	525
Saint Martin's .....	1	410
Salisbury .....	5	580
South Dorchester .....	...	299
Wachapreague and Smith's Chapel .....	...	420
	9	9,972

*Farmville District.*

Amelia .....	...	492
Blackstone .....	1	523
Boydton .....	...	104
Buckingham .....	...	426
Burkeville .....	...	297
Cartersville .....	...	338
Charlotte .....	...	324
Chase City .....	1	340
Clarksville .....	1	122
Crewe .....	...	393
Cumberland .....	...	629
East Nottoway .....	...	549
Farmville .....	...	438
Kenbridge .....	...	265
Lunenburg .....	1	574
North Mecklenburg .....	...	438
Nottoway .....	...	290
Powhatan .....	...	320
Prince Edward .....	...	651
Prospect .....	...	605
South Charlotte .....	...	480
Trinity .....	1	526
Victoria .....	...	217
West Buckingham .....	...	413
	5	9,754

*Lynchburg District.*

Alta Vista .....	...	109
Appomattox .....	...	715
Bedford City .....	...	308
Bedford Circuit .....	...	350
Bedford Springs .....	...	420
Brookneal .....	...	440
Campbell .....	...	887
Central Bedford .....	...	464
Concord .....	...	867
Elba .....	...	446
Halifax .....	1	443
Lynchburg: Centenary .....	...	564
Court Street .....	1	1,146
Memorial .....	1	713
Rivermont Avenue .....	2	530

*Lynchburg District (Continued):*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Lynchburg: Trinity .....	1	401
West End .....	...	244
Lynchburg Circuit .....	...	440
Madison Heights .....	...	308
Middle Bedford .....	...	409
Montvale .....	...	377
North Bedford .....	1	315
North Pittsylvania .....	...	450
Pamplin .....	1	804
South Bedford .....	1	521
West Bedford .....	...	592
West Campbell .....	1	625
	10	13,888

*Norfolk District.*

Denby and Fairmount .....	...	220
East York .....	...	1,084
Fox Hill .....	...	188
Hampton: Central .....	1	320
First Church .....	...	350
Hampton Roads .....	...	153
Larchmont and Bethel .....	...	30
Lynnhaven .....	...	251
Mount Vernon .....	...	206
Norfolk: Brambleton Avenue .....	...	648
Colonial Avenue .....	...	445
Cumberland Street .....	...	792
Epworth .....	2	1,226
Ghent .....	...	510
LeKies Memorial .....	...	356
Liberty Street .....	...	300
McKendree .....	...	742
Memorial .....	1	623
Park Place .....	...	655
Zion .....	...	420
North Princess Anne .....	...	177
Oaklette .....	...	91
Ocean View .....	...	76
Cottonwood Avenue .....	...	40
Princess Anne .....	...	462
South Norfolk .....	1	413
South Princess Anne .....	...	992
York .....	1	510
	6	12,418

*Petersburg District.*

Brunswick .....	1	331
Chester and Ivey Memorial .....	1	260
Chesterfield .....	...	400
City Point .....	...	52
Dinwiddie .....	...	374
East Dinwiddie .....	...	677
Emporia .....	...	405
Ettrick .....	1	319
Greenville .....	...	359
Hopewell .....	...	122
Lawrenceville .....	...	732
Matoaca .....	...	232
Mecklenburg .....	1	583
Petersburg: Blandford .....	...	144
High Street .....	...	662
Market Street .....	...	554
Memorial .....	2	568
Washington Street .....	1	749
Wesley .....	...	420
Prince George .....	...	514
South Brunswick .....	1	1,007
South Chesterfield .....	...	210
South Dinwiddie .....	...	368
South Hill .....	...	550
Surry .....	...	412
Sussex .....	...	643
Wakefield .....	...	424
Waverly .....	...	232
West Brunswick .....	...	649

*Petersburg District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
West Chesterfield .....	...	230
West Dinwiddie .....	...	542
	8	13,774

*Portsmouth and Newport News District.*

Benn's .....	3	412
Boykin's .....	...	392
Capron .....	...	631
Churchland and West Norfolk .....	...	125
Crittenden .....	...	209
Franklin: High Street .....	...	255
Gilmerton Circuit .....	...	216
Isle of Wight .....	...	386
Newsom's .....	...	806
Newport News: Chestnut Avenue .....	...	529
Grace .....	...	346
Trinity .....	...	701
Norfolk Circuit .....	...	130
Portsmouth: Broad Street .....	...	580
Central .....	...	672
Cottage Place .....	...	290
Elm Avenue .....	...	218
Monumental .....	...	883
Park View .....	...	415
Wright Memorial .....	...	558
Smithfield .....	...	285
Southampton .....	...	534
Suffolk: Main Street .....	...	530
Oxford and Magnolia .....	1	193
Whaleyville and Somerton .....	...	318
Williamsburg .....	...	189
Windsor .....	...	308
	4	11,111

*Rappahannock District.*

Bethany .....	1	422
Colonial Beach and Grace .....	...	247
East Mathews .....	...	553
East Middlesex .....	...	350
Essex .....	...	459
Gloucester .....	...	568
Gloucester Point .....	...	298
Heathsville .....	...	514
Henderson Station .....	2	577
King and Queen .....	...	393
King George .....	1	364
King William .....	...	389
Lancaster .....	3	548
Mathews .....	...	958
Middlesex .....	...	448
Montross .....	...	456
New Kent .....	1	280
Richmond Circuit .....	...	638
Shackelford's .....	1	534
Toano .....	1	207
Urbanna .....	1	200
West Lancaster .....	...	281
West Mathews .....	...	760
Westmoreland .....	...	672
West Point .....	...	206
Whitstone .....	...	640
	11	11,962

*Richmond District.*

Ashland .....	2	369
Ashland Circuit .....	...	375
Bowling Green .....	1	443
Caroline .....	...	603
Charles City .....	...	228
Goochland .....	...	377
Hanover .....	...	619
Henrico .....	...	287

*Richmond District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Richmond: Asbury and Oakland .....	...	457
Barton Heights .....	...	483
Broad Street .....	...	589
Centenary .....	1	1,087
Central .....	...	744
Clay Street .....	1	566
Decatur Street .....	...	504
Denny Street and Fulton Hill .....	...	591
Epworth .....	1	326
Fairmount Avenue and Chelsea Hill .....	1	541
Grace .....	1	125
Highland Park .....	...	603
Highland Springs .....	...	305
Laurel Street .....	1	642
Monument .....	...	387
Park Place and Orphanage .....	...	611
Saint James .....	2	580
Saint Paul's and Branch Memorial .....	...	301
Trinity and Mission .....	1	438
Union Station .....	4	1,452
West End .....	1	388
Woodland Heights .....	...	162
Spottsylvania .....	2	556
	20	16,377

*Recapitulation.*

Charlottesville District .....	9	16,735
Danville District .....	9	10,604
Eastern Shore District .....	9	9,972
Farmville District .....	5	9,754
Lynchburg District .....	10	13,888
Norfolk District .....	6	12,418
Petersburg District .....	8	13,774
Portsmouth and Newport News District .....	4	11,111
Rappahannock District .....	11	11,962
Richmond District .....	20	16,377
Total this year .....	91	126,595
Total last year .....	94	123,550
Increase .....	...	3,045
Decrease .....	3	.....

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 10. They have in part.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 5.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,050.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 5,158.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 94.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 4,304.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 847.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 10,065.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sun-

day-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 105,022.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$29,000.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$23,603.21. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$35,117.41; Home and Conference Missions, \$90,901.51. Total, \$126,019.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$16,920.58.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? For Educational Extension, \$6,556.29; for Randolph-Macon College, \$9,445.07. Total, \$16,001.36.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$1,871.40.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$24,419; preachers in charge, \$267,490.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$4,286.20.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 837; houses of worship, 835.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$3,869,915; indebtedness, \$340,458.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 267; parsonages, 228.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$668,400; indebtedness, \$50,696.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 10; district parsonages, 5.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$28,000; indebtedness, \$6,500.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 2; amount of damage, \$80.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$2,052,057; premiums paid, \$6,865; losses sustained, \$145; collections on losses, \$95.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Randolph-Macon College: Value

of property, \$149,129.50; endowment, \$423,510.20; professors, 23; pupils, 184. Randolph-Macon Woman's College: Value of property, \$460,000; endowment, \$382,000; professors, 65; pupils, 624. Blackstone College for Girls: Value of property, \$170,000; professors, 33; pupils, 386. Randolph-Macon Academy: Value of property, \$130,000; professors, 13; pupils, 195. Randolph-Macon Institute: \$119,000; professors, 26; pupils, 297. Ferrum Institute: Value of property, \$50,000; professors, 10; pupils, 108.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 297; Conference organ, 4,197.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? T. S. Southgate, Lay Leader.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Petersburg, Va.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### CHARLOTTESVILLE DISTRICT.

*R. T. Waterfield, P. E.*

Albemarle, J. E. Hearn.  
Amherst, R. S. Baughan.  
Batesville, L. H. Early.  
Brightwood, E. W. Somerville, supply.  
Charlottesville: First Church, J. K. Jolliff.  
Hinton Avenue, R. L. Wingfield.  
Crozet, to be supplied.  
Culpeper, W. E. Lear; J. M. Burton, Sup.  
Culpeper Circuit, W. H. Grubbs.  
East Albemarle, J. B. Peters.  
Fluvanna, J. B. Lavinder.  
Gordonsville, Frank Burruss.  
Greene, H. J. Brown.  
Louisa, C. T. Thrift.  
Madison and Mountain Mission, T. O. Edwards.  
Monroe, Asa Driscoll.  
Mount Pleasant, O. L. Hager.  
Nelson, C. H. Fielding.  
Orange, O. M. Clark; W. H. Camper, Sup.  
Rapidan, H. F. Turner.  
Rappahannock, W. A. Orser.  
Scottsville, L. L. Banks.  
South Amherst, C. L. Salmon.  
South Nelson, J. C. Beasley, supply.  
West Amherst, G. H. I. Mayo.  
West Goochland, W. H. Keyser.  
West Hanover, H. V. Shenton.  
Missionary to Japan, T. H. Haden.  
Missionary to Korea, C. T. Collyer.  
Field Agent of Conference Orphanage, J. W. Bledsoe.



Professor in Emory University, W. A. Smart.  
Student in Emory University, B. S. Via.

## DANVILLE DISTRICT.

*S. J. Brown, P. E.*

Cascade, A. W. Linthicum.  
Chatham, O. B. Newton.  
Danville: Cabell Street Memorial, W. B. Jett.  
Calvary, J. H. Moss.  
Grace, L. W. Hendrickson.  
Main Street, J. N. Lathan.  
Mount Vernon, G. H. Spooner.  
Spoonfield, John Marshall, supply.  
Sledd Memorial, C. T. Harrell.  
Danville Circuit, J. M. Moser.  
East Franklin, Roy Moore.  
East Halifax, J. W. Wimbish, supply.  
Ferrum, J. W. Bouldin.  
Franklin, S. R. Drewry.  
Henry, C. C. Jones.  
Hycro, E. W. Elliott.  
Martinsville, W. R. Proctor.  
North Patrick, W. J. Craddock, supply.  
Patrick, S. H. Pulliam.  
Pittsylvania, G. T. Kestler.  
Rocky Mount, B. T. Candler.  
South Boston, J. T. Allen.  
South Franklin, E. M. Higginbotham.  
South Halifax, M. M. Leggett.  
Stewart and Wayside, A. P. Williams.  
West Franklin, John R. Bradshaw, supply.  
Ferrum Training School: B. M. Beckham, Principal; J. A. Chapman, Professor.  
Solicitor for Conference Orphanage, J. W. Carroll.

## EASTERN SHORE DISTRICT.

*J. F. Carey, P. E.*

Accomac, J. C. Harry.  
Allen, C. C. Bell.  
Andrew Chapel, W. H. Fletcher.  
Atlantic, W. L. Murphy.  
Bloxom, G. W. Watkins.  
Broad Water and Bethel, L. C. Moore.  
Broad Water Mission, Hermann Hastings, supply.  
Cambridge, H. W. Dunkley.  
Cambridge Circuit, C. A. Campbell.  
Cape Charles, W. A. Wright.  
Capeville, P. M. Hank.  
Cheriton, J. T. Sewell.  
Craddockville and Bellhaven, E. F. Garner.  
Dorchester, A. L. Stevenson.  
Franktown and Johnson's, J. W. Gee.  
Keller, C. H. Kidd.  
Onancock, H. P. Myers.  
Onley, Locustville and Melfa, C. H. Williams.

Pocomoke, D. W. Jackson.  
Pungoteague, W. G. Burch.  
Salisbury, H. W. Davis and W. J. Twilley.  
South Dorchester, W. H. Hantzmon.  
Saint Martin's, W. S. Brown.  
Wachapreague and Smith's Chapel, R. L. Busby.  
Missionary to Japan, J. C. C. Newton.  
Missionary to Korea, V. R. Turner.  
Conference Secretary of Missions, T. N. Potts.

## FARMVILLE DISTRICT.

*H. C. Pfeiffer, P. E.*

Amelia, H. L. Weston; E. J. Potts, Sup.  
Blackstone, C. O. Tuttle.  
Boydton, H. E. Johnson.  
Buckingham, J. E. Daniels.  
Burkville, W. A. S. Conrad.  
Cartersville, J. S. Maxey.  
Charlotte, S. W. Wilkinson.  
Chase City, Ernest Stevens.  
Clarksville, W. Y. Scales; E. A. Potts, Sup.  
Crew, S. J. Batten.  
Cumberland, C. W. Leftwich.  
East Nottoway, C. F. Comer.  
Farmville, J. T. Bosman.  
Kenbridge, H. C. Gregory.  
Lunenburg, R. O. Payne.  
North Mecklenburg, H. J. Paylor.  
Nottoway, E. W. Davis.  
Powhatan, B. B. Bland, supply.  
Prince Edward, W. G. Bates, Jr.  
Prospect, E. F. Hall.  
South Charlotte, O. L. Martin, supply.  
Trinity, J. L. Pribble.  
Victoria, C. V. Steininger.  
West Buckingham, R. L. Fruit.  
President of Blackstone College for Girls,  
Editor of *Baltimore and Richmond Christian Advocate*, Superintendent of Anti-Saloon League of Virginia, Secretary of Education, and Superintendent of Southern Assembly, James Cannon, Jr.  
Student in Emory University, J. B. Douglas.  
Commissioner for Prohibition, J. S. Peters.

## LYNCHBURG DISTRICT.

*W. T. Green, P. E.*

Alta Vista, H. A. Glauss.  
Appomattox, L. F. Callahan.  
Appomattox Circuit, A. S. J. Rice.  
Bedford City, C. E. Blankenship.  
Bedford Circuit, Porter Hardy.  
Bedford Springs, J. W. Lillaston.  
Brookneal, W. C. Harris.  
Campbell, W. L. Jones.  
Central Bedford, L. C. Shearer.

Concord, C. R. James.  
 Elba, Z. V. Johnston.  
 Gladys, A. W. Roten.  
 Halifax, S. H. Johnson.  
 Lynchburg: Centenary Church, R. P. Lumpkin.  
     Court Street, George E. Booker.  
     Memorial, F. L. Wells.  
     Rivermount Avenue, J. C. Robertson.  
     Trinity, J. L. Finch.  
     West End, John Hannon.  
 Madison Heights, J. W. Eure.  
 Middle Bedford, P. H. Clements.  
 Montvale Circuit, L. R. Black.  
 North Bedford, W. A. McAllister.  
 North Pittsylvania, W. L. Mays.  
 Pamplin, A. K. Lambdin.  
 South Bedford, R. V. Harlow, supply.  
 South View and Fair View Heights, P. F. Arthur, supply.  
 West Bedford, T. M. De Shazo.  
 West Campbell, W. C. Pace.  
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 Missionary to Brazil, J. L. Bruce.  
 Professor in Randolph-Macon Woman's College, Dumas Malone.

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     First Church, J. C. Reed.  
     Hampton Roads, E. L. Peerman.  
     Larchmont, J. M. Kline.  
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     Epworth, S. T. Senter.  
     Ghent, G. C. Kelly.  
     LeKie's Memorial, L. G. Crutchfield.  
     Liberty Street, T. J. C. Heath.  
     McKendree, T. R. Reeves.  
     Memorial, E. T. Dadmun.  
     Park Place, J. M. Rowland.  
     Zion, G. T. Forrester.  
 North Princess Anne, W. F. Hayes.  
 Oaklette, J. S. Wallace.  
 Ocean View, L. A. Smith.  
 Princess Anne, G. B. King.  
 South Norfolk, J. E. White.  
 South Princess Anne, J. H. Holloway.  
 York, T. G. Pullen.  
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 Dinwiddie, W. W. Sawyer.  
 East Dinwiddie, R. F. Gayle.  
 Emporia, J. H. Light.  
 Ettrick, H. W. Neville.  
 Greenville, Richard Ferguson.  
 Hopewell, C. A. Tucker.  
 Lawrenceville, N. B. Foushee.  
 Matoaca, J. U. Edwards.  
 Mecklenburg, J. T. Payne.  
 Petersburg: Blanford, H. N. Smith, supply.  
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     Market Street, L. T. Williams.  
     Memorial, E. V. Carson.  
     Washington Street, J. B. Winn.  
     Wesley, J. R. Eggleston.  
 Prince George, L. J. Phaup.  
 South Brunswick, J. E. De Shazo, and one to be supplied.  
 South Chesterfield, W. J. Watt.  
 South Dinwiddie, E. B. Loving.  
 South Hill, J. W. Stiff.  
 Surry, T. W. Ogden.  
 Sussex, R. H. Marks.  
 Wakefield, W. L. Ware.  
 Waverly, John O. Moss.  
 West Brunswick, J. E. Brooks.  
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 Crittenden, G. R. Rood.  
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 Newsom's, A. L. Carson.  
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     Grace, C. E. Green.  
     Trinity, J. A. Thomas.  
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     Central, S. A. Donahue.  
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     Elm Avenue, R. B. Scott.

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Wright Memorial, V. W. Bargamin.

Smithfield, W. H. Atwell.

Southampton, W. L. Burks.

Suffolk: Main Street, J. A. Winn.

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Essex, McDaniel Rucker.

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Heathsville, J. M. Green.

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Toano, J. K. Walker.

Urbanna, H. P. Balderson.

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Westmoreland, E. H. Hopkins.

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Whitestone, J. B. Askew.

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Hanover, W. S. Deyerle.

Henrico, L. C. Smart.

King William, J. J. Clark.

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Branch Memorial, W. O. Gordon.

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Central, R. M. Maxey.

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Hartness; W. K. Cunningham, junior preacher.

Epworth, C. E. Johnson.

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Grace, J. B. Peters.

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Highland Springs, H. D. Mallart.

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Saint Paul's, V. L. Marsh.

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Union Station, M. S. Colonna.

West End, G. W. M. Taylor.

Woodland Heights, A. C. Berryman.

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## MEMPHIS CONFERENCE.

SEVENTY-SEVENTH SESSION.

HELD AT UNION CITY, TENN., NOVEMBER 15-20, 1916.

BISHOP MURRAH, *President*; L. H. ESTES, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. Lawton, Rhetta Wadsworth, James Madison Kendall, Max Strang, Thomas Kotz Harper, Ernest Leslie Jamison, Knox G. Dunn, Syl Fisher, Homer A. Davis (afterwards transferred), Albert Marion Buck, Robert L. Mobley. 10. Arba White Sears and William T. M. Jones continue in this class.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Job R. Pafford, Alfred G. Melton, Noah A. Guthrie, Marvin C. Yates, William F. Blackard. 5. William L. Suggs, Oliver H. Lafferty, and Albert E. Wilson continue in this class. Benjamin T. Fuzzell, received from another Church, reports with this class.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Asa W. Russell, Walter T. Garner, John L. Horton, Charles B. Clayton, Ivey M. King, Orlando C. Wrather, Marvin L. Davis, Robert W. McDaniel. 8. Robert L. Prince, Thomas L. Peerey, and William T. Stubblefield continue in this class.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? George J. Evans, an elder, from the St. Louis Conference; Keener L. Rudolph, in the third-year class, from the West Oklahoma Conference; A. C. Douglas, an elder, from the New Mexico Conference; Hal S. Spragins, an elder, from the North Mississippi Conference. 4.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? None.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? Osee A. Marrs, Charles A. Riggs, Herbert Y. Bagby, Walter W. Henley, Keener L. Rudolph. 5.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Asa W. Russell, Walter T. Garner, John L. Horton, Charles B. Clayton, Ivey M. King, Orlando C. Wrather, Marvin L. Davis. 7.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Asa W. Russell, Walter T. Garner, John L. Horton, Charles B. Clayton, Ivey M. King, Orlando C. Wrather, Marvin L. Davis. 7.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? Thomas J. Fisher, Thomas K. Harper, William F. Blackard. 3.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Thomas J. Fisher, Thomas K. Harper, William F. Blackard, John W. Pope (the last named elected last year but detained by sickness in his family, ordained by Bishop Murrah at First Church, Memphis, Tenn., January 5, 1916). 4.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Samuel B. Morrison, Samuel C. Evans, Willie O. Stone, Howell R. Taylor, John W. Carnell, George W. Davis, Randle A. Wood, William S. Lockman. 8.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Samuel B. Morrison, Samuel C. Evans, Willie O. Stone, Howell R. Taylor, John W. Carnell, George W. Davis, Randle A. Wood. 7. W. S. Lockman elected, but being ill was not present.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? Dow B. Beene, at his own request. 1.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? H. L. Johnson, P. H. Fields, R. H. Mahon, J. A. Spence. 4.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? R. Y. Blackwell, G. K. Brooks, E. K. Bransford, A. C. Douglas, W. A. Dungan, W. T. Elmore, E. B. Graham, R. E. Humphrey, D. C. Johnson, W. B. Matthews, T. J. McGill, B. F. Peeples, J. S. Renshaw, J. H. Roberts, E. H. Stewart, R. V. Taylor, J. E. Treadwell, A. M. West, E. W. Williams. 19.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? George T. Peeples, John G. Jones, David L. Hines, Wade J. Carlton, John B. Winsett, George W. Wilson. 6.

GEORGE T. PEEPLES, son of Rev. Benjamin E. and Mrs. Martha Davidson Peeples, was born in Henry County, near Paris, Tenn., May 18, 1842; and passed to his eternal reward November 27, 1915. He was one of thirteen children, eleven of whom, six boys and five girls, lived to be

grown. Five of the boys were preachers. Three of his mother's brothers were preachers; they were under his mother's care in early life. Other young men, among them Arthur Davis, who in early life were associated with the family, became preachers. It was indeed a home of the prophets. Under such influences young George's life was molded. His father is said to have preached the first Methodist sermon in West Tennessee. He was converted in 1875 under the pastorate of Rev. T. J. McGill, Rev. J. H. Witt being the presiding elder. He was admitted on trial into the Memphis Conference the same year. He never faltered, but marched straight forward, doubting not that he would win. Frail in body, from his sixth to his fourteenth year he suffered with white swelling in one limb. As a man he took his place among men. He joined the Confederate Army, and bravely discharged his duty as long as he could stand. For forty years he served his Church as a faithful and devoted pastor in the Memphis Conference. His last year was among his most fruitful. His wit, humor, and admirable way of representing another, furnished great delight to many who met him in the social circle. Yet he used none of his powers to hurt any one. He had no glaring faults. In him the graces shone forth beautifully. He appeared to take as his goal: "Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God." At his funeral I announced and spoke freely of him from these words: "Mark the perfect man, and behold the upright; for the end of that man is peace." His wife, to whom he was married October 23, 1884, and his oldest daughter, Mrs. Walker Thompson, preceded him a few months to the heavenly home. One daughter, Mrs. Thomas Reaves, La Grange, Tenn.; four brothers—Rev. Benjamin Peeples, Brownsville, Tenn.; Rev. John Peeples, Winchester, Ky.; Rev. Sam Peeples, Mayfield, Ky.; Mr. Polk Peeples, Bristow, Ark.—and two sisters, Mrs. Ben and Mrs. Caroline Thompson, Paris, Tenn., survive. He took the superannuate relation at the Conference in Trenton, Tenn., and was returning home by way of Lexington, Tenn., to receive a monument which he had erected at the family grave, when he was taken sick. He lived only a short time. In the home of D. D. Pafford, where all that a Christian home and community could do was done, he fell on sleep. He was buried by the side of his wife. The funeral

was conducted by the writer and Rev. J. V. Freeman. He lived and died well.—*H. B. Johnston.*

JOHN GUILFORD JONES, son of Rev. Guilford Jones, D.D., and Laura Cole Jones, was born July 21, 1855; and died April 16, 1916, at Paris, Tenn. Dr. Guilford Jones, father of the deceased, was one of the strongest men of his Church and one of the leaders of the Memphis Conference. Rev. John Guilford Jones was married to Miss Ella Sophia Maxwell, of Fayette County, Tenn., May 27, 1885. Their marriage was blessed with five children. All except one, who died in infancy, live to mourn with their mother their great loss. Miss Laura Cole married Mr. Raymond Hancock, and lives at Paris, Tenn.; Miss Lula married Mr. George Gatlin, and lives at Murray, Ky.; Guilford and Miss Gladys live with their mother at Paris. Brother Jones was not converted until he was grown. After conversion he delayed his life's work for several years. But in the fall of 1882 he joined the Memphis Conference, and from that time until four years ago he served the following charges: Wickliff, Wingo, Finley, Munford, Ripley, Chuwalla, Sardis, Camden, Mifin, Henry, Oak Level, Pryorsburg, Friendship, Hornbeak, Bryantsburg, Sedalia, Arlington, and West Murray Circuits. During thirty years of service he only missed one appointment, because of personal sickness. He built a church at Pryorsburg, Ky., and parsonages at Camden, Henry, and Ripley. Brother Jones was an even-tempered Christian gentleman, a faithful minister of the gospel, a plain Bible preacher, using much of the Scripture in his preaching. He was sound in doctrine, strong in fundamental things, preached a saving gospel, had good evangelistic powers, and often had great meetings. In the fall of 1912, in Brownsville, Tenn., Brother Jones was granted a superannuate relation. It was a great sorrow to him to have to give up the active work, but he bore it patiently four years. The first year of his superannuation he lived at Murray, Ky.; the last three years he and his family lived at Paris, Tenn., where they are much beloved. It was apparent only a few days before his death that the end was near, but he maintained his Christian faith unto the end, saying, "It is all right." The funeral services were held at the First Methodist Church at Paris, Tenn. The pastor was assisted by the presiding elder, Rev. L. D. Hamilton,



and Revs. J. A. Hassel, J. C. Rudd, and W. F. Tuton; besides these ministers, there were a number of others present. He was buried at Maplewood Cemetery.—*W. A. Freeman.*

DAVID L. HINES, son of C. C. and Mary Hines, was born near Memphis, in Shelby County, Tenn., June 11, 1846. In 1880, when he was but fourteen years old, he professed faith in Christ at Mount Pleasant church in Haywood County, Tenn., and soon afterwards joined the Methodist Church, and lived a faithful member and later a devout and useful minister until he was translated to the Church above, July 3, 1916, having reached the allotted age of "threescore and ten" years. On December 2, 1869, he married Miss Ophelia Kelso, whose beautiful Christian graces enriched his life and gave him inspiration in his life work. Their spirits were congenial and their union a very happy one. For more than forty years she walked by his side and shared with him the joys and sorrows of life, until she closed his eyes in death, and now awaits with anticipation the summons that shall call her to join him beyond "the sunset." Of this union one son and three daughters were born: Charles F. Hines, of Blocker, Okla., Mrs. Emma Young (deceased), Mrs. L. E. Edwards, and Miss Mattie Sue Hines, of Sulphur Springs, Ark. Brother Hines was licensed to preach in 1877, and in 1880 was admitted into the Memphis Conference. His first charge was Camden Circuit, then Mifflin, Toones, Adamsville, Water Valley, Talston, Oakland, Murray, Whiteville Circuit, and later Whiteville Station, Claybrook, Pinson, and Milan Circuits. In 1883 he transferred to the North Texas Conference, and served there one year and then transferred back to the Memphis Conference. In 1906, while serving the Milan Circuit, his health failed and he asked for and received the superannuate relation. Thinking that a change of climate might be beneficial to his health, he moved to Oklahoma, where his health did greatly improve and he was enabled to do some evangelistic work, holding some great revival meetings at Quinton, Featherston, Kinta, and Carnegie. In his meeting at Carnegie there were one hundred and eighty conversions, and as a result of his meeting at Featherston a strong church was organized. At the close of this Conference year of 1907 his health was so much improved and a strong pe-

tition coming from Quinton for his appointment as pastor of that charge, he consented to the appointment, still retaining his membership in the Memphis Conference. For the next two years he served this charge with great acceptability, and then gave up active work and moved to Sulphur Springs, Ark., and doing such work as his health would permit, organizing cottage prayer meetings and preaching occasionally. His health steadily declined and he suffered much, but was always patient and resigned, and when at last he came to the end of his pilgrimage he met "the last enemy" with Christian fortitude. He was not afraid to die. The Christ whom he had served so faithfully walked with him through the waters of the Jordan of death, and the heaven about which he had preached and sung for so many years opened before him in glorious vision. While on his deathbed, attended by his faithful wife and three surviving children, a peaceful, heavenly smile came over his face, and he shouted, "Glory! Glory!" A little while later his heart stood still and his ransomed spirit winged its way to the "house of many mansions." After a short religious service held at the home in Sulphur Springs, his body was brought to Whiteville, Tenn., and laid to rest in the Whiteville Cemetery, with appropriate funeral services conducted there by Rev. W. F. Maxedon, assisted by Rev. William Norman and the pastors of the other Churches in Whiteville. It was my privilege to know Brother Hines in his early ministry, when I was a boy, and to be intimately associated with him as his presiding elder for three years. I esteemed him very highly as a clean, upright Christian gentleman and a faithful, effective minister of the gospel. I feel that I am a better man for having been associated with him. We may say of him, as was said of Barnabas: "He was a good man, full of the Holy Ghost and of faith, and much people was added to the Lord" through his ministry. And no higher praise than this can be given to any man. He has been transferred to the Great Conference above. We shall see him no more in this world, but we shall meet him beyond the sunset in "the city where cometh no night."—*J. W. Blackard.*

WILLIAM JAMES WADE CARLTON.—In Weakley County, Tenn., September 24, 1862, a son was born to Rev. Thomas Carlton and wife, Mrs. Martha Pool Carlton.

He was christened William James Wade Carlton. His father and mother were very pious, devoted Christians and members of the Methodist Protestant Church. In his twelfth year he gave his heart to God; but child religion in that day and community was very unpopular, so he drifted away. He reconsecrated himself when about of age. At this time he was greatly blessed and entered at once into public work for his Lord. He began his ministry in the Methodist Protestant Church, but soon became dissatisfied with its government; and seeing no prospect of its ever doing anything in this country as a Church, he changed to the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and was admitted on trial into the Memphis Conference at Brownsville, Tenn., in 1887, and into full connection at Fulton, Ky., in 1889. His educational advantages were poor. He had to struggle against poverty and also a popular sentiment in the community against "too much schooling." By taking advantage of every opportunity to go to school, if only for a few days, and by close application and diligent study, he secured a reasonable knowledge of English and learned to read Latin and Greek so that he could use them to advantage. In all of this he advanced through great discouragement. Naturally sarcastic, he struggled all his life to curb it. Doubtless on this account many misunderstood him. He shrank from prominence, and was content to do his work in a modest way. He says: "I feel that my life work is about ended now. My voyage is over, and I shall soon go to my reward. What I have done is done, and it has been done in all sincerity. I leave it for the Lord of the harvest to accept it or reject it. I want no memoir read at the Conference and no remarks in public touching my life and character." I think he labored for years under the misapprehension that he was not appreciated. The fact is, among those who knew him he was considered one of the best preachers in the Conference. His clear grasp of the Bible and crisp way of expressing it made a great impression upon those who were fortunate enough to hear him. His frail body never permitted him to undertake the larger charges, though from every other standpoint he could have served with great credit, not only to himself, but to the Church. By those who knew him he will be remembered as a man who made the most possible out of the stuff God gave him to work with. He leaves

his wife, Mrs. Edna Smith Carlton, who labored with him for more than thirty years. She was truly a helpmeet for him. His death occurred in Gleason on August 12, 1916. The funeral was conducted in the Methodist church at that place, and he was buried in the local cemetery on August 13. W. T. Holly, Dr. A. B. Jones, J. M. Pickens, S. F. Wynn, and H. B. Johnston conducted the service. A good and faithful servant has gone to his reward.—H. B. Johnston.

JOHN B. WINSETT, son of W. J. and M. R. Winsett, was born in Bedford County, Tenn., June 12, 1860, and moved to Lauderdale County with his parents in his boyhood. At the age of fourteen he was converted and joined the Methodist Church at Western Valley in Lauderdale County. Young Winsett grew to manhood in this community, and received a good common-school education from the schools of that county, taking his last work in the school at Ripley, Tenn. No doubt he was called to the ministry in his early years, but continued teaching for eight years, and like the conscientious man that he was he finally answered the call of the Holy Ghost to preach the gospel; and in November, 1890, he joined the Memphis Conference that met at Dyersburg, Tenn. From this Conference he was transferred to the Arkansas Conference, and served the following charges: Sugar Loaf Circuit, one year; Charleston Circuit, two years; Hackett Circuit, two years; Waldren Circuit, two years; and Berryville Circuit, two years. At this juncture he was transferred to the Memphis Conference, and served most acceptably the following charges: Elbridge Circuit, four years; Curve Circuit, two years; Fowlkes Circuit, one year; Trimble, four years; Clopton Station, four years; and Troy Circuit, two years. He was married to Miss Nannie Woodruff, of Arkansas, September 14, 1892, with whom he lived a life of increasing happiness to the day of his going, which occurred about high noon in the Troy parsonage on October 6, 1916, surrounded by loved ones and the anxious and loyal membership of the Troy Circuit. The devotion of these people to their faithful pastor is one of the most beautiful things we have seen. Though he had been disabled nearly all the year, the people paid his salary in full and gave every token of genuine brotherly affection. He leaves two sisters, Mrs. Julia Edwards and Miss Mamie Winsett, and one broth-

er, W. J. Winsett, besides his wife and Mamie D. His family and kin, his brethren in the ministry and his parishioners, loved him because he was a good man. Those who knew him best loved him most. Somewhere to work was the ambition of his soul. He prayed to live that he might work on. No more intensely missionary spirit lived among us. For many years he and his faithful wife have made large contributions out of their small salary for the support of missions and specials. He never published it himself, but busied himself to foster the spirit of missions among his people wherever he went. This faithful soldier longed to labor to the end, and so it happened. He wanted to be laid to rest wherever he finished the course; and in keeping with this wish, we bore his precious remains to the northern slope of old Troy Cemetery and laid him to rest under the beautiful maples whose friendly boughs will vie with the winds in singing praise to the life of an unselfish hero of the cross. Should our steps turn that way again, we should pause by the narrow house and sing:

"I came to the place where the white pilgrim lay,

And pensively stood by the tomb,

When in a low whisper I heard something say,

'How sweetly I sleep here alone!'"

Of a truth, my brethren, one of the best among us is no more. After all, then, what more commending word could be said than that "He was a good man." This man believed in and sought earnestly to live the doctrines held by the Church to which he gave his life. He believed in living a holy life, and lived it.—*J. J. Thomas.*

GEORGE WILLIS WILSON.—Again we pause, with bowed heads and sorrowing hearts, to do honor to the memory of a fallen brother and comrade. This time it is one of the purest, one of the most conscientious, one of the most faithful and painstaking of all the men who have ever been enrolled as members of the Memphis Conference. The subject of this memoir was every inch a true man and a Christian gentleman. George Willis Wilson, son of George William and Caroline Elizabeth Ellender Wilson, was born in Nashville, Tenn., December 9, 1850; was reared in and near Paris, Tenn.; was married to Miss Macon Wilson near Bolivar, Tenn., September 8, 1880; and died

in St. Joseph's Hospital, Memphis, Tenn., at about 11:30 A.M., October 25, 1916. These are the dates encompassing the natural life of our brother upon earth. Within these years were training and education of the highest order; were devotion and service faithful and effective, the fruits of which shall long abide; were victories and defeats, and sorrows and joys; but through them all George W. Wilson kept his face always forward and his head always erect, conscious of an unswerving integrity that would scorn to do an evil deed or be guilty of an unkind act. In educational advantages and in the faithful use of the same, Brother Wilson surpassed most of his brethren in the ministry. He was a scholar, although his fine modesty prevented him always from parading that fact before the public. In the Christian home and in the schools of Paris, Tenn., and of Johnson's Chapel, near Paris, the foundations were well laid. He was a student in Old Andrew College, at Trenton, Tenn., the last year of its existence. After that he was in Emory and Henry College, Virginia, where he took the A.B. degree in 1874. Three years later he received the A.M. degree from the same institution, and in 1906 was given the degree of D.D. by the Memphis Conference Female Institute, of which Dr. A. B. Jones was then the president. In his Christian life Brother Wilson held the mystery of faith in a pure conscience, and he literally exercised himself to have always a conscience void of offense toward God and toward men. He was converted at the age of fifteen at Gum Spring, a Cumberland Presbyterian church, in Henry County, Tenn., and united with the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, at Johnson's Chapel, in 1867. The Quarterly Conference at Trenton, Tenn., Dr. W. T. Harris, presiding elder, on March 4, 1872, granted to G. W. Wilson license to preach, and on November 23, 1874, he was admitted on trial into the Memphis Annual Conference, having been recommended by the Quarterly Conference of Dresden and McKenzie Station, Paris District. A year later he was advanced to the class of the second year, and at the close of the second year on trial was received into full connection at Memphis, Tenn., November 16, 1876. At that same Conference he was ordained deacon by Bishop Pierce, and two years later, having completed the four years' course of study, was ordained elder by Bishop Paine at Jackson, Tenn.

December 8, 1878. It would be tedious to recount here by name and date his various charges throughout his forty-two years of continuous service among us. Suffice it to say that he filled many of the leading pulpits of the Memphis Conference, among which might be mentioned Henderson, Bolivar, Martin, Trenton, Paris, and Humboldt, in Tennessee; and Clinton, Hickman, Fulton, and Broadway, Paducah, in Kentucky. He also served four years as presiding elder of the Paris District, three years as presiding elder of the Jackson District, and four years as presiding elder of the Dyersburg District. He was in charge of Somerville Station when the end came, and there he was projecting a splendid new church building, which is now going on to completion, a monument to his labors and a joy to the community. In Somerville Brother Wilson and his family live in the hearts of the people. As a preacher of the gospel he was never of the popular, catchy type, though to the thoughtful and earnest his sermons always carried food and help. The light and careless ones said he was tedious. How poor is the judgment of the popular mind as to what constitutes real preaching! He was a student, and was thorough in his preparation for the pulpit, and was careful as to what he said. To many a man and to many a woman this man of God truly and faithfully broke the bread of life. Brother Wilson's ministry in the Church and to the Church and for the Church was much wider and deeper than could find expression in pulpit and pastorate, or even in superintendency, in all of which departments he was scrupulously exact and honest. He took an abiding and intelligent interest in the welfare of the Church at large. He was three times sent by his Conference as a delegate to the General Conference—to the meetings of that body held respectively in Memphis, in Baltimore, and in Birmingham. It may not be generally known, but it ought to be said here, that G. W. Wilson was the originator and the author of a number of important laws that are now recognized the Church over and are written into our Book of Discipline. The law prescribing the form of license to preach, and the law giving to the preacher in charge the right to control the appointment of all services to be held in the churches of his charge, and giving to him also the right to forbid any traveling or local preacher, or layman, to

hold public religious services within the bounds of his charge, were originally suggested and urged by Brother Wilson. At the last session of our General Conference a new chapter on Sunday schools was put into the Discipline. G. W. Wilson was its author, and most of it is in his exact words. Many other important measures have felt the touch of his hand and bear the imprint of his mind. Brother Wilson's family life was most beautiful. In his home he was always kind and thoughtful of the comfort and happiness of each member of the household, and respected the rights of even the youngest child. He was on very intimate terms with his children. They told him freely of their childish troubles, and, later, of their plans and desires. He loved his family and his home. Five children were born into that home, two of whom died in infancy. Three, Mrs. Ellender Wilson Gardner, Austin Willis, and George Willis, remain with their mother to mourn the loss of a husband and father as noble and true as ever lived to bless any home. May the mantle of the father fall upon the two boys who bear his name! As to the ministerial and pastoral services rendered in the Memphis Conference by G. W. Wilson during the forty-two years, without a single break, much deserves to be said. It has been the duty of the writer to keep the records of the Annual Conference for most of the time covered by this life ministry, and he thereby knows, better than most others, the relative worth of different types of ministerial service. Judged from the records, the work done by Brother Wilson will not suffer by comparison with the very best. In the matter of material improvements, as the building and improving of churches and parsonages, there is much to his credit; but it was in the field of systematic organization that Brother Wilson was the strongest. He was thoroughly Methodist, and believed in doing things decently and in order. His work was therefore of the constructive type. He builded, and building is usually slow and not spectacular. It is, however, in my humble judgment the very best type of work among us—for it abides. Such was the work of G. W. Wilson—solid, substantial building, rather than ornamentation. I have known him to achieve well-nigh phenomenal success in spite of obstacles that would have discouraged most men, and in the face of vehement opposition on the part of self-

appointed unscrupulous men, who, sad to say, sometimes get the ear of the appointing powers of the Church. As a man, as a friend, as a brother, there were none better and truer than George W. Wilson. Brethren, one of the noblest of our brotherhood is gone from among us. He was so utterly unselfish that he seemed to be always thinking of others. Can we forget that it was he who organized our Conference Brotherhood and has been so long its president? He wrote its constitution and by-laws, and he has pleaded for it in season and out of season. You and I were never forgotten by him. He believed that ecclesiastical politics had no place in the Church of God; and upon these unholy practices, which are all too common among Methodists, he frowned relentlessly. He was a friend upon whose absolute faithfulness no one need ever fear to rely. His sense of honor was so deep and so keen that he could not betray the confidence of any man. At the last session of the Annual Conference Brother Wilson was assigned to Somerville Station. Cheerfully he went to his appointed field of labor, and with his accustomed earnestness and faithfulness began to plan and to do for his charge and community the things which he saw were for their good. Keeping ever prominent the spiritual well-being and the development of his people, early in the year he threw himself with uncommon zeal and tact and patience into the agitation and projection of a much needed church-building enterprise. In the face of obstacles and opposition that would have discouraged many, he pressed on until the enterprise has developed into a distinct success, and the beautiful church-building which is now nearing completion is looked upon by the citizens of Somerville as a monument to the memory of G. W. Wilson. Early in the year Brother Wilson's health began to fail, and a complete collapse seemed imminent. The Rev. G. B. Baskerville came to the rescue and faithfully and satisfactorily filled the pulpit while the pastor was using every means at his command in the endeavor to regain his strength. The year wore on, and he grew no better. Finally about the middle of October he went to Memphis seeking medical advice and treatment. It was the pleasure of the writer to attend him for two days through a series of careful examinations under the direction of Dr. Battle Malone. The diagnosis indicated that the trouble was due

to the presence of gallstones, and an operation was decided upon. This operation was performed on October 19, and an almost incredible number of gallstones were removed. The operation was successful, and we all thought that recovery was in sight, when, seven days later, pneumonia set up and he quickly went down. Because of the fact that we had been informed that he could not see company until a few days later, none of his brethren were with him when the end came. The *Martin Mail* makes the following statement of the funeral, which was held at Martin, Tenn., October 26, 1916: "The remains of Rev. George W. Wilson, who died in the hospital in Memphis after an operation, arrived at Martin at 12:10 Thursday. They were met by the board of stewards of the Methodist church in a body and a multitude of other friends, and were conveyed to the church. There they rested until the funeral, at 2:30, which was conducted by the Rev. C. A. Waterfield, J. L. Weber, of Memphis, and W. J. Mecoy, of Jackson. Remarks were made by the Rev. R. A. Clark, of Jackson, A. B. Jones, of Dresden, Hon. J. D. Johnson, of Jackson, and others. Handsome floral designs were sent by officers and members of the church at Somerville, of which he was the pastor at the time of his death." Sunday night, November 5, the churches of the town of Somerville met for a memorial service in the Presbyterian church, the new Methodist church not being completed. The house was filled at an early hour, and Rev. W. J. Mecoy, presiding elder of the district, had charge of the meeting. Capt. H. C. Moorman, representing the building committee; C. W. Crawford, chairman of the board of stewards; Rev. Mr. Harper, of the Presbyterian church, and other pastors of the town; and Rev. G. B. Baskerville, referred in feeling terms to the correct life of this faithful and efficient man. There was never a man in Somerville more tenderly loved and fondly remembered. Our brother is gone from among us, and he shall be missed. He awaits our coming on the Other Side. The widow and children are trying to adjust themselves to the changed condition, and they find it no easy task. They are comforted by the memories of the pure and exalted life of their sainted father and companion, and by the hope of a final reunion in the Good Home above. We shall unite our prayers to the gracious Father that he will tenderly watch over



these sad and lonely ones, and that he will help us all to emulate the high and holy life of our brother.—A. J. Meaders.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? All were called, and all present passed except J. J. Maynard, who surrendered his credentials and accepted expulsion from the ministry and membership of our Church.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Brownsville District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Alamo Circuit .....	2	698
Arlington and Stanton .....	...	310
Avondale Mission .....	...	185
Bells and Gadsden .....	2	382
Belmont Circuit .....	1	386
Bolton Circuit .....	...	301
Braden Circuit .....	...	218
Bradford Circuit .....	2	470
Brazil Circuit .....	1	426
Brooksdale .....	1	125
Brownsville Circuit .....	...	723
Brownsville Station .....	...	650
Dancyville Circuit .....	1	298
Dyer Circuit .....	2	427
Dyer Station .....	1	197
Gibson Circuit .....	1	190
Greenfield and Brooks .....	1	316
Humboldt Station .....	1	439
Maury City Circuit .....	1	584
Milan Circuit .....	2	317
Milan Station .....	2	230
Trenton Station .....	...	344
Trenton Circuit .....	...	210
	21	8,426

*Dyersburg District.*

Ayers Circuit .....	200
Clopton Station .....	1 212
Covington Circuit .....	620
Covington Station .....	1 659
Curve Circuit .....	582
Dyersburg Circuit .....	2 708
Dyersburg Station .....	1 583
Finley Circuit .....	1 520
Fowlkes Circuit .....	1 405
Friendship Circuit .....	4 653
Gates Circuit .....	1 458
Halls Circuit .....	232
Henning Circuit .....	326
Mack Circuit .....	277
Munford and Atoka .....	1 297
Munford Circuit .....	373
Newbern Circuit .....	605
Newbern Station .....	2 323
Randolph Circuit .....	3 558
Ridgeley Circuit .....	1 272
Ridgeley Station .....	4 280
Ripley Circuit .....	735
Ripley Station .....	488
Tabernacle Circuit .....	279
Tiptonville Circuit .....	138
Tiptonville Station .....	330
	23 11,113

*Jackson District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Bemis Station .....	1	196
Bethany Circuit .....	...	497
Bolivar Station .....	...	159
Deanburg Circuit .....	1	512
Grand Junction and Saulsbury .....	...	260
Henderson Circuit .....	...	95
Henderson Station .....	5	195
Hickory Valley Circuit .....	...	230
Jackson Circuit .....	...	466
Jackson: Campbell Street .....	...	382
First Church .....	...	982
Hays Avenue .....	1	437
Trinity .....	1	356
Lavinia Circuit .....	...	473
Malesus and Medon .....	2	261
Medina and Zion .....	...	273
Mercer Circuit .....	1	405
Middleton Circuit .....	...	402
Oakland Circuit .....	1	290
Pinson Circuit .....	...	442
Somerville Station .....	...	270
Whiteville Circuit .....	...	380
Whiteville Station .....	...	224
Williston Circuit .....	1	349
	14	8,536

*Lexington District.*

Adamsville Circuit .....	1	756
Bath Springs Circuit .....	...	282
Beech Bluff Circuit .....	2	316
Bethel and Selmer .....	2	230
Camden Circuit .....	4	713
Camden Station .....	...	277
Crainsville Circuit .....	...	339
Decaturville Circuit .....	3	666
Enville Mission .....	1	143
Holladay Circuit .....	...	373
Hollow Rock Circuit .....	6	650
Huntingdon and Mount Zion .....	...	284
Lexington Circuit .....	2	283
Lexington Station .....	2	243
Saltillo and Sardis .....	1	231
Scott's Hill Circuit .....	3	405
Selmer Circuit .....	1	536
Shiloh Circuit .....	2	586
Wildersville Circuit .....	...	154
	30	7,468

*Memphis District.*

Bartlett Circuit .....	1	378
Collierville Station .....	1	236
Embury Circuit .....	...	378
Germantown and Capleville .....	...	331
La Grange Circuit .....	...	228
Longstreet and Bethlehem .....	...	272
Memphis: Binghampton and Highland Heights .....	...	284
Buntyn .....	...	308
Epworth .....	1	236
First Church .....	7	1,878
Galloway Memorial .....	2	276
Greenland Heights .....	2	75
Harris Memorial .....	...	456
Lenox .....	...	548
Madison Heights .....	1	598
Mississippi Avenue .....	3	411
Parkway .....	1	347
Pennsylvania Avenue .....	...	124
Pepper Memorial .....	1	233
Second Church .....	...	450
Springdale and Sylvan Heights .....	...	187
St. John's .....	2	704
St. Paul .....	2	406
Trinity .....	...	99
Washington Heights .....	...	370

*Memphis District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Millington and Bethuel .....	...	348
Stevenson and Raines .....	...	166
	24	10,327

*Paducah District.*

Arlington .....	...	207
Bardwell and Wickliff .....	...	320
Barlow Station .....	...	431
Benton and Hardin .....	...	456
Briensburg Circuit .....	1	512
Calvert City Circuit .....	3	451
Clinton Circuit .....	2	644
Clinton Station .....	...	285
Kevil Circuit .....	...	731
La Center Circuit .....	...	687
Lovelaceville Circuit .....	1	348
Mayfield: First Church .....	2	652
Second Church and Spence .....	2	513
Milburn Circuit .....	1	384
Oakland Circuit .....	3	498
Paducah: Broadway .....	3	888
Fountain Avenue .....	1	419
Third Street .....	...	125
City Mission .....	2	248
Paducah Circuit .....	2	596
Sedalia Circuit .....	...	479
Spring Hill Circuit .....	...	646
Wingo Circuit .....	2	428
	25	10,948

*Paris District.*

Atwood Circuit .....	1	496
Big Sandy Circuit .....	2	638
Cottage Grove Circuit .....	...	359
Dresden Station .....	...	189
East Murray Circuit .....	6	683
Farlington Circuit .....	1	256
Faxon Mission .....	1	555
Gleason Circuit .....	...	826
Hazel Circuit .....	1	894
Kirksey Circuit .....	3	623
Manleyville Circuit .....	...	630
McKenzie Circuit .....	...	434
McKenzie Station .....	1	281
Murray Station .....	1	439
Olive Circuit .....	...	600
Paris Circuit .....	...	476
Paris Station .....	1	748
Puryear Circuit .....	2	453
West Murray Circuit .....	...	662
West Paris .....	...	170
	20	10,412

*Union City District.*

Cayce Circuit .....	2	548
Columbus and Wickliff .....	...	353
Crystal Circuit .....	1	467
Dresden Circuit .....	...	420
Elbridge Circuit .....	2	420
Fulton Circuit .....	...	438
Fulton Station .....	1	738
Hickman Station .....	...	247
Hornbeak Circuit .....	1	516
Kenton and Rutherford .....	2	278
Martin Circuit .....	2	432
Martin Station .....	4	478
Obion and Rives .....	...	393
Ralston Circuit .....	1	436
Sharon and Mount Vernon .....	2	450
South Fulton Circuit .....	...	434
Trimble Circuit .....	1	416
Troy Circuit .....	...	319
Union City Circuit .....	1	454
Union City Station .....	2	737

*Union City District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Water Valley Circuit .....	6	620
West Hickman Circuit .....	...	130
	28	9,726

*Recapitulation.*

Brownsville District .....	21	8,426
Dyersburg District .....	23	11,113
Jackson District .....	14	8,536
Lexington District .....	30	7,468
Memphis District .....	24	10,327
Paducah District .....	25	10,948
Paris District .....	20	10,412
Union City District .....	28	9,726
Total this year .....	185	76,956
Total last year .....	185	76,522
Increase .....	...	434

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 27, and their names sent in.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 12, and their names sent in.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 815.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 2,384.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 79.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 2,540.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 584.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 5,078.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 56,823.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$15,000.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$12,497. Distributed to the claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$12,988; Home and Conference Missions, \$16,641. Total, \$29,639.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$7,543.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$6,828.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$622.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$17,186; preachers in charge, \$163,187.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$3,042.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 618; houses of worship, 586.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$1,894,325; indebtedness, \$169,080.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 184; parsonages, 166.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$358,299; indebtedness, \$28,795.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 8; district parsonages, 8.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$41,500; indebtedness, \$2,940.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 5; amount of damage, \$1,003.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$858,885; premiums paid, \$4,754; losses sustained, \$1,003; collections on losses, \$946.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Marvin University School: Value of property, \$50,000; professors, 4; pupils, 80. Memphis Conference Female Institute: Value of property, \$55,000; professors, 9; pupils, 151. McFerrin School: Value of property, \$50,000; endowment, \$10,000; professors, 5; pupils, 145. McTyeire School: Value of property, \$17,000; professors, 3; pupils, 80.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 1,420; Conference organ, 3,152.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? J. B. Marmon, Memphis, Tenn., Lay Leader.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Murray, Ky.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

# BROWNSVILLE DISTRICT.

H. B. Johnston, P. E.

Alamo Circuit, J. C. Rudd.  
Arlington and Stanton, R. L. Mobley.  
Avondale Mission, K. G. Dunn.  
Bells and Gadsden, E. W. Crump.  
Belmont Circuit, V. A. De Shazo.  
Bolton Circuit, R. S. Harrison.  
Braden Circuit, S. R. Hart.  
Bradford Circuit, J. W. Hodges.  
Brazil Circuit, E. E. Spears.  
Brownsville Station, C. A. Waterfield; R. H. Mahon, Sup.  
Brownsville Circuit, B. J. Russell.  
Clopton Station, R. A. Wood.  
Crockett Mills Circuit, E. L. Jamison.  
Dancyville Circuit, T. F. Maxedon.  
Dyer Station, J. T. Bagby.  
Dyer Circuit, A. W. Lassiter.  
Gibson Circuit, G. J. Carman.  
Humboldt Station, R. P. Duckworth.  
Maury City Circuit, N. W. Lee.  
Milan Station, Yates Moore.  
Milan Circuit, W. A. Baker.  
Trenton Station, R. M. Walker.  
Trenton Circuit, Max Strang.

# DYERSBURG DISTRICT.

W. C. Waters, P. E.

Ayers Circuit, W. S. Lockman.  
Camp Ground Circuit, W. T. Garner.  
Covington: First Church, R. A. Clark.  
Second Church and Pisgah, A. W. Russell.  
Covington Circuit, A. H. Bezzo.  
Curve Circuit, S. B. Morrison.  
Dyersburg Station, J. W. Blackard.  
Dyersburg Circuit, W. A. Banks.  
Finley Circuit, T. N. Wilkes.  
Fowlkes Circuit, R. W. Thompson.  
Friendship Circuit, R. H. Pigue.  
Gates Circuit, J. M. Jenkins.  
Halls Station, H. G. Ryan.  
Henning Circuit, S. M. Griffin.  
Mack Circuit, J. L. Weaver.  
Munford and Atoka, C. E. Norman.  
Newbern Station, David Leith.  
Newbern Circuit, R. M. Vaughn.  
Randolph Circuit, L. R. Wadsworth.  
Ridgeley Station, J. A. Hassell.  
Ridgeley Circuit, J. M. Kendall.  
Ripley Station, R. W. Hood.  
Ripley Circuit, J. A. Kelley.  
Tabernacle Circuit, Syl Fisher.  
Tiptonville Station, E. R. Overby.  
Tiptonville Circuit, H. Y. Bagby.  
Professor in Ruskin Cave College, G. B. Jackson.

## JACKSON DISTRICT.

W. D. Jenkins, P. E.

Bemis Station, W. E. Sewell.  
 Bethany Circuit, T. E. Foust.  
 Bolivar Station, T. C. McKelvey.  
 Deanburg Circuit, W. T. M. Jones.  
 Grand Junction and Saulsbury, S. B. Love.  
 Henderson Station, W. F. Acuff.  
 Henderson Circuit, A. A. Stone, supply.  
 Hickory Valley Circuit, T. L. Peerey.  
 Jackson: Campbel lStreet, S. F. Wynn.  
     First Church, J. L. Weber.  
     Hayes Avenue, W. A. Russell.  
     Trinity, C. L. Smith.  
 Jackson Circuit, J. H. Bass.  
 Lavinia Circuit, J. A. Greening.  
 Malesus and Medon, W. H. Collins.  
 Medina and Zion, W. L. Drake.  
 Mercer Circuit, J. S. Carl.  
 Middleton Circuit, A. G. Melton.  
 Oakland Circuit, W. L. Suggs.  
 Pinson Circuit, W. W. Henley.  
 Somerville Station, W. F. Maxedon.  
 Whiteville Station, E. M. Mathis.  
 Whiteville Circuit, C. C. Jordan.  
 Williston Circuit, V. D. Humphrey.  
 President of Memphis Conference Female  
     Institute, G. H. Hawkins.  
 Conference Secretary of Education, Cle-  
     anth Brooks.  
 Conference Missionary Secretary, W. A.  
     Russell.

## LEXINGTON DISTRICT.

J. V. Freeman, P. E.

Adamsville Circuit, T. E. Calhoun.  
 Bath Springs Circuit, A. G. Barnes, sup-  
     ply.  
 Beech Bluff Circuit, W. O. Stone.  
 Bethel and Selmer, J. L. Horton.  
 Camden Station, C. C. Newbill.  
 Camden Circuit, O. H. Lafferty.  
 Crainsville Circuit, W. E. E. Gibson, sup-  
     ply.  
 Decaturville Circuit, J. E. James.  
 Enville Mission, W. M. Holland, supply.  
 Holladay Circuit, R. L. Prince; J. A.  
     Spence, Sup.  
 Hollow Rock Circuit, J. E. Jones.  
 Huntingdon and Mount Zion, W. D. Pick-  
     ens.  
 Lexington Station, F. H. Peeples; H. L.  
     Johnson, Sup.  
 Lexington Circuit, I. M. King.  
 Salttillo and Sardis, T. K. Harper.  
 Scott Hill Mission, B. A. Walker, supply.  
 Selmer Circuit, A. M. Buck.  
 Shiloh Circuit, J. T. Banks.  
 Wildersville Circuit, N. A. Guthrie.

## MEMPHIS DISTRICT.

A. J. Meaders, P. E.

Bartlett Circuit, W. D. Simmons.  
 Collierville Station, T. G. Lowery.  
 Embury Circuit, J. M. Hamil.  
 Germantown and Rossville, P. A. Fowler.  
 La Grange and Moscow, F. H. Cumming.  
 Longstreet and Copleville, W. J. Naylor.  
 Memphis: Binghampton and Highland  
     Heights, M. F. Leake.  
     Buntyn, L. H. Estes.  
     Epworth, W. C. Barham.  
     First Church, H. S. Spragins.  
     Galloway Memorial, F. B. Jones.  
     Greenland Heights, W. D. Griffin, sup-  
     ply.  
     Harris Memorial, J. M. Pickens.  
     Lenox, J. J. Thomas.  
     Madison Heights, T. E. Sharp.  
     Mississippi Avenue, W. C. Sellars.  
     Parkway, J. L. Hunter.  
     Pepper Memorial, B. S. McLemore.  
     Second Church, H. C. Johnson.  
     Springdale and Sylvan Heights, R. B.  
     Swift.  
     St. John's, T. W. Lewis.  
     St. Paul, R. L. Norman.  
     Trinity, G. H. Martin.  
     Vernon Memorial and Kentucky Street,  
     J. G. Williams.  
     Washington Heights, S. L. Jewell.  
 Millington and Bethuel, W. F. Barrier.  
 Stevenson and Raines, O. C. Wrather.  
 Commissioner for Emory University, W.  
     J. Mecoy.

## PADUCAH DISTRICT.

L. D. Hamilton, P. E.

Arlington Station, H. R. Taylor.  
 Bardwell and Wickliff, K. L. Rudolph.  
 Barlow Station, U. S. McCaslin.  
 Benton and Maple Springs, J. B. Pearson.  
 Briensburg Circuit, S. C. Evans.  
 Calvert City Circuit, R. A. McNutt, sup-  
     ply.  
 Clinton Station, J. M. Jenkins, Jr.  
 Clinton Circuit, C. D. Hilliard.  
 Kevil Circuit, T. P. Riddick.  
 La Center Circuit, J. W. Joyner.  
 Lovelaceville Circuit, W. T. Stubblefield.  
 Mayfield: First Church, J. T. Myers.  
     Second Church and Spence, J. O. Hag-  
     ler.  
 Milburn Circuit, B. G. Lamb.  
 Oak Level Circuit, A. A. Myrick, supply.  
 Paducah: Broadway, E. B. Ramsey; P. H.  
     Fields, Sup.  
     Fountain Avenue, G. J. Evans.  
     Third Street, O. A. Marrs.  
     City Mission, W. F. Blackard.

Paducah Circuit, S. W. Peeples.  
Sedalia Circuit, W. D. Dunn.  
Spring Hill Circuit, G. W. Evans.  
Wingo Circuit, J. R. Womble.

PARIS DISTRICT.

W. W. Adams, P. E.

Atwood Circuit, A. E. Wilson.  
Big Sandy Circuit, A. D. Maddox.  
Cottage Grove Circuit, Arco Robinson.  
Dresden Station, A. B. Jones.  
East Murray Circuit, M. C. Yates.  
Farmington Circuit, E. M. Peters.  
Faxon Mission, H. P. Lasley.  
Gleason Circuit, S. A. Martin.  
Hazel Circuit, T. H. Davis.  
Kirksey Circuit, A. L. Dallas.  
Manleyville Circuit, A. W. Sears.  
McKenzie Station, W. P. Hamilton.  
McKenzie Circuit, R. W. McDaniel.  
Murray Station, H. W. Brooks.  
Olive Circuit, M. L. Davis.  
Paris Station, W. A. Freeman.  
Paris Circuit, A. N. Walker.  
Puryear Circuit, J. R. Pafford.  
West Murray Circuit, J. C. Cason.  
West Paris, C. B. Clayton.

UNION CITY DISTRICT.

W. W. Armstrong, P. E.

Cayce Circuit, W. T. Holly.  
Columbus Circuit, A. C. Moore.

Crystal Circuit, W. A. Lampkin, supply.  
Dresden Circuit, H. B. Terry.  
Elbridge Circuit, C. A. Riggs.  
Fulton Station, J. W. Waters.  
Fulton Circuit, G. W. Davis.  
Hickman Station, R. C. Douglass.  
Hornbeak Circuit, W. F. Tuten.  
Kenton and Rutherford, W. G. Nall.  
Martin Station, J. W. Irion.  
Martin Circuit, C. A. Coleman.  
Obion and Rives, R. W. Newsom.  
Ralston Circuit, T. J. Simmons.  
Sharon and Mount Vernon, W. P. Prichard.  
South Fulton Circuit, T. F. Saunders.  
Trimble Circuit, G. T. Sellars.  
Troy Circuit, J. W. Carnell.  
Union City Station, A. C. Bell.  
Union City Circuit, H. A. Butts.  
Water Valley Circuit, T. F. Cason.  
West Hickman Circuit, E. W. Maxedon.  
Greenfield and Brocks, B. T. Fuzzell.  
Conference Evangelist, R. B. Freeman.

*Transferred.*—A. E. Doyle and H. A. Davis, to the Tennessee Conference; P. G. Throgmorton and E. W. Nelson, to the St. Louis Conference; A. C. Douglas, to the New Mexico Conference.

CENTRAL TEXAS CONFERENCE.

FIFTIETH SESSION.

HELD AT WAXAHACHIE, TEX., NOVEMBER 15-20, 1916.

BISHOP MCCOY, *President*; A. D. PORTER, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. H. Arthur Nichols, Thomas Gordon Stamps, D. A. Chisholm, James Throop Watkins, Cluster Quinton Smith, Edgar Alfred Reed, William Hugh Cole, Edgar M. Scarlett, Joseph L. Chunn, Victor Dimmitt Dow, Fred Lee Chunn, William Edward Anderson, Silas Walter Adams, and Albert Richard Lundy. 14.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? M. L. Boone, W. L. Connell, J. L. Oliver, C. O. Davis, and W. J. Whitley, being in orders. 5.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? A. D. Cosgrove, L. L. Evans, P. H. Gates, W. B. Gilleland, C. W. Griffin, J. M. Hays, R. B. Hooper, and G. G. Mitchell. 8.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? John W. Hawkins. 1.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? A. L. Andrews, an elder, from the North Texas Conference, R. A. Crosby, an elder, from the West Oklahoma Conference. 2.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? Henry Iber. 1.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? None.

9. Who are the deacons of one year? C. T. Brockett, W. T. Boulware, T. H. Burton, Elmer Crabtree, T. D. Ellis, W. G. Gwaltney, C. O. Hightower, P. W. Layne, J. Fred Patterson, Horace Poteet, and C. F. Bell. 10.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are



elected deacons? Allen Darrow Cosgrove, Phillip Harney Gates, William Boynton Gilleland, Charles Warner Griffin, Jonathan Montrose Hays, and George Gilmore Mitchell. 6.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? A. D. Cosgrove, P. H. Gates, W. B. Gilleland, C. W. Griffin, J. M. Hays, and G. G. Mitchell. 6.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? Jalmar Bowden, John Hampton Rigby, Arthur Wyatt Franklin, Albert Christopher Fisher, Robert Lincoln Meyers, Cluster Quinton Smith, Sidney Everett Kornegay, James Osborn Guthrie, and William Hugh Cole. 9.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Jalmar Bowden, John H. Rigby, Arthur W. Franklin, Albert C. Fisher, Robert L. Meyers, Cluster Q. Smith, Sidney E. Kornegay, James O. Guthrie, and W. H. Cole. 9.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? William Gibson Bailey, Robert Thomas Capps, Murand Council, Oscar Andrew Morton, Milam Jason Vaughan, Angus Ezekiel Watford, and Marcus Manlove Chunn. 7.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? W. G. Bailey, R. T. Capps, M. Council, O. E. Morton, M. J. Vaughan, A. E. Watford, and M. M. Chunn. 7.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? Clay P. Morgan, Alfred Filmore Nabors, and John William Glenn. 3.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? Clay P. Morgan, Alfred F. Nabors, and John W. Glenn. 3.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? C. H. Little and Lloyd E. Hill, at their own request. 2.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? R. O. Bailey, J. W. Dickinson, T. W. Ellis, A. P. Lipscomb, John F. Neal, G. W. Owens, R. J. Tooley, and B. A. Evans. 8.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? E. F. Boone, James Campbell, J. J. Canafax, J. C. Carter, E. B. Chenoweth, W. H. Crawford, D. C. Ellis, C. E. Gallagher, W. A. Gilleland, H. M. Glass, W. F. Graves, Jerome Haralson, G. W. Harris, I. F. Harris, H. B. Henry, W. V. Jones, W. J. Lemons, Abe Long, J. M. McCarter, F. L. McGehee, R. B. McSwain, W. H. Major, E. J. Maxwell, V. J. Millis, J. P. Mussett, W. W. Noble, J. J. Rape, C. Rowland, H. P. Shrader, C. G. Shutt, W. K. Simpson, B. A. Snoddy, D. C. Stark, C. E. Statham, E. M. Sweet, J. E. Walker, R. W. Welborn, F. M. Winburne, and J. C. Mayhew. 38.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? J. J. Calloway, J. W. Montgomery, Samuel Morriss, S. W. Turner, and J. A. Walkup. 5.

SAMUEL MORRISS was born in Sevier County, Ark., March 23, 1826. He was converted and joined the Methodist Church when he was twenty years old. In 1848 he was licensed to preach by William Moores, presiding elder. In November of the same year he was admitted on trial into the Arkansas Conference, Andrew Hunter, president. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Paine at Clarksville, Ark., in 1850, and elder by Bishop Kavanaugh in 1854. He was a charter member of the Ouachita (afterwards the Little Rock) Conference. In November, 1848, he was appointed to the Dover Circuit, in 1849-51 to the Hempstead Circuit, and in 1851 was sent to the Lapeal Circuit and returned to it in 1853. In 1854 he was stationed in Camden, remaining two years. In 1856 he was stationed in Arkadelphia. In 1857-58 he was sent to Washington; in 1859 to Monticello. At the end of that year he was appointed presiding elder of the Pine Bluff District. From November, 1861, to 1864, he was college agent; from 1865 to 1869 he was on the Camden Circuit. In 1870 he was transferred to the East Texas Conference. In 1875 he was transferred to the Northwest Texas Conference and appointed to Mount Calm; in 1876 to Lancaster, in 1877 to the Georgetown Circuit, in 1879 to Wheelock, in 1880 to Kosse, remaining on that work two years; in 1882-83 to Waco Circuit, in 1884 to Mount Calm, in 1885-86 to Corn Hill Circuit, in 1887 to North Belton Circuit, in 1888 to McGregor, in 1889 to Florence, in 1890 to Bruceville, in 1891 to West, in 1892-93 to Oglesby charge. In 1894 he was superannuated at his own request, closing an active and uninterrupted ministry of forty-six years. On October 24, 1855, he was married to Miss Virginia C. Wade in Ouachita County, Ark. Six children were born to them, two of whom have long since passed away. The others lived to be grown and married. Sister Morriss died in Cherokee County, Tex., November 26, 1871. Two of the children are living still—a son, William, who resides in Oak Bluff (Dallas, Tex.), and a daughter, Mrs. G. W. Kincheloe. With the latter Brother Morris has made his home since his superannuation. His love for his children and grandchildren knew

no limits. His devotion to his granddaughter, Miss Virginia Kincheloe, was stronger than death. The generation that worked with Samuel Morriss has almost passed away. For several years he has been unable to attend the sessions of the Annual Conference. More recently he has been confined to his room at home. Although his name will soon cease to be mentioned, and his great labors be forgotten, yet he still lives in the progress of Methodism in Central Texas. The Methodist Church was dear to him, and the itinerancy was his chief joy. He looked askance at new movements, but he tried to keep the step because he had faith in the leadership of Divine Providence. He was instant and constant in prayer. He objected to life on the prairie because there were so few places for secret prayer. If he had to preach and there was a thicket near by, he could be found kneeling there with his face on the ground. His sermons were interpretations of the Scriptures, interspersed with many quotations from the old Methodist hymn book; in fact, the Bible, hymn book, and Discipline were his daily food. He preached with conscious authority from the Lord, and when he heard the Word it was with meekness and faith. He was natural, no imitator of any one but the Lord. He accepted his appointments as from the Lord, and went to his work to serve rather than to receive. The thought of the stipend did not occur to him when he got his appointment. "What wilt thou have me do?" was uppermost in his mind. He was deeply interested in the children. They all loved him. He faithfully circulated the books and periodicals of the Church. Had it been in his province he would have canonized Dr. Rankin. When memory failed so that he did not know his friends, he would talk about preaching and wanted to make appointments. Solomon says: "A hoary head is a crown of glory if it be found in the way of righteousness." St. Paul, in his letter to Titus, tells us the gems that compose that crown: "Let the aged men be temperate, grave, sober-minded, sound in faith, in love, and in patience." No one of these jewels is missing from the crown of Samuel Morriss. He fell asleep in the parsonage at Bardwell, the home of Brother and Sister Kincheloe, on Friday, September 15, 1916, and was buried from the Methodist church in Corsicana at high noon on the following Sunday.—*Horace Bishop.*

**JAMES WILLIAM MONTGOMERY.**—It does not always require greatness of character and mastery of spirit to remain true and loyal while steadily advancing, occupying prominent places, looked up to by the great mass of mankind. It may require more real manhood, greater heroism, to live on a lower level, occupy an obscure place, have little recognition from the world, and yet all the while to do one's part well, keep sweet-spirited, and come at last serenely to the close of life. James William Montgomery labored long in poor appointments, was compelled at midday to go on the retired list, spent his latter days almost unknown to the younger part of this Conference, and came at last peacefully, unstained, loved and admired by neighbors, to the close of his earthly pilgrimage. He was born in Taylor County, Ga., October 20, 1853. His father died when he was five years old, and his mother followed a little later. He was then taken and reared by his father's parents, a pious Primitive Baptist couple, to whom he owed much. He came to Corsicana, Tex., in 1874, and soon thereafter was converted and received into the Methodist Church. On November 27, 1894, when he was past forty-one years of age, he was happily married to Mrs. Mary Farmer, daughter of Rev. W. H. Biggs, once a member of the West Texas Conference, and widow of Rev. Jeremiah Farmer, for some time a member of this Conference. Two children were born of this union, one of whom died early. The other, a daughter, and her two stepbrothers, remain to comfort their sorrowing mother. Brother Montgomery joined the old Northwest Texas Conference at Waco in November, 1880, coming up from the Rice and Chatfield Circuit—J. P. Hulse, pastor; C. E. Brown, presiding elder. Being so long unmarried, having gifts as a revivalist, strong to defend our doctrines, and being fitted for frontier-pioneer work, he spent almost his whole active ministry on picket-line mission charges. Often he was sent to new works with almost no membership with which to begin. His ministry was characterized by many conversions and additions to the Church, the missions to which he was sent sometimes becoming self-supporting in a single year. He was cut off into the territory ceded to the West Texas Conference in 1882, but returned to his first love three years later. He was ordained a deacon by Bishop Parker at Seguin, Tex., October 22, 1882, and elder by Bishop Hendrix at Weather-

ford, Tex., November 18, 1888. He served the following appointments: Lampasas Mission, 1881; San Saba Mission, 1882; Menard Mission, 1883; Yorktown Mission, 1884; Helena Mission, 1885; Gatesville Mission, 1886; Gatesville Circuit, 1887; Axtell Circuit, 1888; Fort Chadbourne Mission, 1889 and 1890; Colorado Mission, 1891; Finis Mission, 1892; Oak Glen Circuit, 1893; Seymour Mission, 1894; Hico Circuit, 1895. But hard frontier work, numerous revivals, and open-air preaching had seriously affected his throat, making an operation necessary. But the surgeon's knife failed to give relief, and in the fall of 1895, at the advice of his physician (Dr. Wysong, of Hico), he took the supernumerary relation. Later he undertook work again, and was on Evant Mission, 1902; Gatesville Mission, 1903; and Brookhaven Mission, 1904. With these exceptions he was supernumerary from the fall of 1895 to the fall of 1912, when he was placed on the superannuate roll. All this time he lived on his wife's small farm, nine miles southeast of Gatesville. Here he was held in high esteem and affection. Perhaps no man in the county married more couples or baptized more infants than did he. His long funeral procession attested his high standing among those who knew him best. His end was peaceful. On Friday morning, July 28, 1916, he came in from work and was resting on a pallet on his front porch, when suddenly about 11:30 o'clock the summons came; and before any one could reach his side, or he could give one word of farewell, he was gone. But his house was in order and he was ready. The day following, in the presence of one of the largest concourses ever assembled at a funeral in that section, after services conducted by the writer, assisted by Rev. C. L. Cartwright, we laid his body to rest in the Ruth Cemetery near his home, where he awaits the summons from on high. And in that last day, when many of those that sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake to everlasting life, James William Montgomery shall shine as the stars forever and ever for the many that he turned unto righteousness.—*S. J. Rucker.*

STEVEN W. TURNER was born in Warren County, N. C., March 21, 1842. When but a child he moved with his parents to Mecklenburg County, Va., where he spent his boyhood days and had the advantages of the old-fashioned country schoolhouse

in which he received the early part of his education. When he was fifteen years of age he entered Emory and Henry College, and remained there until the outbreak of the Civil War, when his patriotism responded to the call of his country and he joined Company B, Fifty-sixth Virginia Infantry, in the spring of 1861. He was elected lieutenant of his company. For three and a half years he served in the Confederate Army. Seven months of this time he was a Federal prisoner. At the close of the struggle he found himself at Velasco, Tex. The war had completely wrecked his father's fortune, and he had to rely on himself; so he began life anew as a teacher. He obtained a position in Tyler, Tex., and taught there for four years. He was converted at Sardis church, in Mecklenburg County, Va., under the ministry of Rev. J. W. Blincoe, and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, at the same time and place, when fifteen years of age. Through all his young life, and even through the trying experiences of war, he was faithful to his profession of religion. He was licensed to preach at the Fourth Quarterly Conference of Tyler Station in November, 1873, and was recommended by the same Quarterly Conference to the Annual Conference for admission on trial. He was admitted on trial into the East Texas Conference which met in Palestine in the same month, and was appointed to Palestine Station. This was a remarkable record. When his name was called as an applicant for admission on trial, he was very highly recommended by his pastor and presiding elder, Samuel Morriss, and the saintly Bishop Kavanaugh said: "He is the finest preacher I have ever seen or heard never to have preached a sermon." But to the surprise of many, and more to himself, he was read out to Palestine Station. He entered upon his new life as pastor with the same cool judgment and firm purpose that ever characterized him, and succeeded abundantly from the beginning of his itinerant life. At the close of this year he was ordained deacon by Bishop McTyeire, at Marshall, Tex. In December, 1874, he was appointed to Starrville Circuit, serving this charge one year; and in 1875 he was appointed to Tyler Station. In 1877 he was appointed to Henderson Station, and served this charge until 1880, when he was appointed presiding elder of Marshall District. Serving this district two years, his health failed; and in December, 1882,

he took a supernumerary relation, holding this relation two years, and continued ill health gave him no promise of a return to his loved work; so in 1884 he located. For some years after his location he was County Treasurer of Smith County. On account of continued ill health, he moved to Wilbarger County in 1889, and soon gained his health. In 1891 he acted as financial agent of the Southwestment for two years. In 1897 he supplied Chillicothe Circuit for two years and built two churches; one was the first church built in Wilbarger County, outside of Vernon, the county seat, and the other was the first church built in Hardeman County. In 1895 he founded the commercial department of Polytechnic College, and was in charge of that department for two years. In 1897 he supplied Weatherford Mission; and in November of that year he was readmitted into the Northwest (now Central) Texas Conference, and was assigned to Cisco Station, and served this charge in 1898 and 1899. In November, 1899, he was appointed to Quanah Station for one year; and in November, 1900, he was appointed to Hewitt charge, serving there two years, organizing the work, building a parsonage and two churches. From November, 1902, to November, 1906, he served the Gatesville District as presiding elder. His next appointment was Midlothian Station. He was appointed to this charge in 1906 and served it four years. In 1910 he was appointed editor of the Texas Tract Society. In 1911 he was appointed to Eastland Station, one year. This was his last pastorate and his last active work as a traveling preacher, for in November of this year, 1912, he was superannuated at his own request, and patiently waited in declining health and ministered to an invalid wife for nearly four years, when on March 22 of this year, 1916, his companion left him to go to her Father's house on high. Just two months from the day Sister Turner died, Brother Turner heard the call, answered the summons, and went home. This is a brief epitome of the biography of one of the best men I have ever known. A tender relation existed between us which began at the time of his pastorate at Midlothian. I was in my first year as presiding elder, and felt keenly my need of counsel and advice. I found this in his home. His home life was beautiful and tender; truly, he commanded his household well. Brother Turner was married to Mrs. Dora

A. Long in 1874. There were born to them eight children, six boys and two girls. One son, Rev. Neal W. Turner, was drowned in August, 1914, in attempting to rescue his young son and a boy companion from a watery grave. All the rest of his children survive him. Brother Turner's ability as a preacher was recognized by all who knew him. He was a man of profound thought and ripe scholarship. Had his health permitted him to have continued an unbroken itinerancy, his prominence in the Church would have been very much greater. But even with shattered health he stood among the first, and was a recognized leader both in the East Texas Conference in his early ministry and in this Conference where he finished his life's work. He represented the East Texas Conference in the General Conference of 1882. Any interest of the Church was safe in his hands. He loved his Church above all other interests, and in all the course of his life he never suffered her banner to trail in the dust. He rejoiced in the history, the polity, and the doctrine of Methodism, and no abler defender have these mighty forces of our Church ever had than S. W. Turner. His judgment was deliberate, his counsel safe and wise. His heart was warm, and he dealt tenderly. His friendship was strong and steady. He loved with a passionate love, yet was not very demonstrative. His ministry was fruitful, many being brought into the kingdom under his preaching. But he was weary; let him rest. The world is richer since he has lived in it; the Church is more glorious since he has had membership and labor in it; and heaven is dearer and more real since he has passed through its shining portals and entered the life celestial. We shall meet him after the storms are over, after the battles are ended, and the mists have cleared away.—*T. S. Armstrong.*

JAMES ANDREW WALKUP, a superannuated member of the Central Texas Conference, died at his home on Polytechnic Hill, Fort Worth, Tex., July 2, 1916. He was born in Henderson County, Tenn., July 3, 1844. His span of life covered seventy-two years, lacking one day, of eventful history extending from the Old South to the marvelous opening of the twentieth century. In 1861 young Walkup responded to the South's bugle call and enlisted at Memphis, Tenn., in Col. N. B. Forrest's Cavalry Regiment. His term of service ended with the surrender of Lee

at Appomattox. No braver soldier, none more gallant, ever followed the Southern flag than this West Tennessee boy. He fought in the bloody battles of Fort Donelson, Murfreesboro, Franklin, Corinth, Chickamauga, Pittsburg, and Shiloh. In recognition of his cool courage and fearless daring, his captain often assigned him to scout and picket duty. In this dangerous service he had thrilling experiences and narrow escapes. He was finally captured and carried to Rock Island, where he was held as a prisoner of war for six or seven months, until the surrender. During this time he studied dentistry, which he later practiced. Dr. James A. Walkup was happily married to Miss Mary C. Cogbill, August 18, 1866. As husband and wife they walked side by side through almost a half century, one the complement of the other and each the sharer of the other's sorrows and joys. Into their homes were born eight children, three of whom preceded the father to the Home above—Mrs. C. M. Rosser, Edna, and little Mary. One son, James A. Walkup, Jr., and four daughters—Mrs. J. P. McClain, Mrs. Lee Suttle, Mrs. Kirk Holland, and Mrs. W. K. Wylie—survive, with their devoted mother and two brothers, John Wesley Walkup, of Rosebud, and Dr. Henry Bascom Walkup, of San Antonio, to mourn the loss of him who was loved and honored as God's priest in his own household. Converted at the age of twelve years, and a Christian from a child, Dr. Walkup definitely accepted his call to preach when his second child died in infancy. The broken-hearted father, yielding, said: "Dear Lord, I'll do what you want me to do." He was licensed to preach June 10, 1871, at Mount Zion, Ark., by the Quarterly Conference of the Wittsburg Circuit, William A. Cobb, presiding elder. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Kavanaugh, at Searcy, Ark., November 15, 1874, and elder by Bishop Keener, at Belton, Tex., November 3, 1878. His credentials, kept without a stain until death, are now treasured by the family as a sacred heritage. Brother Walkup was born into the Methodist ministry and was literally brought up in the traveling connection. His father, Rev. John Wesley Walkup, a faithful circuit rider of the old school, was a member of Annual Conferences for forty-four years; and his no less devoted itinerant mother, herself a daughter of a Methodist minister, dedicated her son James in infancy to the

Methodist ministry. The itinerant ministry of the two Walkups, father and son, covered a period of seventy-seven years of faithful service. James A. Walkup was admitted on trial in the White River Conference in 1871, and for three consecutive years served the Gainesville Station in that Conference. In 1875 he transferred to the Northwest Texas Conference and was appointed to the Cameron Circuit. His appointments in this Conference and its successor, the Central Texas Conference, were as follows: 1875-78, Cameron Circuit; 1879, Ferris Circuit; 1880, Lancaster and Prairie View; 1881-83, Agent of Marvin College; 1884, supernumerary; 1885, Reagan Circuit; 1886, Waxahachie Mission; 1887-90, supernumerary; 1891-93, Ennis Station; 1894-95, Italy and Frost; 1896, Mansfield and Godley; 1897-98, Arlington Circuit; 1899-1900, Palmer Circuit; 1901-02, Venus Circuit; 1903, Trinity Church, Fort Worth; 1904-16, superannuate. In every relation—on circuits, in stations, as college agent, supernumerary, and superannuate—this consecrated Methodist preacher magnified the grace of God in his appointments. There was that about the man and his ministry that won men from sin to a better life. Friendships of a lifetime grew up out of the sacred relationship of pastor and parishioner. Supernumerary for four years and twelve years on the superannuate roll are explained by the fact that Brother Walkup, in 1881, lost one of his legs from a stray shot of a gun in the hands of a drunken man. His health impaired and forced to go on crutches, he could no longer do the regular work of the pastorate. Taking the honored relation first as supernumerary and later as superannuate, he threw himself heart and soul into the work of an evangelist. For sixteen years he has gone in and out among his brethren, assisting them in revival meetings as opportunities presented. He was never happier than when at work in the altar of an old-fashioned Methodist protracted meeting, instructing the penitents and rejoicing with the saints. His soul delighted in preaching the gospel of Jesus and calling sinners to repentance. It was at Gordon two years ago, while laboring in a revival meeting, that this man of God received a stroke of paralysis from which he never fully recovered. The passion and the habit of a lifetime gripped him in death. When the end came and the mind wandered, he was still preaching and calling penitents.



Soldier of Christ, well done!  
Praise be thy new employ;  
And while eternal ages run,  
Rest in thy Saviour's joy."

—John R. Nelson.

JOHN JAMES CALLOWAY was born at Pinckneyville, Ala., July 22, 1857, and died at his home in Cresson, Tex., January 23, 1916. His parents were W. B. and Kathryn Calloway, and from early childhood his feet were directed in the way of life. He was born again at Liberty Church, Pinckneyville Circuit, August 26, 1873, under the ministry of Rev. W. B. Nicholson. He was married to Miss Emma Slaughter, September 30, 1880. This was a happy marriage, and his wife proved a helpmeet indeed. She and five children survive. The living children are Oscar W. Calloway, of Fort Worth; Mrs. John J. Strickland, of Austin; Mrs. Mabel Harris, of Capps; Mrs. Ed. Holman, of Munger; and Miss Monnie Calloway, of Cresson. His aged father also lives at Pinckneyville, Ala. At a meeting held near Reagan, Tex., by Rev. O. T. Hotchkiss, assisted by the writer, in 1880, Brother Calloway with ten or twelve others answered the call of God to preach the gospel, and placed all on the altar of service to the Master. He was licensed to preach that fall, October 25, H. M. Sears, presiding elder. He hesitated about entering the itinerant ministry, fearing lest with his large family he should become a burden to the Church. His neighbor and intimate friend, Charlie Shihegan, urged him forward and proffered to go with him to Annual Conference. He yielded, and never regretted the step taken. He was admitted on trial into the Texas Conference at Austin in 1891, Bishop Fitzgerald presiding. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Hendrix, 1893, at Navasota, and elder by him, 1896, at Bastrop. He served the following charges, and during the years indicated by these figures: Bald Prairie, 1891; Rogers Prairie, 1892-94; Prairie Plains, 1894-96; Matagorda, 1896 to 1900; West Point and Winchester, 1900-02. While serving this charge he went with the Austin District and other ceded territory into the West Texas Conference. He served Manchaca, 1902-04, and Oakville, 1904-06. After two years' service there he was transferred to the Northwest Texas Conference and stationed at Tye, where he served until 1909; Strawn, 1909-10; Graford, 1910-12; Love-

lace, 1912-14. At the close of this year he was granted a superannuate relation, and lived for one year at Arlington. Soon after the last session of our Conference he moved to the home provided for him by the church at Cresson. His stay there was brief, though in a short time he endeared himself to many in the quiet little city. Sunday morning, January 23, 1916, he attended Sunday school, led the opening prayer, took active part in the study of the lesson. Feeling too unwell to attend church, he returned home, laid his weary head on his pillow, surrounded by his faithful wife and son Oscar and daughter Monnie, and new-made friends, heard his Master say, "It is enough—come home," and John J. Calloway was at rest. His was a fruitful ministry. At Bald Prairie one hundred and twenty-five were converted; at Durango, two hundred were brought into the kingdom; at Matagorda, one hundred; and at Oakville, one hundred and twenty. During a ministry of nearly a quarter of a century he served the Church faithfully on small salaries, led many into the fold, built up the Church, reared a large family, left an unsullied character, went home to meet his children that had preceded him; and his loved ones rise up and bless his memory. —M. S. Hotchkiss.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Yes.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Brownwood District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Ballinger .....	3	350
Bangs .....	...	386
Blanket .....	...	294
Bronte .....	...	205
Brownwood .....	5	723
Coleman .....	1	594
Indian Creek .....	1	321
Norton .....	...	326
Novice .....	...	320
Robert Lee .....	1	274
Rockwood .....	1	205
Santa Anna .....	...	434
Talpa .....	...	219
Valera .....	...	240
Winchell .....	2	270
Wingate .....	...	288
Winters .....	1	395
Zephyr .....	5	320
	20	6,164

*Cisco District.*

Breckenridge .....	1	221
Caddo and Cedar Springs .....	...	94
Carbon .....	3	375

*Cisco District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Cisco .....	1	367
Cisco Mission .....	1	194
Desdemona .....	1	317
Eastland .....	3	336
Eolian .....	1	206
Gordon .....	1	237
Gorman .....	1	150
May .....	1	286
Pioneer .....	1	215
Ranger .....	1	239
Rising Star .....	2	214
Romney .....	3	277
Scranton .....	4	306
Sipe Springs .....	5	278
Staff .....	2	235
Strawn .....	1	192
Thurber .....	1	145
Wayland .....	1	260
	32	5,194

*Cleburne District.*

Alvarado .....	251
Barnesville .....	433
Burleson .....	1 261
Cleburne: Main Street .....	2 1,046
Anglin Street .....	1 699
Brazos Avenue .....	1 300
Glen Rose Station .....	1 166
Glen Rose Mission .....	2 251
Godley and Cresson .....	316
Granbury Station .....	292
Granbury Circuit .....	1 347
Grandview .....	1 339
Joshua and Eagan .....	1 435
Lillian .....	344
Morgan .....	384
Parker .....	1 318
Venus .....	200
Walnut Springs .....	1 236
	12 6,618

*Corsicana District.*

Barry and Emhouse .....	347
Blooming Grove .....	305
Chatfield .....	325
Corsicana: First Church .....	2 941
Eleventh Avenue .....	1 407
Corsicana Circuit .....	3 430
Dawson .....	1 297
Emmitt .....	1 355
Frost .....	385
Groesbeck .....	1 369
Harmony .....	319
Horn Hill .....	1 339
Kerens .....	2 466
Kirvin and Streetman .....	1 261
Mexia .....	452
Purdon .....	327
Rice .....	238
Thornton .....	2 384
Wortham and Richland .....	1 385
	16 7,332

*Dublin District.*

Bluffdale .....	1 297
Bunyan .....	3 341
Carlton .....	483
Comanche Station .....	1 483
Comanche Circuit .....	433
De Leon Station .....	1 266
De Leon Circuit .....	2 476
Dublin .....	1 440
Duffau .....	2 247

*Dublin District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Gustine .....	1	291
Harbin .....	4	301
Hasse .....	...	192
Hico .....	...	478
Huckaby .....	2	275
Iredell .....	2	236
Proctor .....	1	324
Stephenville Station .....	4	486
Stephenville Circuit .....	...	157
Tolar and Lipan .....	...	394
	25	6,605

*Fort Worth District.*

Arlington .....	3 568
Eulless and Thomas Chapel .....	300
Fort Worth: Boulevard .....	1 495
Central .....	940
Diamond Hill .....	3 215
First Church .....	4 1,550
Glenwood .....	2 327
Hemphill .....	288
Highland Park .....	2 216
McKinley Avenue .....	2 331
Missouri Avenue .....	3 725
Mulkey Memorial .....	6 959
Polytechnic .....	10 1,133
Riverside .....	1 367
Sagamore and Sycamore .....	1 130
Weatherford Street .....	1 297
Grapevine .....	324
Handley and Brooklyn .....	219
Kennedale .....	250
Smithfield .....	477
	29 10,111

*Gatesville District.*

Clifton .....	163
Copperas Cove .....	1 310
Coryell .....	204
Crawford .....	277
Evant .....	2 278
Fairy and Lanham .....	1 250
Gatesville Station .....	1 511
Gatesville Mission .....	1 385
Hamilton Station .....	328
Hamilton Circuit .....	1 405
Jonesboro .....	1 266
Killeen Station .....	2 296
Killeen Mission .....	230
McGregor .....	1 400
Meridian Station .....	10 340
Meridian Mission .....	4 185
Moody .....	1 438
Nolanville .....	266
Oglesby .....	1 324
Turnersville .....	1 412
Valley Mills .....	1 204
	29 6,472

*Georgetown District.*

Bartlett .....	3 383
Belton .....	2 550
Florence .....	276
Georgetown .....	29 976
Granger .....	1 408
Hutto .....	1 165
Jarrell .....	370
Midway .....	1 433
Oenaville .....	4 362
Rogers .....	305
Salado and Holland .....	1 485
Taylor .....	1 555

*Georgetown District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Temple: First Church .....	2	1,096
Seventh Street .....	...	543
Thrall .....	...	...
Troy and Pendleton .....	...	366
	45	7,273

*Hillsboro District.*

Abbott .....	1	457
Big Hill .....	...	153
Brandon .....	1	303
Cooledge .....	1	236
Covington .....	...	302
Hillsboro: First Church .....	...	711
Line Street .....	1	166
Hubbard .....	...	394
Itasca .....	...	386
Irene .....	...	230
Kirk .....	...	200
Lovelace .....	...	341
Malone .....	...	303
Munger .....	...	178
Penelope .....	...	416
Peoria .....	1	255
Whitney Station .....	...	282
Whitney Mission .....	...	201
	5	5,414

*Waco District.*

Aquilla .....	1	434
Bosqueville .....	2	316
Bruceville and Eddy .....	...	431
China Springs .....	...	302
Hewit and Spring Valley .....	2	266
Lorena .....	...	383
Mart .....	2	591
Mount Calm .....	...	244
Waco: Austin Avenue .....	2	896
Clay Street .....	1	333
Elm Street .....	...	447
Fifth Street .....	3	473
Herring Avenue .....	1	483
Morrow Street .....	1	646
Mission .....	...	212
West and Elm Mott .....	3	347
	18	6,904

*Waxahachie District.*

Bardwell .....	...	470
Bethel .....	1	183
Bristol .....	2	236
Britton .....	...	353
Ennis .....	1	740
Ferris .....	3	314
Forreston .....	1	384
Italy .....	1	297
Mansfield .....	3	322
Maypearl .....	3	614
Midlothian .....	...	390
Milford .....	...	438
Palmer .....	...	420
Red Oak .....	1	375
Waxahachie .....	...	970
Waxahachie Circuit .....	2	366
	18	6,872

*Weatherford District.*

Aledo .....	...	279
Azle .....	...	195
Elhasville .....	...	186
Graford .....	...	320
Graham .....	1	385
Graham Mission .....	1	194
Loving .....	1	300

*Weatherford District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Millsap .....	2	396
Mineral Wells .....	3	1,036
New Castle .....	...	235
Olney .....	4	224
Olney Mission .....	...	126
Santo .....	1	289
Springtown .....	...	350
Weatherford: First Church .....	...	758
Couts Memorial .....	2	320
Weatherford Circuit .....	1	480
Whitt .....	1	400
	17	6,473

*Recapitulation.*

Brownwood District .....	20	6,164
Cisco District .....	32	5,194
Cleburne District .....	12	6,618
Corsicana District .....	16	7,332
Dublin District .....	25	6,605
Fort Worth District .....	29	10,111
Gatesville District .....	29	6,472
Georgetown District .....	45	7,273
Hillsboro District .....	5	5,414
Waco District .....	18	6,904
Waxahachie District .....	18	6,872
Weatherford District .....	17	6,473
Total this year .....	266	81,432
Total last year .....	289	79,261
Increase .....	...	2,171
Decrease .....	23	...

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 36 licensed.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 5 candidates.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,063.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 3,640.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 110.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 3,986.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 524.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 5,663.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 68,810.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$15,000.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$12,554. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$17,011; Home and Conference Missions, \$22,064. Total, \$39,075.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$12,574.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$18,410.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$970.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$35,685; preachers in charge, \$214,208.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$3,112.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 610; houses of worship, 506.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$2,031,225; indebtedness, \$134,563.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 220; parsonages, 214.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$453,950; indebtedness, \$24,463.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 12; district parsonages, 12.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$47,500; indebtedness, \$4,650.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 13; amount of damage, \$2,435.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$1,191,180; premiums paid, \$6,882; losses sustained, \$904; collections on losses, \$1,531.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Not answered.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 324; Conference organ, 4,777.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? Lay Leader, Judge W. Erskine Williams, Fort Worth, Tex.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Georgetown, Tex.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### BROWNWOOD DISTRICT.

*Sam G. Thompson, P. E.*

Ballinger, J. B. Curry.  
Bangs, J. D. Hendrickson.  
Blanket, L. L. Felder.  
Bronte, A. C. Smith.  
Brownwood, K. P. Barton.  
Coleman, M. K. Little.  
Indian Creek, Henry Francis.  
Norton, J. D. Ramsey.  
Novice, T. D. Ellis.  
Robert Lee, S. W. Adams.  
Rockwood, J. N. Hester.  
Santa Anna, J. A. Ruffner.  
Talpa, H. C. Bowman.  
Valera, B. F. Alsup.  
Winchell, Frank Hughen.  
Wingate, P. H. Gates.  
Winters, J. J. Creed.  
Zephyr, L. A. Clark.

#### CISCO DISTRICT.

*E. P. Williams, P. E.*

Breckenridge, M. L. Boone.  
Carbon, J. Throop Watkins.  
Cisco, P. L. Lloyd.  
Cisco Mission, W. L. Boyd, supply.  
Cross Cut, R. L. Reese.  
Desdemona, J. O. Gore.  
Eastland, C. E. Wilkins.  
Eolian, P. W. Layne.  
Gordon, K. S. Van Zandt; R. O. Bailey, Sup.  
Gorman, J. M. Armstrong.  
May, C. V. Williams.  
Ranger, J. A. Dosier.  
Rising Star, E. M. Wisdom.  
Romney, W. E. Anderson.  
Scranton, Murand Council.  
Sipe Springs, R. T. Capps.  
Staff, C. O. Hightower.  
Strawn, J. G. Pollard.  
Thurber, J. B. Dodson.  
Wayland, to be supplied.  
District Evangelist, S. P. Gilmore.

#### CLEBURNE DISTRICT.

*W. L. Nelms, P. E..*

Alvarado, J. H. Braswell.  
Barnesville, Ben Crow.  
Burleson, J. N. Vincent.  
Cleburne: Anglin Street, C. A. Bickley.  
Brazos Avenue, S. P. Nevill.  
Main Street, A. D. Porter.  
Glen Rose, F. L. Meadow.  
Glen Rose Mission, L. B. Sawyers.

Godley and Cresson, T. W. Sharp.  
 Granbury, P. M. Riley.  
 Granbury Circuit, E. A. Reed.  
 Grandview, Gid J. Bryan.  
 Joshua, A. E. Watford.  
 Lillian, M. L. Lathan.  
 Morgan, W. N. Curry.  
 Parker, T. G. Stamps.  
 Venus, J. W. Head.  
 Walnut Springs, W. A. Clarke.  
 Superintendent of Orphan Home Society,  
 J. D. Odom.  
 Commissioner for Southern Methodist Uni-  
 versity, W. B. Wilson.  
 Conference Secretary of Education, W. L.  
 Nelms.

CORSICANA DISTRICT.

*W. H. Matthews, P. E.*

Barry and Emhouse, J. U. McAfee.  
 Blooming Grove, C. N. Morton.  
 Chatfield, B. E. Kimbrow.  
 Corsicana: Eleventh Avenue, W. J. Hear-  
 on.  
 First Church, J. W. Fort.  
 Corsicana Circuit, R. B. Hooper.  
 Dawson, I. E. Hightower.  
 Emmett, W. T. Boulware.  
 Frost, R. A. Crosby.  
 Groesbeck, E. A. Smith.  
 Harmony, N. E. Gardner.  
 Horn Hill, A. R. Lundy.  
 Kerens, J. F. Isbell; B. A. Evans, Sup.  
 Kirvin, L. Pat Leach.  
 Mexia, F. E. Singleton.  
 Purdon, S. C. Baird.  
 Rice, R. W. Nation.  
 Thornton, O. B. Turner.  
 Wortham, H. B. Landrum.  
 Conference Evangelist, W. E. Hawkins,  
 Jr.

DUBLIN DISTRICT.

*S. J. Vaughan, P. E.*

Bluffdale, T. G. Story.  
 Bunyan, W. A. Neill.  
 Carlton, J. D. Smoot.  
 Comanche, L. G. White.  
 Comanche Circuit, R. B. Young.  
 Comanche Mission, to be supplied.  
 De Leon, W. H. Doss.  
 De Leon Circuit, H. B. Clark.  
 Dublin, George F. Campbell.  
 Duffau, John W. Hawkins.  
 Gustine, G. H. Wilson.  
 Harbin and Green's Creek, C. V. Oswalt.  
 Hico, W. C. Hilburn.  
 Huckabay, D. A. Chisholm.  
 Iredell, H. A. Nichols.  
 Proctor, W. E. Hudnall, supply.  
 Stephenville, S. B. Knowles.

Stephenville, Circuit, A. W. Franklin,  
 supply.  
 Tolar and Lipan, M. J. Vaughan.

FORT WORTH DISTRICT.

*John R. Nelson, P. E.*

Arlington, J. B. Berry; G. W. Owens, Sup.  
 Brooklyn Heights and Harwell's Chapel,  
 C. O. Davis.  
 Fort Worth: Boulevard, T. S. Barcus.  
 Central, C. R. Wright.  
 Diamond Hill, C. E. Simpson.  
 First Church, A. L. Andrews.  
 Glenwood, J. W. Patison.  
 Hemphill Heights, R. A. Langston.  
 Highland Park, W. G. Bailey.  
 McKinley Avenue, E. R. Stanford.  
 Missouri Avenue, C. C. Hightower.  
 Mulkey Memorial, M. S. Hotchkiss.  
 Polytechnic, E. B. Hawk; T. W. Ellis  
 and J. W. Dickinson, Sup's.  
 Riverside, J. H. Baldrige.  
 Sagamore and Sycamore, C. A. Evans.  
 Weatherford Street, C. Q. Smith.  
 Grapevine and Minter's Chapel, O. C.  
 Swinney.  
 Handley, W. T. Jones.  
 Kennedale, C. W. Daniel.  
 Smithfield and Eules, W. T. Singley.  
 Thomas Chapel and Saginaw, W. M. An-  
 derson, supply.  
 Temperance Worker, J. R. B. Hall.  
 Texas Woman's College: H. A. Boaz,  
 President; J. D. Young, Vice President.  
 Field Secretary of Sunday School Asso-  
 ciation, C. S. Field.  
 Dean of Theological Department of South-  
 ern Methodist University, H. M. Dobbs.  
 Commissioner for Methodist Orphanage,  
 W. T. Gray.  
 Agent of Superannuate Homes, D. L. Col-  
 lie.  
 State Secretary of Sunday League of  
 America, R. C. Armstrong.  
 Assistant Secretary of Anti-Saloon League,  
 Atticus Webb.  
 Conference Evangelists, J. T. Bloodworth  
 and W. M. Bowden.

GATESVILLE DISTRICT.

*S. J. Rucker, P. E.*

Clifton, H. L. Vincent.  
 Copperas Cove, M. M. Smith.  
 Coryell, W. G. Gwaltney.  
 Crawford, A. C. Lackey.  
 Evant, Horace Poteet.  
 Fairy, W. J. Whitley.  
 Gatesville, Alonzo Monk, Jr.  
 Gatesville Circuit, A. D. Cosgrove.  
 Hamilton, J. Hall Bowman.



Hamilton Circuit, C. B. Diltz.  
 Jonesboro, J. W. Holt.  
 Killeen, A. E. Carraway.  
 Killeen Mission, P. M. Gladney, supply.  
 McGregor, J. M. Neal.  
 Meridian, J. M. Wynne.  
 Meridian Mission, C. T. Brockett.  
 Moody, W. S. P. McCullough.  
 Nolanville, W. L. Connell.  
 Oglesby, F. O. Waddill.  
 Turnersville, R. H. Heizer.  
 Valley Mills, J. F. Luker.  
 President of Meridian College, G. F. Winfield.  
 Student in Meridian College: W. B. Gilleland.

#### GEORGETOWN DISTRICT.

*W. B. Andrews, P. E.*

Bartlett, C. W. Irvin.  
 Belton, W. H. Howard.  
 Florence, W. D. Gaskins.  
 Georgetown, C. H. Booth; J. F. Neal, Sup.  
 Granger, M. A. Turner.  
 Holland and Bell Plains, J. F. Clark.  
 Hutto and Jonah, A. E. Turney.  
 Midway, W. H. Keener.  
 Oenaville, J. T. Ferguson, supply.  
 Rogers, T. E. Bowman.  
 Salado and Jarrell, J. F. Tyson.  
 Taylor, Henry Stanford.  
 Temple: First Church, J. W. Bergin.  
 Seventh Street, R. A. Walker.  
 Thrall and Round Rock, J. D. Kursell, supply.  
 Troy and Pendleton, G. F. Kornegay.  
 President of Southwestern University, C. M. Bishop.  
 Divisional Sunday School Field Secretary, Emmett Hightower.

#### HILLSBORO DISTRICT.

*J. M. Barcus, P. E.*

Abbott, M. L. Story.  
 Big Hill and Ben Hur, T. H. Burton.  
 Brandon and Mertens, R. O. Sory.  
 Cooledge, H. D. Huddleston.  
 Covington and Ocoola, J. F. Adams.  
 Hillsboro: First Church, J. H. Stewart.  
 Line Street, C. W. Macune.  
 Hubbard, J. W. W. Shuler.  
 Irene, T. L. Sorrells.  
 Itasca, P. E. Riley.  
 Itasca Circuit, Walter Griffith.  
 Kirk and Prairie Hill, W. J. Morphis.  
 Malone and Bynum, J. M. Bond.  
 Munger, J. M. Hays.  
 Penelope, E. W. Bridges.  
 Peoria, N. J. Peeples.  
 Whitney, J. H. Walker.

Whitney Mission, Edward Cantrell, supply.

#### WACO DISTRICT.

*J. A. Whitehurst, P. E.*

Aquilla, H. W. Gillette.  
 Bosqueville, W. Vinsant.  
 Bruceville and Eddy, S. A. Ashburn.  
 China Springs, F. A. Ray.  
 Hewitt and Spring Valley, S. B. Sawyers.  
 Lorena, W. J. Mayhew.  
 Mart, C. E. Lindsey.  
 Mount Calm, W. T. Kinslow.  
 Riesel and Axtel, W. H. Cole.  
 Waco: Austin Avenue, F. P. Culver.  
 Clay Street, D. A. McGuire.  
 Elm Street, E. V. Cox.  
 Fifth Street, J. R. Morris.  
 Herring Avenue, R. F. Brown.  
 Morrow Street, H. L. Munger.  
 West and Elm Mott, M. M. Morphis.  
 Secretary of Y. M. C. A. (Mart), J. V. Baird.  
 Conference Missionary Secretary, J. E. Crawford.  
 Conference Evangelist, L. L. Evans.  
 Commissioner for Texas Methodist Orphanage, W. H. Vaughan.

#### WAXAHACHIE DISTRICT.

*Horace Bishop, P. E.*

Bardwell, G. W. Kincheloe.  
 Bethel, Warner Moore.  
 Bristol, Elmer Crabtree.  
 Britton, G. G. Mitchell.  
 Ennis, T. S. Armstrong.  
 Ferris, E. F. Hudgens.  
 Forrester, Z. L. Howell.  
 Italy, Franklin Moore.  
 Mansfield, Josephus Lee.  
 Maypearl, M. W. Clark.  
 Midlothian, J. C. Mimms.  
 Milford, C. L. Browning.  
 Palmer, E. R. Patterson.  
 Red Oak, W. H. Harris.  
 Waxahachie, C. L. Cartwright.  
 Waxahachie Circuit, B. R. Wagner.

#### WEATHERFORD DISTRICT.

*L. A. Webb, P. E.*

Aledo, M. M. Chunn.  
 Azle, to be supplied.  
 Eliasville, Joe L. Chunn.  
 Grafard, O. A. Morton.  
 Graham, Ashley C. Chappell; A. P. Lipscomb, Sup.  
 Graham Mission, J. L. Oliver.  
 Loving, Victor D. Dow.  
 Millsap, Fred L. Chunn.

Mineral Wells, H. F. Brooks.

New Castle, Seba Kirkpatrick.

Olney, W. B. Vaughn.

Olney Mission, Edgar N. Scarlett.

Palo Pinto, I. T. Huckabee, supply.

Springtown, C. F. Bell.

Weatherford: Coutts Memorial, J. N. McCain.

First Church, W. W. Moss; R. J. Tooley, Sup.

Weatherford Circuit, J. Fred Patterson. Whitt, Preston Broxton.

*Transferred.*—J. G. Thomas, J. S. Huckabee, to the Northwest Texas Conference; J. W. Childers, J. C. Granbery, to the West Texas Conference; J. E. Matlock, to the West Oklahoma Conference; H. D. Knickerbocker, to the Texas Conference; C. W. Griffin, C. G. Chappell, and J. A. Siceff, to the North Texas Conference.

## NORTH GEORGIA CONFERENCE.

FIFTIETH SESSION.

HELD AT GRIFFIN, GA., NOVEMBER 22-27, 1916.

BISHOP CANDLER, *President*; JOHN F. YARBROUGH, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. Charles Day Read, Verner Bluford Hamrick, Victor Percival Henry, Joseph Appleton Gray, Joseph Eggleston Parker, Henry Toombs Smith, Arthur Olin Baggerly, Wesley Clifton Davis, George Thomas Shell, James William Oscar McKibben, Robert Henry Blackshear, Henry Everett Stipe, Albert Sutton Trulock. 13. (Joseph Hubert Hardy, John Calvin Roberson, and W. C. Folks remain in class of first year.)

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Samuel Roscoe David, Grover Henry Bailey (in class of third year); William Turner Watkins, Wills McAfee Jones, Ransom Eugene Rutland, Middleton James Smith, Alexander Silvey, Benjamin Harper Smith, David Alexander McBreyer, Joseph Arthur Griffies, Fred Colley Owens, John Adolphus Chandler, James Hill Couch, Thomas Moses Lee, Benjamin Franklin Pim, Jr., Byers Stern Fleming, Walter Mendwell Twiggs, Lewis E. Wright. 18.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Henry Hart Jones, Walter Eugene Brown, Bird Lawrence Betts, Robert Thomas Harrison, John Estes Ellis, James Singleton Hill, Willie Beverly Mills, William Daniel Spence, Samuel Davidson Cherry, Boling Sasnett Branham, Adrian Warwick, William Waring Carroll, Samuel Sumpter Daughtry. 13. (Stephen Decatur Cremean and Victor Allen Roark remain in class of third year.)

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are transferred from other Conferences? Walter Millican, from the South Georgia Conference. 1.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? James McDaniel Radford and Theodore Wesley Darnell, both elders, from the Methodist Protestant Church. 2.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? Marvin Augustus Franklin, Lawrence Wilson Neff, Jessie William Veatch, Henry Lee Byrd, Homer Lamar Thomson, Frank Geiger Spearman, Claud Hendrick, Charles Guy White, Jesse Hamby Barton, Henry Oscar Green, Grover Cleveland Knowles. 11.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? James Singleton Hill, Willie Beverly Mills, William Daniels Spence, Samuel Davidson Cherry, Boling Sasnett Branham, Adrian Warwick, William Waring Carroll, Samuel Sumpter Daughtry. 8.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? James Singleton Hill, Willie Beverly Mills, William Daniel Spence, Samuel Davidson Cherry, Boling Sasnett Branham, Adrian Warwick, William Waring Carroll, Samuel Sumpter Daughtry. 8.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? James William Oscar McKibben, George Thomas Shell, Walter Pope Miller, William Newton South, John Luther Moore, Verner Bluford Hamrick, Herman Lentzow, Dwight Lamar Sherrotz, Victor Percival Henry, Edward Philip Tant, Thomas Moses Lee. 11.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? James William Oscar McKibben, George Thomas Shell, Walter Pope Miller, William Newton South, John

Luther Moore, Vernor Bluford Hamrick, Herman Lentzow, Dwight Lamar Sherrotz, Edwin Philip Tant, Thomas Moses Lee. 10.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? William Greenway, William Jefferson Culpepper, Adolphus Parker Watkins, William Edgar Purcell, Nelson Hinesley, Dock Seaman Patterson, Clarence Andrew Hall, Harris Lindsay Hendricks, Charles Levin Middlebrooks, William Samuel Norton, Charles Newton Hayes. 11.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? William Greenway, William Jefferson Culpepper, Adolphus Parker Watkins, William Edgar Purcell, Nelson Hinesley, Dock Seaman Patterson, Clarence Andrew Hall, Harris Lindsay Hendricks, Charles Levin Middlebrooks, William Samuel Norton, Charles Newton Hayes. 11.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? Robert Ithamar Johnson and John Estes Ellis. 2.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? Robert Ithamar Johnson and John Estes Ellis. 2.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? John Maxwell Cook, Marvin Swilling, W. D. Amack, each at his own request. 3.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? A. M. Sprayberry and J. D. Turner. 2.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? W. W. Brinsfield, C. H. Branch, D. P. Johnson, H. J. Ellis, H. C. Christian, A. C. Cantrell, E. K. Akin, J. M. Bowden, W. T. Caldwell, S. D. Clements, C. C. Cary, W. J. Cotter, W. A. Farris, T. H. Gibson, W. F. Glenn, E. A. Gray, J. A. Timmerman, A. J. Hughes, Sanford Leake, J. R. Lewis, J. T. Lowe, R. P. Martyn, J. L. Ware, N. E. McBreyer, J. V. M. Morris, C. L. Patillo, J. A. Reynolds, D. M. Edwards, R. W. Rogers, Brittain Sanders, O. C. Simmons, A. M. Smith, J. R. Speck, J. W. Stipe, J. E. England, J. W. G. Watkins, A. W. Williams, W. M. Wynn, E. H. Wood, George W. Yarbrough, W. L. Singleton, H. L. Crumley, J. H. Little, H. L. Embry, J. E. Rorie, E. M. Stanton, J. B. Allen, W. T. Bell, J. T. Richardson, W. R. Branham. 50.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? Lovick P. Winter. 1. (Died November 25, 1916, near close of Conference. No memoir.)

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? They are.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several cir-

cuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### Athens District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Apalachee .....	1	512
Athens: First Church .....	1	1,075
Oconee Street .....	1	464
Young Harris Memorial .....	...	318
Athens Circuit .....	...	289
Bishop .....	...	474
Broad River .....	2	387
Buckhead .....	...	321
Center .....	2	361
Greene Circuit .....	...	396
Greensboro .....	...	237
Lexington .....	...	450
Little River .....	1	495
Madison .....	1	412
Princeton .....	...	476
Rutledge .....	...	307
Sharon .....	3	419
Union Point .....	...	412
Washington .....	...	348
Watkinsville and Johnson .....	...	290
West Wilkes .....	2	249
White Plains and Siloam .....	1	323
Winterville and Cherokee Corner.	3	503
	16	9,518

#### Atlanta District.

Atlanta: Asbury .....	...	150
Bonnie Brae .....	2	358
Calvary and Bethel .....	1	605
Capitol View .....	...	183
Center Street .....	2	462
College Park .....	...	409
Collins Memorial .....	...	327
Decatur and Orphans' Home .....	...	778
Druid Hills .....	...	711
East Point and Gate City .....	3	592
English Avenue .....	1	204
Epworth .....	2	395
First Church .....	12	1,215
Grace .....	1	976
Grant Park and Bethany .....	2	321
Inman Park .....	1	292
Jefferson Street .....	2	253
Lakewood Heights .....	...	273
Martha Brown Memorial .....	1	394
Mount Vernon .....	...	195
Oakhurst and East End .....	...	408
Park Street .....	...	1,200
Payne Memorial .....	1	836
Saint James .....	2	225
Saint John .....	...	836
Saint Luke and Nellie Dodd .....	...	565
Saint Mark .....	3	1,129
Saint Paul .....	3	2,187
Trinity .....	4	1,571
Walker Street .....	...	328
Wesley Memorial .....	9	681
West Side .....	...	58
Hapeville .....	3	429
Kirkwood .....	2	277
Oakland City .....	2	382
	59	20,210

#### Augusta District.

Augusta: Asbury .....	...	512
Broadway .....	1	180
Saint Luke .....	2	764
Saint James .....	1	816
Saint John .....	3	893
Woodlawn .....	...	646
Culverton .....	1	175
Dearing .....	1	373

*Augusta District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Devereux .....	...	236
Gracewood .....	...	496
Grovetown .....	...	535
Hancock .....	...	276
Harlem .....	...	251
Hepzibah .....	1	235
Mayfield .....	1	371
Messena .....	1	341
Norwood .....	...	296
Sparta .....	...	323
Thomson .....	1	539
Thomson Circuit .....	...	281
Warrenton .....	...	475
	12	9,016

*Dalton District.*

Adairsville .....	3	576
Calhoun .....	2	247
Calhoun Circuit .....	2	622
Cartersville .....	1	584
Chatsworth .....	...	373
Chickamauga .....	...	476
Dalton: First Church .....	1	453
Hamilton Street .....	4	352
Emerson .....	...	324
Eton .....	...	256
Fairmount .....	...	400
Kingston .....	1	502
La Fayette and Rocky Springs .....	1	434
La Fayette Circuit .....	1	442
Lyerly .....	4	506
Resaca .....	1	437
Ringgold .....	1	456
Stilesboro .....	...	204
Subigna .....	1	391
Summerville .....	...	321
Trion .....	...	176
Tunnel Hill .....	2	338
White .....	2	298
Whitfield .....	1	339
	29	9,507

*Elberton District.*

Bowman .....	2	896
Carnesville .....	2	749
Clarksville .....	2	549
Clayton .....	1	389
Comer .....	1	448
Commerce .....	...	201
Cornella and Demorest .....	2	388
Danielsville .....	1	679
Elbert Circuit .....	1	745
Elberton: First Church .....	1	539
Hart Circuit .....	...	440
Hartwell .....	...	379
Homer .....	2	582
Lavonia .....	...	460
Lincolnton .....	...	301
Maysville .....	...	555
Middleton .....	1	567
Royston .....	1	829
South Lincoln .....	...	259
Toccoa .....	...	296
Toccoa Circuit .....	1	444
	18	10,695

*Gainesville District.*

Belton .....	3	434
Bethlehem .....	1	519
Buford .....	1	327
Cleveland .....	4	1,105
Dacula .....	2	822
Dahlonega .....	...	147
Duluth .....	...	463

*Gainesville District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Flowery Branch .....	...	544
Gainesville: First Church .....	7	990
New Holland .....	4	649
Saint Paul .....	1	314
Hall Circuit .....	3	655
Hoschton .....	1	511
Jefferson .....	...	292
Jefferson Circuit .....	2	885
Lawrenceville .....	1	539
Loganville .....	...	815
Lumpkin and Loudsville .....	...	497
Monroe .....	1	385
Monroe Circuit .....	...	348
Norcross and Prospect .....	1	565
Norcross Circuit .....	1	630
North Lumpkin .....	...	218
Winder .....	...	814
	33	13,468

*Griffin District.*

Barnesville .....	1	501
Barnesville Circuit .....	1	428
Culloden and Yatesville .....	1	336
Fayetteville .....	2	854
Flovilla .....	1	385
Forsyth .....	...	405
Forsyth Circuit .....	2	411
Griffin: First Church .....	...	432
Hanleiter .....	...	340
Third Church and Kincaid .....	...	269
Griffin Circuit .....	...	591
Hampton .....	...	481
Inman .....	1	608
Jackson .....	...	360
Jenkinsburg .....	...	336
Jonesboro .....	...	534
Locust Grove .....	2	610
McDonough .....	2	599
Milner .....	1	317
Senola .....	3	446
Stockbridge .....	1	532
Thomaston .....	...	388
Thomaston Circuit .....	1	424
Zebulon .....	...	370
	19	10,957

*La Grange District.*

Bowden .....	4	615
Chipley .....	1	564
Fairburn .....	2	709
Franklin .....	...	404
Glenn .....	1	318
Grantville and Lone Oak .....	...	511
Greenville and Trinity .....	...	416
Hogansville and Corinth .....	...	498
La Grange: First Church .....	1	566
Saint John and Unity .....	...	426
South La Grange .....	...	338
Manchester .....	...	523
Moreland and Luthersville .....	...	360
Mountville .....	...	420
Newnan: First Church .....	1	789
Lovejoy Memorial .....	2	598
Palmetto .....	1	308
Primrose .....	1	369
Roopville .....	2	406
Turin .....	...	645
West Point .....	...	434
West Point Circuit .....	...	299
Whitesburg .....	5	436
Woodbury .....	1	600
	22	11,552

*Marietta District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Acworth and Kennesaw .....		586
Alpharetta .....	1	867
Austell .....		416
Ball Ground .....		203
Blairsville .....	3	754
Blue Ridge .....		214
Canton .....	1	325
Cumming .....	1	515
Dawsonville .....	4	468
Douglasville .....	2	398
Douglasville Circuit .....		534
Dunwoody .....		710
Ellijay .....		290
Elizabeth .....	2	254
Holbrook .....		660
Holly Springs .....	1	741
Marietta .....		838
Marietta Circuit .....	1	676
Powder Springs and Macland .....		535
Roswell .....	1	260
Smyrna .....	1	310
Tate .....		216
Waleska .....	7	250
Woodstock .....	1	371
Young Harris .....	9	389
	35	11,780

*Oxford District.*

Baldwin .....		328
Clinton .....		126
Conyers .....		384
Conyers Circuit .....	1	400
Covington and Mills .....	1	554
De Kalb Circuit .....		401
East Putnam .....	1	584
Eatonton .....		448
Gray .....		404
Lithonia .....		612
Mansfield .....		325
Midway .....		436
Milledgeville .....		742
Monticello .....		315
Monticello Circuit .....		245
Newborn .....	2	488
Oxford and North Covington .....	11	260
Porterdale .....		
Salem .....	1	823
Shady Dale .....	1	317
Social Circle .....		432
Stone Mountain .....	3	428
West Putnam .....	1	420
	22	9,472

*Rome District.*

Aragon .....	1	292
Armuchee .....	1	360
Buchanan and Bremen .....		340
Carrollton .....	4	722
Carrollton Circuit .....		786
Cave Springs .....		314
Cedartown .....	2	503
Cedartown Circuit .....		132
Dallas .....		478
Draketown .....	2	390
Floyd .....	3	360
Lindale .....	1	566
North Rome .....	1	533
Rockmart .....	1	244
Rome: First Church .....	3	581
Second Avenue .....		165
South Broad .....		318
Trinity .....		296
Tallapoosa .....		238
Villa Rica .....		404

*Rome District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Villa Rica Circuit .....	2	423
Waco .....		265
	21	8,710

*Recapitulation.*

Athens District .....	16	9,518
Atlanta District .....	59	20,210
Augusta District .....	12	9,016
Dalton District .....	29	9,507
Elberton District .....	18	10,695
Gainesville District .....	33	13,468
Griffin District .....	19	10,957
La Grange District .....	22	11,552
Marietta District .....	35	11,780
Oxford District .....	22	9,472
Rome District .....	21	8,710
Total this year .....	286	124,885
Total last year .....	284	122,532
Increase .....	2	2,353

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 17. Yes.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 14. Yes.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,026.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 3,571.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 74.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 3,214.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 789.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 7,368.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 92,656.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$25,000.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$20,580. Paid to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$24,062; Home and Conference Missions, \$32,188. Total, \$56,250.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$10,850.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$13,379.



Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$588.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$33,603; preachers in charge, \$239,771.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$4,035.50.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 851; houses of worship, 838.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$3,375,518; indebtedness, \$164,176.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 266; parsonages, 231.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$558,166; indebtedness, \$30,712.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 11; district parsonages, 7.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$38,000; indebtedness, \$5,275.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 2; amount of damage, \$2,012.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$1,758,825; premiums paid, \$6,544; losses sustained, \$1,975; collections on losses, \$1,037.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Wesleyan College: Value of property, \$451,577; endowment, \$104,650; professors, 40; pupils, 450. La Grange College: Value of property, \$208,000; professors, 21; pupils, 140. Young Harris College: Value of property, \$50,000; professors, 7; pupils, 475. Rhinehardt College: Value of property, \$70,000; professors, 12; pupils, 175.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 357; Conference organ, 5,299.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? Lay Leader, John D. Walker.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? La Grange, Ga.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### ATHENS DISTRICT.

*S. P. Wiggins, P. E.*

Appalachee, J. R. Jordan.  
Athens: First Church, S. R. Belk.  
Oconee Street, E. W. Jones.  
Young Harris Memorial, A. J. Sears.  
Athens Circuit, J. S. Askew.  
Bishop, J. C. Adams.  
Broad River, F. S. Hudson.  
Buckhead, M. B. Whitaker.  
Green Circuit, W. H. Speer.  
Greensboro Station, Marvin Williams.  
Lexington, M. M. Walraven.  
Little River, J. R. Allen.  
Madison, H. B. Mays.  
Princeton Mission, W. A. Woodruff; H. Smith, junior preacher.  
Rutledge, V. A. Roark.  
Sharon, L. P. Huckaby.  
Union Point, W. W. Benson.  
Washington, G. S. Fraser.  
Watkinsville Circuit, W. W. Carroll.  
West Wilkes, C. N. Hays.  
White Plains and Siloam, N. A. White.  
Winterville and Cherokee Corner, G. D. Stone.  
District Commissioner of Education, Marvin Williams.

#### NORTH ATLANTA DISTRICT.

*J. H. Eakes, P. E.*

Atlanta: Center Street and Howell Mill,  
C. A. Jamison.  
Collins Memorial and Mayson's, L. W. Rivers.  
Decatur and Orphans' Home, J. M. Tumlin.  
De Kalb, J. H. Barton.  
Druid Hills, Fletcher Walton.  
Dunwoody, B. H. Green.  
Epworth, J. A. Gray.  
English Avenue and Bethany, to be supplied by J. L. Jones and Barnard S. Via.  
First Church, J. E. Dickey.  
Grace, L. G. Johnson.  
Inman Park, R. C. Cleckler.  
Jefferson Street, V. B. Hamrick.  
Mount Vernon, S. D. Cremean.  
Oakhurst and Ousley, C. D. Read.  
Payne Memorial, H. M. Quillian.  
Saint James, H. E. Stipe.  
Saint Mark, W. R. Hendrix.  
Stone Mountain, E. G. Thomason.  
Wesley Memorial, J. A. Sharp.  
Lawrenceville, William Dunbar.  
Loganville, T. W. Darnell.

Norcross Circuit, C. A. Swift.  
 Norcross and Prospect, G. P. Gary.  
 Superintendent of Orphans' Home, J. M. Hawkins.  
 Professor in Candler School of Theology, H. H. Harris.  
 President of Missionary Training School, J. A. Sharp.  
 Students in Emory University, V. P. Henry, W. S. Norton, A. O. Baggarly, R. E. Rutland, and B. S. Branham.  
 District Commissioner of Education, J. E. Dickey.  
 Conference Secretary of Education, C. C. Jarrell.  
 Commissioner of Education for Emory University, C. C. Jarrell.  
 Hebrew Missionary, Julius Magath.

#### SOUTH ATLANTA DISTRICT.

*W. H. La Prade, Jr., P. E.*

Atlanta: Asbury and Nellie Dodd, to be supplied by J. P. Wolford.  
 Austell, J. E. Russell.  
 Bonnie Brae, J. L. Algood.  
 Calvary and Bethel, L. W. Collins; one to be supplied by W. H. Boring.  
 Capitol View, to be supplied by E. M. Burks.  
 College Park, J. F. Yarbrough.  
 East End Mission, C. P. Marchman.  
 East Point and Gate City Mills, C. V. Weathers; one to be supplied by G. W. McElroy.  
 Grant Park, S. S. Daughtry.  
 Lakewood Heights and South Bend, William Greenway.  
 Martha Brown Memorial and Marvin J. O. Brand; one to be supplied by C. A. Thomas.  
 Park Street, Wallace Rogers.  
 Saint John, W. H. Cooper.  
 Saint Luke, A. D. Echols.  
 Saint Paul, R. A. Edmondson.  
 Stockbridge, W. P. Carmichael.  
 Trinity, C. O. Jones.  
 Walker Street, A. E. Sansburn.  
 Douglasville, J. C. Atkinson.  
 Douglasville Circuit, to be supplied by G. P. Braswell.  
 Fairburn Circuit, J. M. Radford.  
 Hapeville, W. H. Clark.  
 Jonesboro, W. J. De Bardeleben.  
 Kirkwood, J. W. King.  
 Oakland City Circuit, M. L. Underwood; B. S. Fleming, junior preacher.  
 Union City, to be supplied.  
 Conference Missionary Secretary, W. H. La Prade, Jr.  
 Assistant Editor of *Christian Advocate*, R. F. Eakes.

Book Editor and Editor of *Quarterly Review*, H. M. Du Bose.  
 Chaplain to Federal Prison, J. A. Sewell.  
 District Commissioner of Education, W. H. Cooper.  
 Welfare Agent of Southern Railroad, C. L. Bass.

#### AUGUSTA DISTRICT.

*W. T. Irvine, P. E.*

Augusta: Asbury, H. D. Pace.  
 Broadway, A. E. Silvey.  
 Saint James, A. M. Pierce.  
 Saint John, J. S. Jenkins.  
 Saint Luke, A. F. Nunn.  
 Woodlawn, R. B. O. England.  
 Culverton, W. W. Watkins.  
 Dearing, G. C. Knowles.  
 Devereaux, M. K. Pattillo.  
 Gracewood, W. S. Gaines.  
 Grovetown, Arthur Maness; W. C. Davis, junior preacher.  
 Hancock, to be supplied by R. L. Scott.  
 Harlem, A. W. Quillian.  
 Hepzibah, B. H. Trammell.  
 Mayfield, C. A. Hall.  
 Messena, G. T. Shell.  
 Norwood, C. F. Hughes.  
 Sparta, W. S. Robison.  
 Thomson Station, Felton Williams.  
 Thomson Circuit, J. H. Farr.  
 Warrenton, H. C. Emory.  
 Vice President of Payne College, R. L. Campbell.  
 District Commissioner of Education, A. M. Pierce.

#### DALTON DISTRICT.

*S. B. Ledbetter, P. E.*

Adairsville, T. H. Maxwell.  
 Calhoun, C. M. Lipham.  
 Calhoun Circuit, Nelson Hinesley.  
 Cartersville, J. G. Logan.  
 Chatsworth, H. T. Smith.  
 Chickamauga, F. G. Spearman.  
 Dalton: First Church, J. D. Hammond.  
 Hamilton Street, D. A. McBrayer.  
 Emerson, M. J. Smith.  
 Eton, W. R. Kennedy.  
 Fairmount, W. C. Fox.  
 Kingston, A. E. Scott.  
 La Fayette and Rock Springs, J. A. Partridge.  
 Lyerly, to be supplied by N. A. Parson.  
 Ringgold, Lucian Roper.  
 Stilesboro, A. S. Trulock.  
 Subigna, J. B. Gresham.  
 Summerville, H. L. Hendricks.  
 Tilton Circuit, Z. Speer.  
 Trion, J. J. M. Mize.

Tunnel Hill, W. E. Brown.  
Varnell Circuit, Adrian Warwick.  
White, J. A. Griffies.  
District Commissioner of Education, J. G. Logan.

ELBERTON DISTRICT.

*G. F. Venable, P. E.*

Bowman Circuit, J. L. Hall.  
Carnesville, H. M. Strozier.  
Center Circuit, I. J. Lovern.  
Comer, S. L. Hagan.  
Commerce, V. P. Scoville.  
Danielsville, M. A. Franklin.  
Elberton: First Church, S. A. Harris.  
Elbert Circuit, J. W. Stephens; J. D. Turner, Sup.  
Hart Circuit, W. D. Stevenson.  
Hartwell, F. J. Mashburn.  
Homer, L. L. Landrum.  
Lavonia, M. B. Sams.  
Lincolnton, H. O. Green.  
Maysville, J. S. L. Sappington.  
Middleton, W. T. Watkins.  
Royston, T. M. Sullivan.  
South Lincolnton, C. S. Martin.  
Toccoa, J. E. Ellis.  
Toccoa Circuit, G. H. Bailey.  
District Commissioner of Education, S. A. Harris.

GAINESVILLE DISTRICT.

*J. W. Quillian, P. E.*

Belton, T. L. Rutland.  
Bethlehem, J. W. Brinsfield.  
Buford, G. W. Duval.  
Clarksville and Demorest, L. B. Linn; one to be supplied.  
Clayton, A. P. Watkins; one to be supplied.  
Cleveland, Homer L. Thompson.  
Cornelia, J. D. Milton.  
Dacula, J. A. Sprayberry.  
Dahlonega, W. M. Barnett.  
Duluth, J. R. Speer.  
Flowery Branch, S. D. Cherry.  
Gainesville: First Church, G. M. Eakes.  
Saint Paul, O. M. Ponder.  
New Holland, to be supplied by O. P. McDerment.  
Hall Circuit, R. T. Harrison.  
Hoschton, C. M. Verdell.  
Jefferson Station, V. E. Lanford.  
Jefferson Circuit, D. B. Cantrell.  
Loudsville Circuit, to be supplied by J. A. Underwood.  
Lumpkin Circuit, to be supplied by Robert Stewart.  
Monroe Station, H. L. Edmondson.  
Monroe Circuit, W. M. Jones.

Winder, J. H. Mashburn.  
District Commissioner of Education, G. M. Eakes.

GRIFFIN DISTRICT.

*W. L. Pierce, P. E.*

Barnesville, Frank Quillian.  
Culloden and Yatesville, G. W. Tumlin.  
Fayetteville, A. B. Sanders.  
Flovilla Circuit, J. J. Copelan.  
Forsyth Station, Olin King.  
Forsyth Circuit, R. P. Tatum.  
Griffin: First Church, W. P. King.  
Hanleiter, R. P. McElrath.  
Third Church and Kincaid, G. W. Hampton.  
Griffin Circuit, Nath Thompson.  
Hampton, W. O. McMullan.  
Inman, J. S. Hill.  
Jackson, W. R. Foote.  
Jenkinsburg, J. R. Jones.  
Locust Grove, H. L. Bird.  
Milner, C. A. Norton.  
McDonough and Turner's, H. S. Smith.  
The Rock Circuit, L. E. Wright.  
Thomaston, R. M. Dixon.  
Thomaston Circuit, J. R. Turner.  
Zebulon, E. P. Eubanks.  
District Commissioner of Education, W. P. King.

LA GRANGE DISTRICT.

*B. P. Allen, P. E.*

ChIPLEY, A. S. Hutchinson.  
Franklin, J. W. Bailey.  
Glenn Circuit, J. C. Roberson.  
Grantville and Lone Oak, P. A. Kellett.  
Greenville and Trinity, J. T. Eakes.  
Hoganville and Corinth, Irby Henderson.  
La Grange: First Church, W. B. Dillard.  
Saint John, to be supplied by T. E. Fuller.  
Unity, L. W. Neff.  
Manchester, J. F. Roberts.  
Manchester Circuit, W. R. England.  
Moreland and Lutherville, H. H. Jones.  
Mountville, D. S. Patterson.  
Newnan, T. J. Christian.  
Lovejoy Memorial Circuit, J. G. Davis.  
Palmetto Circuit, J. O. Pettis.  
Primrose Circuit, S. A. Bales.  
Senoia, W. A. Maxwell.  
South La Grange Circuit, W. D. Spence.  
Turin Circuit, G. T. Sorrells.  
West Point Station, W. G. Crawley.  
West Point Circuit, B. L. Betts.  
Woodbury Circuit, E. D. Hale; A. M. Sprayberry, Sup.  
District Commissioner of Education, J. O. Pettis.

## MARIETTA DISTRICT.

*J. P. Erwin, P. E.*

Acworth and Kennesaw, S. H. Dimon.  
 Alpharetta, F. R. Smith; J. H. Couch,  
 junior preacher.  
 Ball Ground, Z. V. Hawks.  
 Blairsville, F. C. Owens; J. A. Chandler,  
 junior preacher.  
 Blue Ridge, T. M. Lee.  
 Canton, J. A. Quillian.  
 Cumming, J. W. Gober.  
 Dawsonville, W. B. Mills; C. G. White,  
 junior preacher.  
 Ellijay, J. H. Bailey.  
 Elizabeth, B. F. Pim, Jr.  
 Holbrook, to be supplied by R. I. John-  
 son.  
 Holly Springs, W. E. Purcell; one to be  
 supplied by Odum Clarke.  
 Marietta, R. G. Smith.  
 Marietta Circuit, J. M. Crowe.  
 Powder Springs and Macland, F. E. Jen-  
 kins.  
 Roswell, W. O. Butler.  
 Smyrna, W. J. Culpepper.  
 Tate, Firley Baum.  
 Waleska, A. A. Sullivan.  
 Woodstock, W. W. Gaines.  
 Young Harris, V. L. Bray.  
 Young Harris College: G. L. King, Presi-  
 dent.  
 Reinhardt College: A. T. Hind, Professor.  
 District Commissioner of Education, R.  
 G. Smith.

## OXFORD DISTRICT.

*B. F. Fraser, P. E.*

Baldwin Circuit, A. A. Tilly.  
 Clinton, J. M. Sewell.  
 Conyers Station, L. M. Twiggs.  
 Covington, T. R. Kendall, Jr.  
 Eatonton, S. R. England.  
 East Putnam Circuit, F. D. Cantrell.  
 Gray, J. T. Robins.  
 Lithonia, G. W. Barrett.  
 Mansfield, W. A. Simmons.  
 Midway, F. R. Seaborn.  
 Milledgeville, T. R. Kendall, Sr.  
 Milstead, B. P. Read.  
 Monticello, W. R. Mackay.  
 Monticello Circuit, W. M. Twiggs.

Newborn, W. S. Branham.  
 Newton Circuit, J. W. O. McKibben.  
 Oxford and North Covington, M. S. Wil-  
 liams.  
 Porterdale and Covington Mills, Walter  
 Millican.  
 Salem Circuit, J. S. Strickland.  
 Shady Dale, B. F. Mize.  
 Social Circle and Jersey, K. Read.  
 West Putnam Circuit, J. M. Fowler.  
 Emory College: E. F. Dempsey, Professor.  
 Emory University Academy: A. M. Hugh-  
 lett, Head Master; R. H. Blackshear,  
 Professor.  
 District Commissioner of Education, A.  
 M. Hughlett.

## ROME DISTRICT.

*J. R. King, P. E.*

Aragon, C. L. Middlebrooks.  
 Armuchee, J. H. Hardy.  
 Bowdon and Shiloh, T. M. Elliott.  
 Buchanan and Bremen, J. W. Veatch.  
 Carrollton Station, W. T. Hamby.  
 Carrollton Circuit, C. T. Ivey.  
 Cave Springs, R. F. Elrod.  
 Cedartown Station, W. T. Hunnicutt.  
 Cedartown Circuit, to be supplied by C.  
 K. Henderson.  
 Dallas, G. B. Barton.  
 Draketown, to be supplied by T. J. Owens.  
 Floyd, J. T. Pendley.  
 Lindale, Claude Hendrick.  
 North Rome Circuit, G. L. Chastain.  
 Rockmart, M. D. Cunningham.  
 Rome: First Church, S. E. Wasson.  
 Second Avenue, J. E. Parker.  
 South Broad, L. W. Browder.  
 Trinity, Augustus Ernest.  
 Roopville Circuit, W. A. Wells.  
 Tallapoosa, J. F. Davis.  
 Villa Rica and Wesley Chapel, T. J. Bran-  
 son.  
 Veals Circuit, G. A. Chambers.  
 Waco, to be supplied by J. M. Cook.  
 Whiteburg, L. H. Green; one to be sup-  
 plied by W. S. Cruse.  
 District Commissioner of Education, W.  
 T. Hamby.

*Transferred.*—O. L. Kelley, to the South  
 Georgia Conference; W. F. Melton, to the  
 North Alabama Conference.

## LOUISIANA CONFERENCE.

SEVENTY-FIRST SESSION.

HELD AT BATON ROUGE, LA., NOVEMBER 22-27, 1916.

BISHOP HOSS, *President*; FITZGERALD S. PARKER, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. Burnett Daniel Watson, James Mitchell Boykin, Richard Thomas Ware, Quintin Randolph Henry. 4.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? In the class of the second year, A. L. Harper, A. A. Phillips, Frank B. Hill, Robert W. Smith, Benjamin H. Andrews, John Lafayette Lay; in the class of the first year, Arlington Clifford Searcy, E. G. Wood. 8.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? William Ransom McPherson, James Lambuth Evans, Albert Dean George. 3.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? S. A. Steel, from the Upper South Carolina Conference; C. F. Sheppard, from the West Oklahoma Conference. 2.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? George W. Bolton, a deacon, from the Methodist Episcopal Church; Wesley W. Lantrip, an elder, from the Methodist Protestant Church. 2.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? Alonzo Earl, in elder's orders, from the Congregational Church. 1.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? Thomas Lyle Bryson, W. A. Mangham, William F. Henderson, Jr., W. F. Roberts. 4.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? William Ransom McPherson, James Lambuth Evans, Albert Dean George. 3.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? William Ransom McPherson, James Lambuth Evans, Albert Dean George. 3.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? James Edward Craig, John Granbery Sawyer, Benjamin H. Andrews. 3.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? James Edward Craig. 1.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Charles Edward Fike, James L. Cady, Jason Abraham Alford. 3.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Charles Edward Fike,

James L. Cady, Jason Abraham Alford. 3.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? Frank Brooks Hill. 1.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? Frank Brooks Hill. 1.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? M. C. Holt, C. M. Thompson, W. J. Newsom, H. B. Carré, at their own request; Thomas Carter. 5.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? Felix R. Hill, Patrick H. Fontaine. 2.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? R. S. Isbell, J. F. Wynn, Felix G. Hocutt, J. H. Brown, J. L. P. Sheppard, Houston Armstrong, J. F. Patterson, Thomas S. Randle, R. A. Davis, Frank N. Sweeney, John T. Sawyer, M. G. Jenkins, H. J. Boltz. 13.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? J. A. Parker. 1.

JAMES A. PARKER.—A prince in our Israel was gathered unto his fathers when James A. Parker died. The end came in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Hopkins, of Lafayette, La., on May 19, 1916. Dr. Parker was a native of Alabama. In early life he was engaged in the practice of law, and his legal training was of great value to him. He was converted in youth, and received into the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. He was licensed to preach in 1857, and was admitted on trial into the Alabama Conference at Montgomery, in December, 1860—Bishop Andrew presiding. In his class was Rev. A. D. McVoy, afterwards President of Mansfield College. Thus for nearly sixty years he stood as a "watchman on the walls of Zion," warning men, and exhorting them to repentance and salvation by faith in Christ. In 1861 he enlisted as a private in the Confederate Army, but on account of ill health he was discharged the following year. Recovering his health, he re-enlisted, and was appointed by Bishop Andrew as chaplain to Clayton's Division, which position he filled until the surrender. He also served several pastoral charges before leaving his first Conference. In 1868 and 1869 he was presiding elder of the Pensacola District. In 1870 he was transferred to the Little Rock Conference, and was appointed by Bishop



Keener to Eldorado Circuit. Upon leaving Eldorado Circuit, he served three years as presiding elder of the Camden District; and, following that, he spent two years on Magnolia Circuit. In 1876 he was transferred to the Louisiana Conference, and was stationed at Homer, where he remained four years. For thirty years or more of active ministry in the Louisiana Conference, he served several of its districts and some of its most important charges: Homer District, Alexandria District, Delhi District; Minden, Bastrop, Ruston, Lake Charles, Baton Rouge, and other charges. Upon the close of his pastorate in Benton, in 1910, he was granted the superannuate relation, in which he remained until the end. He was an instructive, forceful preacher. His sermons were clear, luminous expositions of Bible truth, and the earnest spiritual fervor with which they were delivered impressed them upon the consciences of his hearers, and he had many seals to his ministry. Brother Parker was one of our ablest ministers. In the pulpit, among his people, and on the Conference floor, he was an acknowledged leader. The Secretary of our Conference says of him: "He was a strong preacher and a man of remarkably clear vision. His legal training was often evident in his public speech. He excelled as a debater, and few men could present a case on the floor more clearly than he." I was intimately associated with him in the work of the boards and committees of the Conference, of some of which he was often chairman, and he was always courteous and considerate of the rights and opinions of his collaborators. In the discussions, and in dealing with the perplexing problems that sometimes arose, I never heard him say an unkind word, nor utter a harsh criticism, nor saw him do a discourteous thing. Would that more of us were like him in these fine traits of ministerial character! For four years I was his presiding elder, and I looked forward to my visits to his charge with the expectation of learning something that would be helpful to me in my work. My love and respect for him were akin to the feeling of a son toward a father. He died, as he had lived, in the full assurance of faith. His was a long, painful illness; but he never questioned his Father's will, bore his suffering bravely, and was always thoughtfully, tenderly appreciative of the loving ministry of his family. His devotion to his family is beautifully expressed by a daughter, who says: "Only those who

have lived with him in the intimacy of private life know just how pure and good that life was. When semi-delirious, he prayed aloud and preached the most beautiful sermons. At other times, in his delirium, he discussed ways and means for relieving the miseries of the war-sufferers. In a paroxysm of great pain, he said: "All in God's good time—His will, not mine, be done." Just the night before he died, he whispered: "All is well." We who knew and loved him sadly miss his kindly face and commanding figure in our Conference session. And we share in the loss which is the greater sorrow of his devoted companion of many years, and his children. But our loss is his gain, and, in the thought of John on Patmos, we can say, "He rests from his labors, and his works do follow him." The following song, composed by Brother Parker during the last years of his life, was sung at his funeral. It bears eloquent testimony to his love for, and simple faith in, our heavenly Father:

"My day of life will soon be past—  
The sun is going down;  
And when I'm free from earth at last,  
I hope to wear a crown.

*Chorus:*

"Starry crown, glory crown!  
Ordained for saints to wear;  
I'll share those starry crowns in heav-  
en,  
And reign with Jesus there.

"This hope to me by Christ is given,  
Through crucial pain he bore;  
And when I reach that home in heaven,  
A crown he will bestow.

"I'll calmly bear my troubles here,  
With the sweet promise given,  
That he will dry each falling tear,  
And crown my life in heav'n.

"I'll struggle onward up the hill,  
Though foes would press me down;  
I still will do my Father's will,  
To wear a starry crown.

"Though life to me be toil and strife,  
Or riches and renown,  
I'll gladly yield this mortal life,  
To wear a starry crown.

"Then join in praise for victory won,  
With all the heavenly host;  
Praise to the Father and the Son,  
And to the Holy Ghost."

—J. D. Harper.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration. Their names were called and their characters passed one by one. T. V. Peters was dropped from the roll, as he had joined the Methodist Episcopal Church. W. B. Perritt withdrew from the ministry.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Alexandria District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Alexandria .....	2	870
Bon Ami and Carson .....		333
Boyce and Cheyneyville .....		300
Bunkie .....	2	173
Campiti .....	1	234
Colfax and Montgomery .....		131
Columbia .....	1	684
De Ridder .....	1	182
De Ridder Mission .....		115
Elizabeth and Fullerton .....		62
Glenmora and McNairy .....		138
Harrisonburg .....		92
Jena and Jonesville .....		225
Le Compté and Meridian .....		124
Longville .....		153
Melville .....		138
Merryville .....		200
Natchitoches .....		204
Oakdale .....		191
Opelousas .....		181
Pineville .....	1	244
Pollock and Rochelle .....	2	75
Provencal .....		309
Rapides Circuit .....	1	70
Reeves and Oberlin .....	1	64
Selma .....		150
Standard .....		39
Trout and Goodpine .....		120
Woodworth and Longleaf .....		
	12	5,801

*Baton Rouge District.*

Amite .....	1	238
Baker .....		343
Baton Rouge First Church .....		735
Keener Memorial .....	1	187
Franklinton Circuit .....		358
Clinton .....		98
Denham Springs .....		379
Franklinton and Zona .....		277
Greenburg .....	2	418
Gonzales .....		250
Hammond .....	1	196
Jackson and St. Francisville .....	1	304
Kentwood .....	1	186
Pine Grove .....		272
Ponchatoula .....		272
Pride .....		279
Springfield Mission .....	1	289
Tangipahoa .....		150
Wilson .....	1	263
Zachary .....		287
	9	5,781

*Lafayette District.*

Abbeville .....	1	148
Crowley .....		495
Eunice .....		230
Evangeline Mission .....		189
Franklin .....		193

*Lafayette District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Gueydan .....		252
Houma Mission .....	3	319
Indian Bayou .....	1	593
Jennings .....		70
Lafayette .....		239
Lafourche Mission .....	2	97
Lake Arthur .....		207
Lake Charles .....	2	632
Morgan City .....	1	283
New Iberia .....	1	208
Patterson and Jeanerette .....		176
Rayne .....	1	250
St. Martinville .....		
Sulphur and Vinton .....		223
	12	4,804

*Monroe District.*

Bastrop and Collinston .....		252
Bonita .....		307
Brooklyn .....	3	392
Calhoun .....	1	307
Eros .....	1	310
Farmerville .....	1	104
Gilbert .....		136
Lake Providence .....		141
Mangham .....	1	176
Mer Rouge and Oak Ridge .....		323
Monroe .....		697
Oak Grove .....	4	420
Rayville .....	2	165
Sicily Island .....		267
Tallulah .....		84
Waterproof .....		136
West Monroe .....		
Winnsboro .....	1	
	14	4,217

*New Orleans District.*

Bogalusa .....		322
Covington .....		185
Donaldsonville and Vacherie .....		96
McDonoghville .....		122
New Orleans: Algiers .....		338
Carrollton Avenue .....		300
Epworth .....		250
Felicity .....		211
First Church .....	1	568
Louisiana Avenue .....	1	365
Parker Memorial .....	1	319
Rayne Memorial .....	2	423
Second Church .....		222
St. Mark's and Mary Werlein Mission .....		60
St. Mark's (Italian preacher) .....	1	63
Plaquemine and New Roads .....		171
Slidell .....		220
St. Tammany .....		233
	6	4,518

*Ruston District.*

Alberta .....	1	135
Arcadia .....		221
Athens .....		448
Bernice .....		238
Blenville .....		270
Cotton Valley .....	1	280
Dubach .....	1	471
Elmore .....		419
Gibbsland .....	2	470
Haughton .....	2	332
Haynesville .....		339
Homer .....	1	376
Jonesboro .....		219
Minden .....	1	415

*Ruston District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Plain Dealing .....	1	181
Ringgold .....	1	502
Ruston .....	1	632
Sibley .....	1	501
Simsboro .....	1	268
Winnfield .....	1	217
	11	6,934

*Shreveport District.*

Anacoco .....	2	259
Bayou La Chute .....	1	56
Cedar Grove .....	1	225
Coushatta .....	1	316
Grand Cane .....	2	231
Greenwood .....	1	174
Ida .....	1	244
Lake End .....	1	52
Leesville .....	1	352
Logansport .....	3	234
Mansfield .....	1	428
Many .....	1	149
Mooringsport .....	1	181
Noble .....	1	273
Pelican .....	1	286
Pleasant Hill .....	1	202
Shreveport: First Church .....	2	247
Noel Memorial .....	1	337
Texas Avenue .....	4	177
Queensboro .....	1	132
South Mansfield .....	2	277
Vivian .....	1	323
Zwolle .....	1	163
	21	5,365

*Recapitulation.*

Alexandria District .....	12	5,801
Baton Rouge District .....	9	5,781
Lafayette District .....	12	4,804
Monroe District .....	14	4,217
New Orleans District .....	6	4,518
Ruston District .....	11	6,934
Shreveport District .....	21	5,365
Total this year .....	85	37,420
Total last year .....	69	36,690
Increase .....	16	730

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of ministerial Supply and Training. 7 licensed; two names sent in.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 9 candidates; five names sent in.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 949.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,338.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 81.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 2,219.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 343.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 3,026.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 32,674.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$7,000.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$4,508. Distributed to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$5,894; Home and Conference Missions, \$6,568. Total, \$12,462.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$3,251.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$12,813.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$423.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$17,751; preachers in charge, \$119,047.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$1,061.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 406; houses of worship, 357.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$1,419,310; indebtedness, \$63,357.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 145; parsonages, 128.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$272,070; indebtedness, \$21,037.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 7; district parsonages, 6.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$29,000; indebtedness, \$6,050.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 6; amount of damage, \$457.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$650,725; premiums paid, \$4,690; losses sustained, \$457; collections on losses, \$1,023.

Ques. 49. What are the educational sta-

tistics? Centenary College: Value of property, \$130,000; professors, 6; students, 60. Mansfield College: Value of property, \$75,000; professors, 12; students, 147.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 282; Conference organ, 1,697.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? Lay Leader, W. S. Holmes, Baton Rouge, La.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Minden, La.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### ALEXANDRIA DISTRICT.

*Briscoe Carter, P. E.*

Alexandria, W. H. Coleman; F. R. Hill and P. H. Fontaine, Sup's.  
Bon Ami and Carson, S. L. Riggs.  
Boyce and Woodworth, J. W. Faulk.  
Bunkie, J. M. Alford.  
Campiti, E. L. Cargill.  
Colfax and Montgomery, W. S. Henry.  
De Ridder, P. M. Brown.  
De Ridder Mission to be supplied by E. S. Williams.  
Elizabeth, to be supplied.  
Glenmora and McNairy, W. W. Perry.  
Indian Mission, to be supplied.  
Jena, Knolley Memorial, and Jonesville, J. O. Bennett.  
Le Compte and Cheneyville, B. H. Sheppard.  
Longville, J. S. Rutledge.  
Merryville, J. W. Booth.  
Natchitoches, J. W. Lee.  
Oakdale, F. M. Freeman.  
Oberlin and Reeves, J. A. Bonnett.  
Pineville and Meridian, R. V. Fulton.  
Pollock, to be supplied.  
Provencal, to be supplied by G. W. Bolton.  
Standard, E. G. Wood.  
Trout and Goodpine, W. F. Roberts.  
Rapides Circuit, A. A. Phillips.  
Selma and Rochelle, L. E. Crooks.  
State Sunday School Secretary, C. V. Breithaupt.  
Commissioner for Representative Church, Briscoe Carter.

#### BATON ROUGE DISTRICT.

*H. W. Bowman, P. E.*

Amite, Alonzo Early.  
Baker, J. B. Fulton.  
Baton Rouge: First Church, C. A. Battle.  
Keener Memorial, H. W. Cudd.  
Clinton, J. A. Coburn.

Denham Springs, P. S. Carpenter, supply.  
Franklin, J. A. McCormick.  
Franklinton Circuit, to be supplied.  
Gonzales, B. H. Andrews.  
Greensburg, Q. R. Henry.  
Hammond and Natalbany, L. I. McCain.  
Jackson, S. S. Bogan.  
Kentwood, John Sholars.  
Olive Branch, J. L. Cady.  
Pine Grove, B. D. Watson.  
Ponchatoula, J. B. Williams.  
Springfield, to be supplied by H. C. Murphy.  
Wilson, J. L. Evans.  
Zachary, J. J. Kelley.  
Zona, W. R. McPherson.  
Chaplain to the State Penitentiary, H. S. Johns.  
Conference Evangelist, H. T. Young.  
Commissioner for Representative Church, H. W. Bowman.

#### LAFAYETTE DISTRICT.

*H. W. May, P. E.*

Abbeville, J. I. Hoffpauir.  
Crowley, R. W. Tucker.  
Eunice, A. A. Bernard.  
Evangeline Mission, H. B. Thomason.  
Franklin, H. N. Harrison.  
Gueydan, J. H. Hoffpauir.  
Houma Mission, G. A. Morgan.  
Indian Bayou, G. D. Anders.  
Jennings and Westlake, C. F. Staples.  
Lafayette, William Schuhle.  
Lafourche Mission, to be supplied by A. D. Martin.  
Lake Arthur and Bell City, J. D. Nesom.  
Lake Charles, N. E. Joyner.  
Melville, H. B. Vandenberg.  
Morgan City, T. I. Beck.  
New Iberia, H. N. Brown.  
Opelousas, J. D. Harper.  
Patterson and Jeanerette, F. B. Hill.  
Rayne, C. E. Fike.  
St. Martinville, to be supplied.  
Sulphur and Vinton, Louis Hoffpauir.  
French Mission: Martin Hebert, Superintendent.  
Missionary Secretary, N. E. Joyner.  
Commissioner for Representative Church, H. W. May.

#### MONROE DISTRICT.

*A. S. Lutz, P. E.*

Bastrop and Collinston, O. L. Tucker.  
Bonita, A. D. George.  
Brooklyn, to be supplied by S. J. McLean.  
Calhoun, J. L. Lay.  
Columbia, T. J. Warlick.  
Eros, J. F. Waltman.

Farmerville, R. Randle.  
 Lake Providence, C. C. Miller.  
 Mangham, R. H. Banberg; S. W. B. Colvin, junior preacher.  
 Mer Rouge and Oakridge, W. R. Harvell.  
 Monroe, E. K. Means.  
 Oak Grove, W. T. Woodward.  
 Ouachita Mission, to be supplied by W. W. Lantrip.  
 Rayville and Delhi, T. T. Reams.  
 Sicily Island, W. J. Porter.  
 Tallulah and Newellton, D. C. Barr.  
 Waterproof, George Fox.  
 West Monroe, A. S. J. Neill.  
 Winnsboro, S. D. Howard.  
 Commissioner for Representative Church, A. S. Lutz.

## NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT.

W. W. Holmes, P. E.

Angle, Tallisheek Circuit, R. F. Flowers, supply.  
 Bogalusa, A. I. Townsley.  
 Covington, J. M. Boykin.  
 Donaldsonville and Vacharie, P. R. O. Lowrey.  
 McDonoghville, W. A. Mangum.  
 New Orleans: Algiers, C. C. Wier.  
 Carrollton Avenue, A. F. Vaughan.  
 Daisy, to be supplied.  
 Epworth, C. M. Morris.  
 Felicity, R. M. Brown.  
 First Church, S. H. Werlein.  
 Louisiana Avenue, A. J. Gearhard.  
 Parker Memorial, R. H. Harper.  
 Rayne Memorial, to be supplied.  
 Second Church, J. A. Alford.  
 St. Mark's and Mary Werlein Mission, W. E. Thomas.  
 St. Mark's (Italian preacher), G. Romano.  
 Plaquemine and Pointe Coupee, George P. White.  
 Slidell, T. J. Embree.  
 General Secretary of Epworth League, F. S. Parker.  
 Superintendent of Orphan Boys' Home, J. L. Sutton.  
 Professor in Emory University, F. N. Parker.  
 Commissioner for Representative Church, W. W. Holmes.

## RUSTON DISTRICT.

J. M. Henry, P. E.

Alberta and Castor, to be supplied by F. P. Moss.  
 Arcadia, T. H. Morris.  
 Athens, W. D. Kleinschmidt.  
 Bernice, S. D. Roberts.

Bienville, W. F. Henderson, Jr.  
 Cotton Valley, T. J. Holladay.  
 Dubach, G. D. Purcell.  
 Elmore, W. E. Akin.  
 Gibbsland, C. F. Sheppard.  
 Houghton, T. L. Bryson.  
 Haynesville, J. G. Sloan.  
 Homer, W. L. Doss, Jr.  
 Jonesboro, J. M. Brown.  
 Minden, K. W. Dodson.  
 Plain Dealing and Benton, C. B. Powell.  
 Ringgold, to be supplied by J. F. Dring.  
 Ruston, J. G. Snelling.  
 Sibley, A. D. Harper.  
 Simsboro, R. W. Smith.  
 Winnfield, R. S. Walton.  
 Superintendent of Methodist Orphanage, R. W. Vaughan.  
 Commissioner for Representative Church, J. M. Henry.

## SHREVEPORT DISTRICT.

C. D. Atkinson, P. E.

Anacoco and Pickering, to be supplied by C. F. Starnes.  
 Bayou Lachute, J. F. Foster.  
 Belcher, J. C. Price.  
 Bossier City and Wesley, H. W. Jamieson.  
 Cedar Grove and Blanchard, S. J. Davies.  
 Coushatta and Lake End, A. H. Parker.  
 Grand Cane, L. C. Wilson.  
 Greenwood, J. C. Rousseaux.  
 Ida Circuit, A. C. Searcy.  
 Leesville, V. D. Skipper.  
 Logansport and Longstreet, H. B. Perritt.  
 Mansfield, A. G. Shankle.  
 Many and Gandy, J. L. Williams.  
 Mooringsport, W. F. Henderson.  
 Naborton and South Mansfield, F. J. McCoy.  
 Noble, R. T. Ware.  
 Pelican, F. R. Power.  
 Pleasant Hill, T. D. Lipscomb.  
 Queensboro, H. W. Ledbetter.  
 Shreveport: First Church, S. A. Steel.  
 Noel Memorial, W. W. Drake.  
 Texas Avenue, L. M. Hoffpauir.  
 Vivian, B. T. Crews.  
 Zwolle, S. S. Holladay.  
 Centenary College: R. H. Wynn, President; H. T. Carley, Professor.  
 Representative of Washington Church, George Sexton.  
 Superintendent of Louisiana Anti-Saloon League, A. W. Turner.  
 Commissioner for Representative Church, C. D. Atkinson.

*Transferred.*—O. J. Chandler, to the Kentucky Conference; Felix R. Hill, Jr., to the West Texas Conference.



EAST OKLAHOMA CONFERENCE.

SEVENTY-FIRST SESSION.

HELD AT MUSKOGEE, OKLA., NOVEMBER 22-26, 1916.

BISHOP MOUZON, *President*; W. L. BROOME, *Secretary*:

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. William Earnest Rockett. 1.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? J. P. Atkins, C. B. Hollin, J. P. Palmer, N. T. Peak, G. E. Ryan, in class of second year; C. P. Broome, J. P. Butler, M. M. Dunn, in class of first year. 8.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? P. M. Lue Rutz, upon motion of his presiding elder; H. A. Dettmars, withdrawn from ministry and membership of our Church. 2.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? J. Y. Bryce, W. L. French, T. L. Porter, E. H. Wininger, S. J. Checote, J. S. Johnson, J. B. Richie, A. T. Winn, L. P. Law. 9.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? J. L. Brown. 1.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? D. H. Aston, elder, from the North Texas Conference; Frank Seay, elder, from the Texas Conference; New Harris, elder, from the Northwest Texas Conference; Lovick P. Law, on trial in class of second year, from the Columbia Conference; L. C. Lilly, D. A. Williams, and W. M. Crutchfield, elders, from the West Texas Conference; M. Columbus Hamilton, an elder, from the Pacific Conference. 8.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? Thomas R. McKinney, an elder, from the Baptist Church. 1.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? None.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? H. T. Breece, J. C. Crowson, M. M. Dupree, T. J. Gross, T. M. Moore. 5.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Thomas Lucius Porter, Joseph Bertie Richie, Alvin Thomas Winn, Lovick Pierce Law. 4.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Thomas Lucius Porter, Joseph Bertie Richie, Alvin Thomas Winn, Lovick Pierce Law. 4.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? Joe S. Moore. 1.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? John D. Cunningham,

William Edwin Garrison, Robert McKendree, Caleb Hill, Albert Adolphus Puckett, William Alvin Frazier. 6.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? John D. Cunningham, William Edwin Garrison, Robert McKendree, Caleb Hill, Albert Adolphus Puckett, William Alvin Frazier. 6.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? J. M. Ball, at his own request. 1.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? C. W. Clay, P. R. Eaglebarger, W. S. Derrick, N. G. Gregory, S. X. Swimme. 5.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? P. C. Atkins, S. F. Chambers, Gibson Grayson, C. W. Myatt, J. D. Rogers, H. B. Scruggs, J. F. Thompson, J. B. Blackwell, L. W. Cobb, A. K. Miller, W. P. Pipkin, J. M. Russell, Miles Sturgeon, A. N. Averyt, Sr. 14.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? E. A. Jacob. 1.

EASTMAN A. JACOB was born March 25, 1876, near Atoka, Atoka County, Okla. He was a son of Austin Jacob, who was a local preacher. He departed this life October 29, 1916, near Lane, Atoka County, Okla. He left three boys and one girl, the oldest being fifteen years of age. The mother of these children died several years ago. Brother Jacob was converted and joined the Methodist Church on October 18, 1891. He was licensed to preach July 30, 1901; was admitted on trial in the fall of 1910 at Ardmore, Okla., and admitted into full connection two years afterwards. Brother Jacob has traveled on the following circuits: Bennington Circuit, Idabel Circuit, and Bruno Circuit, in the Choctaw District of the East Oklahoma Conference. He has been a faithful and loyal preacher and worker for God and the Church. He was at the Quarterly Conference when he was taken sick and died suddenly.—A. C. Pickens.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? D. A. Gregg surrendered his cre-

dentials under report of immorality. One by one, the characters of all other preachers in the Conference were passed.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### Choctaw District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Antlers Circuit .....	6	160
Boktukla Circuit .....	8	100
Bruno Circuit .....	2	130
Chickasaw Circuit .....	1	160
Hugo and Bennington Circuit....	7	195
Idabel Circuit .....	4	213
Jesse Circuit .....	3	93
Leflore Circuit .....	11	172
McCurtain Circuit .....	5	110
Rufe Circuit .....	6	183
Washita Circuit .....	3	98
	56	1,614

#### Creek District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Broken Arrow Circuit .....	8	164
Euclache Circuit .....	6	82
Honey Creek Circuit .....	8	118
Okmulgee Circuit .....	6	126
Sapulpa Circuit .....	13	125
Seminole Mission .....	11	180
Wewoka Circuit .....	5	99
	57	894

#### Hugo District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Antlers Station .....	1	118
Bennington and Bokchito .....	...	210
Bismarck and Valliant .....	...	191
Boswell and Soper Circuit .....	1	436
Broken Bow .....	...	179
Cameron Circuit .....	...	176
Fort Towson .....	1	135
Garvin Circuit .....	2	150
Grant Circuit .....	...	145
Heavener Station .....	...	197
Howe Circuit .....	...	239
Hugo Station .....	...	363
Hugo Circuit .....	...	250
Idabel .....	...	269
Ida Mission .....	...	122
Kemp Circuit .....	1	110
Poteau Station .....	1	273
Tallihina .....	1	149
Tuskahoma Circuit .....	1	115
Wister and Red Oak .....	...	202
	9	4,029

#### Madill District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Ada: First Church .....	1	561
Asbury Circuit .....	...	160
Aylesworth .....	1	154
Colbert and Calera .....	...	435
Durant: First Church .....	1	602
Grace Church .....	...	139
Holdenville Station .....	2	395
Holdenville Circuit .....	2	200
Kingston and Woodville .....	1	258
Lebanon Circuit .....	2	159
Madill .....	...	257
Mansville and Ravla .....	2	112
Milburn Circuit .....	1	102
Pontotoc Circuit .....	...	84
Roff and Mill Creek .....	...	309
Stonewall and Tupelo .....	3	217
Tishomingo Station .....	...	147

#### Madill District (Continued).

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Vanoss Circuit .....	...	58
Wapanucka, Kenefick, and Coleman .....	...	183
	16	4,532

#### McAlester District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Allen .....	...	294
Ashland Circuit .....	1	102
Atoka .....	4	192
Braden Circuit .....	1	145
Caddo .....	...	280
Calvin Circuit .....	1	141
Canadian Circuit .....	...	210
Caney Circuit .....	5	196
Coalgate .....	...	167
Dustin .....	...	156
Eufaula .....	1	180
Hartshorne .....	...	165
Keota .....	2	199
Kiowa .....	2	132
Lena Circuit .....	1	84
McAlester: Barnett Memorial... ..	1	185
Phillips Memorial .....	...	465
Pittsburg Circuit .....	2	60
Quinton Circuit .....	1	158
Spiro .....	1	232
Stigler .....	3	323
Stuart and Alderson .....	...	145
Wilburton .....	...	108
	26	4,319

#### Muskogee District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Boynton and Morris .....	...	152
Braggs and Gore .....	...	54
Checotah .....	3	281
Fort Gibson .....	...	107
Hanson Circuit .....	...	209
Muldrow .....	...	218
Muskogee Circuit .....	...	727
Muskogee: First Church.....	...	625
St. Paul's .....	1	245
Park Hill and Hulbert .....	3	118
Porum Circuit .....	...	204
Sallisaw .....	2	175
Stilwell Circuit .....	3	259
Tallequah .....	...	120
Tamaha .....	1	161
Vian .....	...	200
Wainwright Circuit .....	1	144
Warner and Webbers Falls.....	...	131
Westville Circuit .....	...	148
Whitfield Circuit .....	1	148
	15	4,278

#### Shawnee District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Asher Circuit .....	2	256
Bearden Circuit .....	...	45
Konowa .....	7	228
Maud .....	...	100
McCloud and Earlsboro .....	...	160
Okema Station .....	1	160
Okema Circuit .....	...	160
Paden Circuit .....	...	107
Seminole .....	1	500
Shawnee: First Church .....	4	225
Shawnee Circuit .....	1	110
Sparks Circuit .....	...	187
Tecumseh .....	...	281
Union Chapel Circuit .....	1	320
Wanette .....	...	198
Weleetka .....	1	160
Wetumka .....	...	265
Wewoka .....	1	265
	19	3,302

*Tulsa District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Baldhill Circuit .....		39
Beggs Station .....	1	261
Bristow .....		192
Broken Arrow .....		170
Coweta .....		84
Depew .....		65
Haskell and Bixby .....	3	223
Henryetta .....	1	240
Henryetta Circuit .....		
Okmulgee .....	1	493
Pasco Mission .....		25
Red Forks and Mounds .....		95
Sapulpa .....		303
Stroud .....		106
Tulsa: Boston Avenue .....	1	866
Tigert Memorial .....	2	281
Dewar and Kusa .....		150
	9	3,593

*Vinita District.*

Adair and Pensacola .....		264
Afton Station .....	1	249
Bernice and Ketchum .....		141
Blue Jacket Circuit .....	1	178
Centralia Circuit .....		132
Chapel Circuit .....	1	100
Chelsea and Alluwe .....		181
Cherokee Circuit .....		
Choteau and Big Cabin .....		
Claremore .....		225
Fairland Circuit .....	1	244
Grove Station .....		181
Inola and Talala .....		108
Jay Circuit .....		99
Kansas Circuit .....	1	101
Locust Grove Circuit .....	3	167
Miami .....		78
Pryor Station .....		266
Spavinaw Circuit .....		
Vinita Station .....		482
Wagoner Station .....		270
Wagoner Circuit .....	2	26
Welch Station .....		198
Welch Circuit .....		193
	10	3,883

*Recapitulation.*

Choctaw District .....	56	1,614
Creek District .....	57	894
Hugo District .....	9	4,029
Madill District .....	16	4,532
McAlester District .....	26	4,319
Muskogee District .....	15	4,278
Shawnee District .....	19	3,302
Tulsa District .....	9	3,593
Vinita District .....	10	3,883
Total this year .....	217	30,444
Total last year .....	220	29,341
Increase .....		1,103
Decrease .....	3	

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? Licensed, 16; names furnished.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? Candidates, 10; names furnished.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 499.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,365.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 124.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 3,928.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 285.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 2,471.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 26,669.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$6,000.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$3,342. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$3,807; Home and Conference Missions, \$7,093. Total, \$10,900.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$2,488.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$1,699.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$242.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$15,559; preachers in charge, \$93,798.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$865.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 406; houses of worship, 277.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$734,917; indebtedness, \$39,778.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 159; parsonages, 135.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$167,787; indebtedness, \$11,798.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 9; district parsonages, 4.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$16,000; indebtedness, \$3,700.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 12; amount of damage, \$1,254.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$454,325; premiums paid, \$2,784; losses sustained, \$1,254; collections on losses, \$696.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? None.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 151; Conference organ, 967.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? W. L. Chapman, Lay Leader.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Durant, Okla.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### CHOCTAW DISTRICT.

*A. C. Pickens, P. E.*

Antlers Circuit, J. B. Tims, supply.  
Boktuklo Circuit, T. J. Cephas, supply.  
Bruno Circuit, James G. Frazier.  
Chickasaw Circuit, A. S. Williams.  
Hugo and Bennington Circuit, Thomas Wade, supply.  
Idabel Circuit, Zadoc Anderson.  
Jessie Circuit, Alexander S. Peter, supply.  
Leflore Circuit, C. B. Wade, supply.  
McCurtain Circuit, Griggs Durant.  
Rufe Circuit, L. N. Ischomer.  
Interpreters, A. S. Williams and James Nelson, supply.

#### CREEK DISTRICT.

*Johnson E. Tiger, P. E.*

Broken Arrow Circuit, C. B. Haikey, supply.  
Euclache Circuit, Sam Cooper, supply.  
Honey Creek Circuit, Sam J. Haynes, supply.  
Okmulgee Circuit, Sam J. Checote.  
Sapulpa Circuit, Nero Tecumseh, supply.  
Seminole Circuit, Conukey Lowe, supply.  
Wewoka Circuit, William Hill.

#### DURANT DISTRICT.

*S. H. Babcock, P. E.*

Ada: First Church, W. M. Crutchfield.  
Asbury and Sasakwa, B. F. Stegall.  
Colbert and Calera, W. A. Lewis.  
Durant: First Church, J. E. McConnell.  
Grace and Aylesworth, J. S. Moore, supply.

Kingston, M. L. Sims.

Konawa, L. M. Daly.

Lebanon Circuit, R. E. Hickman.

Madill, A. P. Johnson; W. S. Derrick and C. W. Clay, Sup's.

Milburn and Mannsville, O. S. Snell.

Pontotoc, Wiley H. Smith.

Ravia Circuit, C. B. Hollin.

Roff, T. S. Stratton.

Stonewall land Tupelo, M. B. McKinney.

Tishomingo, W. E. Garrison.

Wapanucka, J. Y. Bryce.

Woodville and Mill Creek, D. M. Goddie.

Vanoss Circuit, J. L. Roberson, supply.

Professor in Southern Methodist University and Commissioner of Education, Frank Seay.

Conference Evangelists, O. C. Fontaine and S. S. Holcomb.

General Evangelist, M. A. Cassidy.

#### HOLDENVILLE DISTRICT.

*E. T. Campbell, P. E.*

Bearden Circuit, C. F. Dowell, supply.

Bethel Circuit, W. L. French.

Holdenville, D. H. Aston.

Holdenville Circuit, A. T. Winn.

Maud, C. P. Broome.

McLoud and Earlsboro, W. W. Williams.

Okemah, D. A. Dawson.

Okemah Circuit, T. R. McKinney, supply.

Seminole, B. L. Williams.

Shawnee, Charles L. Brooks; S. X. Swimme, Sup.

Sparks and Paden, N. T. Peak.

Tecumseh, J. C. Crowson.

Union Chapel Circuit, W. A. Lowrey, supply.

Wanette and Asher, W. S. Lee.

Weleetka, R. O. Stewart.

Wetumka, E. A. Townsend.

Wewoka, Theo. F. Roberts.

Wewoka Circuit, J. E. Bryan, supply.

Conference Evangelist, T. P. Turner.

#### HUGO DISTRICT.

*R. T. Blackburn, P. E.*

Antlers, H. E. Darrow.

Bennington and Bokchito, A. B. L. Hunkapillar.

Bismarck and Valliant, W. M. Grose.

Boswell and Soper, A. A. Puckett.

Broken Bow, G. M. Byers.

Cameron Circuit, W. E. Rockett.

Fort Towson, T. J. Gross.

Garvin Circuit, J. M. Hively.

Grant Circuit, M. M. Dunn.

Heavener, W. C. House.

Howe Circuit, I. R. Haun.

Hugo, R. C. Alexander.

Hugo Circuit, J. H. Neighbors, supply.  
Idabel, A. S. Cameron.  
Ida Mission, E. R. Large, supply.  
Poteau, A. N. Goforth.  
Talihina, W. R. Rosser.  
Tuskahoma Circuit, W. R. Pipkin, supply.  
Wister and Red Oak, H. R. Morris.  
Conference Evangelists, F. E. Shanks and  
M. C. Hamilton.

#### MCALESTER DISTRICT.

*J. M. Peterson, P. E.*

Allen and Atwood, G. W. Martin.  
Ashland Circuit, J. F. Parsons, supply.  
Atoka, G. W. Griner.  
Braden Circuit, I. H. Miller, supply.  
Caddo, C. A. Clark.  
Calvin and Gertie, M. M. Dupree.  
Canadian Circuit, J. B. Richie.  
Caney Circuit, H. T. Breece.  
Coalgate, L. C. Lilly.  
Dustin and Lamar, G. L. Crow.  
Eufaula, T. F. Brewer.  
Hartshorne, R. M. C. Hill.  
Keota, Orlando Shay.  
Kiowa Circuit, T. O. Shanks.  
Lena Circuit, T. F. Richardson, supply.  
McAlester: Barnett Memorial, Frank Naylor.  
Phillips Memorial, J. A. Parks.  
Quinton Circuit, J. A. Grimes.  
Spiro, L. C. Craig.  
Stigler, J. C. Curry.  
Stuart and Alderson, E. H. Creasy.  
Wilburton, W. T. Ready.  
Agent for Superannuate Home, J. E. Vick.

#### MUSKOGEE DISTRICT.

*R. C. Taylor, P. E.*

Boynton and Morris, J. D. Cunningham.  
Braggs and Gore, C. B. Davis, supply.  
Checotah, W. L. Blackburn.  
Fort Gibson, J. C. Cooper.  
Hanson Circuit, W. M. Trent, supply.  
Muldrow, T. M. Moore.  
Muskogee: First Church, C. B. Cross.  
St. Paul, New Harris.  
Wainwright and Augusta Avenue, W. A. Frazier.  
Muskogee Circuit, W. H. Cartwright, supply.  
Park Hill and Hulbert, J. P. Palmer; A. W. Culver, junior preacher, supply.  
Porum and Fawn, J. P. Atkins.  
Sallisaw, J. A. Kenny.  
Stilwell Circuit, J. W. White.  
Tahama Circuit, E. L. Powell, supply.  
Tahlequah, J. W. Rogers.  
Vian, J. L. Brown.  
Warner and Webbers Falls, M. W. Dunaway.

Westville Circuit, E. H. Wininger.  
Whitefield Circuit, J. D. Clarkson, supply.

#### TULSA DISTRICT.

*J. H. Ball, P. E.*

Bald Hill, W. H. Aston, supply.  
Beggs, O. L. Adams.  
Bristow, W. L. Broome.  
Broken Arrow and Coweta, A. M. Dupree.  
Depew and Shamrock, G. E. Ryan.  
Dewar and Kusa, T. J. Harris, supply.  
Haskell and Bixby, D. A. Williams.  
Henryetta, C. H. Buchanan.  
Henryetta Circuit, A. G. White.  
Okmulgee, J. R. Abernathy.  
Pasco Circuit, T. W. Eastham, supply.  
Red Fork and Mounds, W. F. Hodnett, supply.  
Sapulpa, W. W. Armstrong.  
Stroud, J. R. Hardin.  
Tulsa: Boston Avenue, L. S. Barton.  
Tigert Memorial, H. P. Clarke.  
Mission, to be supplied.  
General Evangelist, Lovick P. Law.

#### VINITA DISTRICT.

*J. M. Cantrell, P. E.*

Adair and Pensacola, T. J. Minnis.  
Afton, A. M. Belcher.  
Blue Jacket and Big Cabin, J. T. Turner.  
Centralia Circuit, T. R. Houghton.  
Chapel and Salina, W. M. Leatherwood, supply.  
Chelsea, J. H. Rogers.  
Cherokee Circuit, A. H. Butler, supply.  
Choteau and Locust Grove, James Lambert.  
Claremore and Alluwe, S. C. Nunley.  
Fairland and Wyandotte, K. K. Anderson.  
Fairland Circuit, Harvey Weston, supply.  
Grove and Bernice, T. L. Porter.  
Grove Circuit, to be supplied.  
Inola and Foyil, J. S. Johnson.  
Kansas and Jay, J. P. Butler.  
Ketchum and Strang, John Hatfield, supply.  
Miami, M. C. Hays.  
Peggs Circuit, J. W. Rinkle, supply.  
Pryor, T. A. Harkins.  
Vinita, N. L. Linebaugh.  
Wagoner, L. B. Ellis.  
Welch, J. C. Fowler.  
Welch Circuit, C. M. Keith.  
Student in Northwestern University, G. E. Holley.  
Conference Evangelist, J. D. Edwards.  
District Missionary, J. P. Butler.

*Transferred.*—U. G. Reynolds and H. B. Chancellor, to the North Arkansas Con-



ference; Luther Roberts, A. N. Averyt, Jr., W. V. Teer, and E. C. Wallace, to the West Texas Conference; J. E. Carpenter, to the Northwest Texas Conference; J. C. Hooks,

to the Baltimore Conference; Jerry C. Jeter, to the New Mexico Conference. Omitted from list of last year, R. E. Stephenson.

## WESTERN NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE.

TWENTY-SEVENTH SESSION.

HELD AT GASTONIA, N. C., NOVEMBER 23-27, 1916.

BISHOP KILGO, *President*; WILLIAM L. SHERRILL, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. H. G. Allen, Guy Hamilton, J. M. Green, T. F. Higgins, T. J. Huggins, E. L. Kirk, S. P. Maulden, B. C. Reavis, W. L. Scott, J. L. Smith, J. C. Neuberger. 11.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? A. S. Abernethy, J. W. Bennett, J. W. Combs, T. V. Crouse, R. L. Forbis, D. V. Howell, C. A. Johnson, M. A. Osborne, T. A. Plyler, W. R. Shelton, O. L. Simpson. 11.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? W. C. Bowden and J. F. Harrelson, at their own request. 2.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? C. M. Carpenter, F. W. Cook, G. W. Fink, O. C. Fortenberry, John H. Green, E. J. Harbison, L. B. Hayes, W. I. Hughes, M. W. Mann, J. W. Vestal, H. M. Wellman. 11. J. I. Hickman, D. H. Rhinehart, J. H. Robertson, and A. H. Whisner remain in this class.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? James P. Hornbuckle. 1.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? J. A. Cook, from the Upper South Carolina Conference; E. K. Creel, from the North Carolina Conference. 2.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? John A. Lesh, an elder, from the Methodist Episcopal Church. 1.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? R. L. Ferguson, R. C. Kirk, J. P. Morris, N. C. Williams. 4. D. W. Brown and T. J. Folger remain in this class.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? F. W. Cook, O. C. Fortenberry, John H. Green, L. B. Hayes, E. J. Harbison, M. W. Mann, Joseph W. Vestal. 7.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? F. W. Cook, O. C. Fortenberry, John H. Green, E. J. Harbison, L. B. Hayes, M. W. Mann, J. W. Vestal. 7.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? J. C. Brown, C. A. Johnson, S. L. Owen. 3.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? J. C. Brown, C. A. Johnson, S. L. Owen. 3.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? F. M. Folger, R. F. Honeycutt, R. F. Mock, D. R. Proffitt, W. M. Smith, E. O. Smithdeal, E. B. Troy, G. W. Williams, J. E. McSwain. 9.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? J. M. Folger, O. C. Fortenberry, R. F. Mock, J. E. McSwain, D. R. Proffitt, W. M. Smith, E. O. Smithdeal, E. B. Troy, G. W. Williams. 9.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? T. L. Noble. 1.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? T. L. Noble. 1.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? W. C. Jones and J. D. Rankin, at their own request. 2.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? R. L. Ferguson, C. M. Gentry, J. P. Lanning, W. L. Nicholson, J. C. Richardson, L. E. Stacy, H. G. Stamey, A. H. Whisner. 8.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? R. S. Abernethy, J. D. Arnold, H. L. Atkins, P. C. Battle, J. J. Brooks, J. D. Buie, W. M. Bagby, S. M. Davis, M. C. Field, T. F. Glenn, J. J. Gray, S. S. Higgins, A. W. Jacobs, R. W. Pickens, D. V. Price, E. G. Pusey, J. P. Reynolds, W. L. Rexford, J. C. Troy, James Willson, J. A. Wiggins, B. A. York. 22.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? Marvin Auld, W. W. Bays, W. M. Biles, G. W. Callahan, T. S. Ellington. 5.

WILLIAM MONROE BILES was born in Stanly County, N. C., July 24, 1871, and died in Canton, N. C., August 5, 1916. He joined the Western North Carolina Conference in 1901 and served the following charges; Southside, Winston, 1901-04;

Spray, 1905; Kernersville, 1906-08; Burkhead, 1909-11; Newton, 1912-15; Canton, 1916. On May 16, 1905, he married Miss Ollie Theresa Allen, of Winston-Salem, who, with six children, survives him. He took advantages offered by the public schools of his native county, spending some time also at Trinity College. Besides, he sat in rapt attention at the feet of Mother Nature and listened to her varied voices rolling up from the raging narrows of the Yadkin River. The call was for a life pouring itself out in constant heroic services, and the soul of W. M. Biles responded. The sterling character of his parents, the fidelity of the citizenship of the community where he was reared, added greatly to the education of his soul. He was born among the common people, and loved them. He knew their prejudices and limitations, and sympathized with them. He knew their language, and used it in telling them how to obtain eternal life. These facts explain his popularity and efficiency as a pastor and preacher. The human note was pronounced in his preaching, and for this reason "the common people heard him gladly." Modesty was one of the dominant traits of his life. He never pushed himself forward nor complained if he thought he had been treated with inconsideration. His criticisms were few and always softened with a spirit of consecration and a smile. A compliment worthily bestowed upon him invariably brought to his face the blush of modesty. He was loyal to his Church and its doctrines. To him the Church was the bride of Christ, and her tenets his voice. His last effort as a preacher was to advance the cause of the Church, for on his desk near an open Bible was a well-prepared sermon from the subject, "The Building of the Church." The subject had been announced in the local paper, and a large congregation was eagerly waiting the time when the Sabbath bell would announce the arrival of the hour for service. The hour came; the bell tolled a solemn requiem; the congregation assembled—assembled to pay last respects to a beloved pastor, for in the meantime he had been promoted and crowned and made a member of the Church Triumphant. Christ was all and in all both in his preaching and in his life, and that consciousness settled every other relation of his life. His preaching was evangelistic, and for this reason his services were sought in protracted meetings. In his preaching he always referred to Christ as "My Lord," an expression

which illustrated the attitude of his soul to Jesus Christ. Measured by any standard, he was not lacking: pure in life, high in his aspirations, unselfish in his service, kind in disposition, charitable to his brethren, careful and painstaking in his plans, dutiful to death in his work. He was a good preacher, a faithful pastor, a loving husband and father, a devoted friend and brother to us all—and we will miss him.—*W. L. Hutchins.*

GEORGE W. CALLAHAN was born in Sweetwater, Tenn., in 1838, and was seventy-seven years of age at the time of his death. He was educated in the schools of his day, and attended Hiwassee College for a season. He was converted while still a youth, and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, within whose communion he remained an ever true, loyal, and faithful member until he went to his heavenly home on December 12, 1915. He felt the call to preach as a young man, and was admitted to the Holston Conference at Marion, Va., in 1857. During the Civil War he was appointed chaplain in the Confederate Army, and served with his regiment in North Carolina and other parts of the field. After the war he served as pastor in various charges in the Holston Conference, including Rheatown, Sweetwater, and Bristol; but in 1880 he transferred to the North Carolina Conference and served in various charges there. When the Western North Carolina Conference was organized in 1890 he continued his membership in it, and served as an itinerant faithfully and well until his superannuation in 1907. In his early ministry he married Miss Annie Summit, of Newton, N. C., with whom he lived happily until her death in 1912. It is not possible for the writer to give the exact roster of his appointments while with us, but he was stationed during his ministry at Greensboro, Morganton, Marion, Hickory, Randleman, Taylorsville, Burkhead (Winston), Granite Falls, and Gastonia. It was from the last-named place that he took the superannuate relation in 1907 and moved to Berkeley, Cal., where he and his good wife lived out the remainder of their days in peace, in the loving care of their son-in-law and daughter, Rev. J. A. B. Fry and Mrs. Fry. Brother Callahan was proud to be one of the "old guard" of the Church, and often with pleasure referred to the fact that he was ordained elder by Bishop Early, for whom he cherished warm personal regard. He was a firm believer in educa-

tion, and many living can give grateful testimony to his kindly encouragement, and even financial aid, to fit them for their life work. Of his long years of consecrated service in the fields we have mentioned, of what use is there to speak? Or who shall be able to tell what he accomplished? Only in the Lamb's Book of Life, in the great assizes of God, shall it be known how, by kindly word, loving sympathy, and faithful preaching, he became the helpful pastor of many weary and hungry souls. Verily of this faithful servant it can be said, "His works do follow him." Though not physically able to preach after going to California, he at once allied himself with all the vital concerns of the Pacific Conference, and soon became known and respected by the entire Conference as though one of its very own. He was a veritable "father in Israel" to the congregation of Epworth Church, Berkeley, with which he held his local affiliations. His general health and mental strength continued very good up to the death of his precious wife, who was, the joy and pride of his manhood and the consolation of his old age, and from the time she died in 1912 he seemed gradually to lose his hold on this world. A cloud passed across his mental vision, and for a long time before he was called home he knew little of life and had no satisfaction or joy in things earthly. There were two children, a son and a daughter. The son preceded his parents to the heavenly world many years, dying in the first blush of his young manhood. The daughter, Mrs. J. A. B. Fry, and one grandchild, Mrs. Donald Metcalf, of Berkeley, Cal., survive him.—C. P. Moore.

MARVIN AULD came from a home where a Methodist preacher wrought and made good in the work of his life. His father, the Rev. Frederick Auld, was a faithful member of the South California Conference from 1857 till his death in 1902. His mother was the daughter of a Methodist preacher, the Rev. J. H. Zimmerman, who was for many years a faithful member of the same Conference. Brother Auld was born in Orangeburg, S. C., May 28, 1880. He had the usual advantages and disadvantages of being an itinerant's son, but made good in the common schools of the State, and was well prepared to enter Wofford College. He spent four years there, and left a record without a shadow upon it. The fact is that he lived such a life on the campus that nobody could find any fault with it.

He graduated in the class of 1901, and at once turned to the great life that awaited him in the ministry of the Church he loved and served so well. He was licensed to preach July 22, 1901; received into the South Carolina Conference on trial at Newberry in December following. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Wilson in December, 1904; and was ordained elder by the same great bishop in December, 1906. Marvin Auld served Laurel Street in Rock Hill; Edgefield, Summerville, Cheraw, and Spring Street in Charleston. His service was acceptable and effective in all these charges. When at Spring Street his health failed, and he was forced to seek a climate favorable to his recovery. He was appointed to Saluda, N. C., where he was serving at the time of his death on October 9, 1916. His many friends were shocked and grieved when they heard of his death. He was devoted to his work and faithful to every detail. He prepared carefully for the pulpit, and his people knew they would not be disappointed when they went to hear him. He was faithful in the proclamation of the truth, and many testify that he was a great help to them in the time of their need. As a pastor he was prompt to respond to any call. He was a man who could be at home with the poor and lowly as well as with the rich and cultured of his congregation. He realized that he had a mission to see the people as well as to preach to them from the pulpit. He bound his people to him by his faithful service and sympathetic approach to their hearts. As a personal friend he was a most worthy man. He was loyal, and valued those who committed themselves to him. He never betrayed any one who trusted him. He was young to die. He had just begun to do his work, and was just getting ready for what seemed a great career. Our hearts are sad as we remember him in his palmy days when youth was so promising. We thank God that we knew him, and the assurance that he has gone home to God compensates in large measure for the sad loss we have suffered in his death. May God comfort and keep in peace the widow and the dear little boy left behind!—R. S. Truesdale.

THOMAS SETTLE ELLINGTON was born February 28, 1845, in Rockingham County, N. C.; was a brave soldier in the Confederate Army, and two years after the war was married to Miss E. C. Blair, of Mecklenburg County, who survives him

and was a true helpmate through all the after years of his useful life. Two children were born to them, a son and a daughter. The daughter died in infancy. The son, Mr. Settle Ellington, and mother live together in Mecklenburg County. Brother Ellington was licensed to preach in 1874, and was a local preacher eight years. In 1879 he was appointed to Charlotte Circuit, where he served three years as a supply. He joined the North Carolina Conference in 1882, at Raleigh. When the Western North Carolina Conference was formed in 1890, he became a member of this Conference. He served the following charges after he joined Conference: 1883, Clear Creek Circuit; 1884-87, Monroe Circuit; 1888, Clear Creek Circuit; 1889, Stanly Creek Circuit; 1890, Rock Spring Circuit; 1894-96, Norwood Circuit; 1897-1900, Uwharrie Circuit; 1901-03, Ramseur Circuit; 1904-06, Bessemer City Circuit; 1906-09, El Bethel Circuit; 1910-12, Cottonville Circuit; 1913-14, Salem Circuit; 1915, Henderson Circuit. At the Conference of 1915, held at Reidsville, N. C., he took the superannuate relation. After a severe and lingering sickness, he died in a hospital in Charlotte on September 16, 1916. His body was buried at Mint Hill. His funeral was conducted by Revs. L. A. Falls, E. L. Bain, J. W. Moore, and A. R. Surratt. His last messages were triumphant in faith. It was well with his soul, and he was ready to go home to God. Brother Ellington gave thirty-six years of his life, in continuous service, to the active ministry. It was a service of high quality. He analyzed the subjects of his sermons and made them clear to the minds of his hearers. He never bungled and confused an idea. He was a philosopher in his conception and presentation of truths. His style was deliberate. He took time and put such clear analysis into his sermons that the listener knew the sermon when it was closed. This made him an instructive preacher. He taught the people knowledge. He was a profound student of the Scriptures and a sound interpreter of their doctrines. He was a benediction to the people he served. His command of Scripture, his settled faith in God, and his Christlike compassion for the people, made him an effective comforter in time of sorrow. He knew what to say to the broken-hearted to revive their hope and rekindle the sinking life. I never knew him to indulge in idle conversation. His nature was serious, but not melancholy.

My personal association with him was full of pleasure and profit. His faith was solid. I am sure that wherever he went the people caught some measure of the stability of his faith and character, and were helped. He was an effective man, and accomplished much good during the years of his ministry. He seldom reported his work through the *Advocate*. His ministry is replete with good done. He built and repaired churches and parsonages where such work was needed. He looked carefully after all the details of the work of his charge. Brother Ellington never complained. If real or apparent hardships came to him, he put his trust in God and kept silent. It may be said of him as of Barnabas: "For he was a good man, and full of the Holy Ghost and of faith; and much people was added unto the Lord." His home life was beautiful. There was a deep mutual devotion between him and his wife. They both had the true itinerant spirit. She was a helper in all of his work. She did what she could and all she could to make his ministry effective. She comforted him in his troubles and nursed him tenderly in his sickness. She is heart-broken over his departure, and we all share with her the sadness of bereavement; but this is a sorrow that heaven will heal. "Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints."—J. C. Rowe.

WILLIAM WEBB BAYS, son of James Jasper Bays and Mary Webb, was born in Russell County, Va., August 25, 1839, and died in Charlotte, N. C., October 9, 1916. His funeral was conducted from our Tryon Street Church, and his remains rest in a vault in Elmwood Cemetery. Nine of Brother Bays' eleven brothers and sisters attained maturity and filled positions of honor. Two of them, Rev. John C. Bays and Rev. H. W. Bays, D.D., are ministers in our Church, the former being a member of the Holston Conference, and the latter of the South Carolina Conference. Young Bays attended school at Elk Garden, Va., and later at Emory and Henry College. While at Elk Garden he was converted under the ministry of Rev. Joseph Hasken. Although he made his definite commitment of himself to God and had a satisfying experience of acceptance, he was never other than pious. Last Easter he said to Dr. H. W. Bays: "I measure my words when I say that I do not know that there was ever a moment in my life when I was without God's favor." Cultured and

consecrated, he entered the Holston Conference on October 19, 1867. His first charge was Independence Circuit. He served successively Wytheville, Va.; Lenoir City, Tenn.; State Street in Bristol, Tenn.-Va.; First Church in Chattanooga; Broad Street in Knoxville; Central in Asheville; and as presiding elder of the Knoxville and the Chattanooga districts. He was pastor at Rome in the North Georgia Conference and at Hot Springs in the Little Rock Conference. In the fall of 1896 Dr. Bays began his pastorate at Tryon Street, Charlotte. He was presiding elder on the Statesville and Salisbury districts. For some years preceding his demise he resided in Charlotte. He preached as opportunity and strength would admit. The quiet influence of his saintly life was felt by the entire city. Dr. Bays served on various Conference boards, on boards of visitors to colleges, responded to many calls to perform platform work on commencement occasions, dedicated churches, delivered addresses, was a member of the General Conference, and contributed many articles and poems to the religious and secular press. Both Hiawassee College, Tenn., and Emory and Henry College, Va., conferred on him the degree of Divinitatis Doctor. Dr. Bays read the masters. He was possessed of a creative intellect, and had his remarkable talents been devoted to letters he would have received recognition in the field of literature. However, the book which he preferred above all others was the Bible, and the passion of his soul the ministry of the Word. He was pre-eminently a preacher. In the days of his prime multitudes came to hear him. His speech was tender, persuasive, picturesque. His imagery at times was sublime, charming the listener. He requisitioned the emotions of the heart—despair and hope and fear and love—to bring the sinner to Christ. His massy figures of sin and condemnation awed and terrified, but he delineated with appealing power the grace of God. In his message at times there was music soft and sweet as the notes of a lute. His preaching engaged the intellect, stirred the heart, challenged the conscience, and moved the will. His themes were the great doctrines. Men's hearts burned while he opened the Scriptures. There were light and love and life in his gospel. Dr. Bays lived a life of prayer. Those of us who were close to him know that he had constant and confiding communion with God. The worshipful tone of

his voice at the family altar on summer mornings and evenings when the windows were open, like a sweet Angelus, caused the passer-by to pause while he prayed. Throughout the years the closest friend and counselor of this tender and intrepid soldier of Christ has been his wife, Harriet Henritze, to whom he was married at Lebanon, Va., September 11, 1866. This happy union lasted fifty years. Two children, Miss Mamie Bays, of Charlotte, and Mr. W. W. Bays, Jr., have responded to the love of the parents with unspeakable affection. The passing of our father in the Church of God was as tranquil as the decline of an October day. There was not the trace of a cloud. The outer man perished, but the inner man was renewed. His gentle lips repeated the precious promises. He understood more clearly than those who ministered to him that the Great Adventure was at hand, and among his last words was this golden sentence spoken to the dear wife: "The Lord said unto my soul, 'Enter into my rest.'" So the dear husband, brother, father, friend, is "absent from the body and present with the Lord," and the "good and faithful servant" has heard his Master's voice and seen his Master's face.—*Edwin L. Bain.*

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their characters were all passed except B. M. Jackson, who was expelled from the ministry and membership of the Church on the charge of immorality.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### *Asheville District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Asheville: Bethel .....	...	274
Central .....	2	1,184
Chestnut Street .....	...	475
Haywood Street .....	1	552
West Asheville .....	...	470
Asheville Circuit .....	...	170
Biltmore and Mount Pleasant... ..	4	334
Black Mountain .....	...	198
Brevard Station .....	...	304
Brevard Circuit .....	...	179
Fairview .....	2	186
Flat Rock and Fletcher.....	...	266
Henderson Circuit .....	1	414
Hendersonville .....	...	505
Hot Springs and Marshall.....	...	103
Leicester .....	2	601
Mars Hill .....	...	267
Mills River .....	2	524
Spring Creek .....	1	368
Sulphur Springs .....	2	680
Swannanoa .....	...	237
Tryon and Saluda .....	...	86



*Asheville District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Walnut .....	1	145
Weaverville Station .....	1	316
Weaverville Circuit .....	4	359
	25	9,197

*Charlotte District.*

Ansonville .....	1	445
Charlotte: Belmont Park .....	1	484
Brevard Street .....	1	397
Calvary .....	1	332
Chadwick .....	1	211
Dilworth .....	1	283
Hawthorne Lane .....	...	237
Seversville .....	1	401
Spencer Memorial .....	...	204
Trinity .....	...	747
Tryon Street .....	2	1,100
Hickory Grove .....	...	281
Lilesville .....	...	513
Marshville .....	...	413
Matthews .....	...	566
Monroe: Central .....	...	685
North Monroe .....	1	187
Morven .....	3	892
Pineville .....	...	360
Polkton .....	...	590
Prospect .....	...	717
Rocky River .....	...	25
Thrift .....	...	190
Unionville .....	1	415
Wadesboro .....	...	508
Waxhaw .....	3	592
Weddington .....	...	430
	17	12,205

*Greensboro District.*

Asheboro .....	...	360
Coleridge .....	1	353
Denton .....	1	314
Deep River .....	...	360
Gibsonville .....	1	171
Greensboro: Centenary .....	...	572
Spring Garden .....	...	355
Walnut Street .....	1	417
West Market Street .....	1	1,244
Greensboro Circuit .....	...	467
High Point: Main Street .....	...	417
Wesley Memorial .....	...	955
East and West .....	...	76
Pleasant Garden .....	...	662
Ramseur and Franklinville .....	...	512
Randleman and Naomi .....	1	457
Randolph .....	1	675
Reidsville .....	1	586
Ruffin .....	1	323
Uwharrie .....	1	570
Wentworth .....	...	750
West Greensboro .....	...	685
	10	11,281

*Morganton District.*

Bald Creek .....	3	368
Broad River .....	...	409
Burnsville .....	1	170
Cliffside .....	1	513
Connelly Springs and Rutherford College .....	6	630
Forest City .....	1	611
Green River .....	3	404
Henrietta Caroleen .....	1	446
Marion Station .....	...	335
Marion Circuit .....	...	377
Marion Mills .....	...	107
McDowell .....	2	555

*Morganton District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Micaville .....	...	200
Morganton Station .....	4	726
Morganton Circuit .....	1	1,048
Old Fort .....	...	459
Rutherfordton .....	...	569
Spruce Pine and Bakersville .....	...	347
Table Rock .....	...	544
Thermal City .....	2	405
	25	9,223

*Mount Airy District.*

Ararat .....	1	415
Danbury .....	4	238
Dobson .....	2	425
Draper .....	...	100
Elkin .....	...	244
Jonesville .....	...	224
Leaksville .....	...	167
Madison and Stoneville .....	...	516
Mount Airy Station .....	1	677
Mount Airy Circuit .....	1	514
Pilot Mountain .....	...	86
Pinnacle .....	...	300
Rural Hall .....	1	800
Spray .....	1	265
Stokesdale .....	1	739
Summerfield .....	1	787
Walnut Cove .....	3	657
Yadkinville .....	1	531
	17	7,685

*North Wilkesboro District.*

Avery .....	...	222
Boone .....	1	388
Creston .....	2	552
Elk Park .....	...	220
Helton .....	4	430
Jefferson .....	3	540
Laurel Springs .....	1	267
North Wilkesboro .....	1	272
North Wilkes Circuit .....	1	162
Sparta .....	1	407
Watauga .....	1	506
Wilkes .....	...	298
Wilkesboro .....	2	152
	17	4,416

*Salisbury District.*

Albemarle: Central .....	1	439
First Street .....	...	355
Albemarle Circuit .....	1	309
Bethel and Love's Chapel .....	...	467
China Grove and Landis .....	...	271
Concord: Central .....	1	308
Epworth and Center .....	...	298
Forest Hill .....	2	463
Westford .....	...	130
West Concord .....	1	195
Concord Circuit .....	...	631
Cottonville .....	1	309
Gold Hill .....	1	500
Kannapolis Station .....	1	443
Kannapolis Circuit .....	2	293
Mount Pleasant .....	...	723
New London .....	...	362
Norwood .....	3	507
Oakboro .....	1	66
Salem .....	1	444
Salisbury: First Church .....	...	801
Park Avenue .....	...	320
South Main Street .....	...	512
Salisbury Circuit .....	...	490

## Salisbury District (Continued).

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Spencer: First Church .....	...	451
East Spencer and North Main. ....	...	232
Woodleaf .....	2	405
	18	10,724

## Shelby District.

Belmont .....	...	201
Belwood .....	3	635
Bessemer City .....	...	377
Cherryville .....	2	546
Crouse .....	...	560
Gastonia: Main Street .....	3	786
Dallas and Ozark .....	...	371
West End and Franklin Ave- nue .....	1	319
King's Mountain and El Bethel. ....	...	519
Lincolnton Station .....	2	437
Lincoln Circuit .....	2	509
Lowell and Bethesda .....	...	326
Lowesville .....	...	705
McAdenville .....	...	197
Mount Holly .....	...	258
Polkville .....	...	789
Rock Springs .....	...	907
Shelby: Central .....	...	635
Shelby Circuit .....	1	603
South Fork .....	1	639
Stanley and Iron Station .....	1	385
	16	10,704

## Statesville District.

Alexander .....	1	577
Catawba .....	...	840
Cool Springs .....	2	627
Davidson .....	...	224
Granite Falls and Hudson .....	1	368
Hickory: First Church .....	...	691
West Hickory .....	...	174
Hickory Circuit .....	1	470
Iredell .....	...	402
Lenoir Station .....	...	485
Lenoir Circuit .....	...	499
Maiden .....	2	737
Moorestville Station .....	...	804
Moorestville Circuit .....	6	1,046
Mount Zion .....	...	709
Newton .....	2	680
North Lenoir Circuit .....	1	598
Rhodhiss .....	1	168
Statesville: Broad Street .....	...	607
Race Street .....	...	425
Statesville Circuit .....	1	582
Stony Point .....	1	687
Troutman .....	3	903
	22	13,303

## Waynesville District.

Andrews .....	...	367
Bethel .....	...	158
Bryson and Whittier .....	2	396
Canton Station .....	...	148
Canton Circuit .....	1	483
Clyde .....	1	360
Fines Creek .....	...	264
Franklin Station .....	...	280
Franklin Circuit .....	1	597
Glenville .....	1	157
Haywood .....	1	338
Hayesville .....	...	516
Highlands .....	2	151
Jonathan .....	3	310
Judson .....	...	159
Macon .....	2	447
Murphy Station .....	1	311

## Waynesville District (Continued).

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Murphy Circuit .....	1	197
Ranger .....	2	206
Robbinsville .....	1	153
Sylva .....	...	342
Waynesville .....	...	467
Webster .....	...	317
	19	7,124

## Winston District.

Advance .....	1	786
Cooleemee .....	...	290
Davidson .....	1	982
Davie .....	...	698
Farmington .....	1	727
Forsyth .....	...	527
Jackson Hill .....	...	620
Kernersville .....	...	402
Lewisville .....	...	733
Lexington .....	...	726
Linwood .....	5	1,141
Mocksville .....	...	233
Thomasville Station .....	2	548
Thomasville Circuit .....	...	677
Walkertown .....	...	338
Winston: Burkhead .....	...	451
Centenary .....	...	985
Grace and Liberty .....	...	387
Salem .....	...	229
Southside .....	1	274
West End .....	...	632
	12	12,386

## Recapitulation.

Asheville District .....	25	9,179
Charlotte District .....	17	12,205
Greensboro District .....	10	11,281
Morganton District .....	25	9,223
Mount Airy District .....	17	7,685
North Wilkesboro District .....	17	4,416
Salisbury District .....	18	10,724
Shelby District .....	16	10,704
Statesville District .....	22	13,303
Waynesville District .....	19	7,124
Winston District .....	12	12,386
Total this year .....	198	108,230
Total last year .....	200	106,301
Increase .....	...	1,929
Decrease .....	2	...

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 5 licensed.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 4 candidates.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,806.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 3,153.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 84.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 2,871.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 850.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 6,424.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 97,812.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$16,000.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$11,679. Distributed to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$26,120; Home and Conference Missions, \$25,187. Total, \$51,307.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$9,584.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$13,667.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$922.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$21,849; preachers in charge, \$202,952.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$2,829.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 911; houses of worship, 864.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$2,706,810; indebtedness, \$192,263.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 243; parsonages, 204.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$509,340; indebtedness, \$33,754.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 11; district parsonages, 10.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$50,200; indebtedness, \$6,515.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 4; amount of damage, \$2,652.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$910,808; pre-

miums paid, \$5,917; losses sustained, \$2,652; collections on losses, \$552.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Trinity College, Durham, N. C.: Value of property, \$985,975.20; endowment, \$1,600,306; pupils, 864. Greensboro College for Women: Value of property, \$236,769.77; endowment, \$101,000; pupils, 245. Davenport College: Value of property, \$91,602; endowment, \$75,000; pupils, 128. Weaverville College: Value of property, \$49,000; pupils, 92. Rutherford College: Value of property, \$25,000; pupils, 120. Jefferson School: Value of property, \$12,000; pupils, 166.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 399; Conference organ, 4,981.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? Lay Leader, Charles H. Ireland, Greensboro, N. C.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Asheville, N. C.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### ASHEVILLE DISTRICT.

*R. G. Tuttle, P. E.*

Asheville: Bethel, J. O. Ervin.

Central, C. W. Byrd.

Chestnut Street, D. Atkins.

Haywood Street, O. P. Ader.

West Asheville, S. T. Barber.

Asheville Circuit, J. H. Lanning, supply.

Biltmore and Mount Pleasant, D. R. Proffitt.

Black Mountain, G. H. Christenberry; R. L. Ferguson, Sup.

Brevard, W. E. Poovey.

Fairview, W. A. Thomas, supply.

Flat Rock and Fletcher, A. Burgess.

Henderson Circuit, John H. Green.

Hendersonville Station, W. F. Womble.

Hot Springs and Marshall, to be supplied.

Leicester, J. E. McSwain.

Mars Hill, J. L. Smith.

Mills River, R. F. Honeycutt.

Rosman, C. A. Johnson.

Spring Creek, J. M. Green.

Sulphur Springs, T. A. Groce.

Swannanoa, L. P. Bogle.

Tryon and Saluda, W. A. Newell.

Walnut, J. O. Banks, supply.

Weaverville Station, E. W. Fox.

Weaverville Circuit, T. J. Huggins.

President of Weaver College, J. R. Walker.

Missionary to Korea, M. B. Stokes.

Missionary to China, R. J. Parker.

## CHARLOTTE DISTRICT.

*T. F. Marr, P. E.*

Ansonville, E. B. Troy.  
 Charlotte: Belmont Park, A. L. Aycock.  
 Brevard Street, T. L. Cordell.  
 Calvary, A. R. Surratt.  
 Chadwick, D. W. Brown; J. A. Baldwin,  
 junior preacher.  
 Dilworth, W. E. Abernethy.  
 Hawthorne Lane, R. D. Sherrill; W. L.  
 Nicholson, Sup.  
 Seversville, W. F. Elliott.  
 Spencer Memorial, C. M. Campbell.  
 Trinity, J. W. Moore.  
 Tryon Street, Z. E. Barnhardt.  
 Lilesville, J. P. Hornbuckle.  
 Marshville, Seymour Taylor.  
 Matthews, J. A. J. Farrington.  
 Monroe: Central, J. E. Abernethy.  
 North Monroe, J. R. Warren, supply.  
 Morven, J. H. West.  
 North Union, R. H. Kennington, supply.  
 Pineville, B. F. Hargett.  
 Polkton, W. B. Davis.  
 Prospect, M. A. Osborne.  
 Thrift, B. F. Fincher.  
 Unionville, G. W. Fink.  
 Wadesville, A. W. Plyler.  
 Waxhaw, M. H. Vestal.  
 Weddington, C. L. McCain.  
 Missionaries to Japan, S. A. Stewart and  
 N. S. Ogburn.  
 Dean of Candler School of Theology, Plato  
 T. Durham.  
 Assistant Editor of *North Carolina Chris-  
 tian Advocate*, W. L. Sherrill.  
 Commissioner for Emory University, L. T.  
 Mann.

## GREENSBORO DISTRICT.

*J. H. Weaver, P. E.*

Asheboro, Ira Erwin.  
 Coleridge, R. L. Melton.  
 Deep River, W. B. Thompson, supply.  
 Gibsonville, J. C. Umberger.  
 Greensboro: Centenary, J. H. Bennett; J.  
 P. Lanning, Sup.  
 Spring Garden, C. S. Kirkpatrick.  
 Walnut Street and Carraway Memorial,  
 A. C. Gibbs.  
 West Greensboro, W. M. Robbins.  
 West Market Street, E. L. Bain.  
 Greensboro Circuit, J. E. Woosley.  
 High Point: Main Street, H. H. Robbins.  
 Wesley Memorial, G. T. Rowe.  
 East and West, W. A. Barber, supply.  
 Pleasant Garden, C. F. Sherrill.  
 Ramseur and Franklinville, H. C. Byrum.  
 Randleman and Naomi, A. R. Bell.  
 Randolph, T. B. Johnson.

Reidsville, J. F. Kirk.  
 Ruffin, W. M. Smith.  
 Uwharrie, J. M. Varner, supply.  
 Wentworth, F. L. Townsend.  
 Greensboro College for Women: S. B. Tur-  
 rentine, President; W. M. Curtis, Treas-  
 urer; Frank Siler, Secretary.  
 Editor of *North Carolina Christian Advo-  
 cate*, H. M. Blair.  
 State Secretary of Sunday Schools, J. W.  
 Long.  
 Missionary to Korea, J. R. Moose.  
 Student in Emory and Henry College, J.  
 E. Womack.  
 Student in University of North Carolina,  
 E. K. Creel.

## MORGANTON DISTRICT.

*Parker Holmes, P. E.*

Bakersville, W. J. Hackney, supply.  
 Bald Creek, John S. Mitchell, supply.  
 Broad River, C. C. Tothrow, supply.  
 Burnsville, M. T. Smathers.  
 Chimney Rock, C. M. Butler, supply.  
 Cliffside, H. L. Powell.  
 Connelley Springs and Rutherford College,  
 B. Wilson.  
 Enola, S. P. Maulden.  
 Forest City, J. A. Bowles.  
 Green River, J. M. Barber, supply.  
 Henrietta and Caroleen, M. B. Clegg.  
 Marion, J. R. Scroggs.  
 Marion Circuit, J. P. Morris.  
 Marion Mills, E. L. Kirk.  
 McDowell, J. A. Fry.  
 Micaville, L. D. Gillespie, supply.  
 Morganton, E. E. Williamson.  
 Morganton Circuit, A. C. Swafford.  
 Old Fort, R. F. Mock.  
 Rutherfordton, T. C. Jordan.  
 Spencer Mills, J. B. Carpenter.  
 Spruce Pine, M. W. Mann.  
 Table Rock, J. B. Tabor.  
 Thermal City, M. W. Heckard, supply.  
 Professor in Rutherford College, W. T.  
 Usry.  
 Student in Trinity College, T. E. Higgins.

## MOUNT AIRY DISTRICT.

*H. C. Sprinkle, P. E.*

Ararat, W. M. Wall, supply.  
 Danbury, C. R. Hutchison, supply.  
 Dobson, T. V. Crouse.  
 Draper, J. M. Folger.  
 Elkin, J. P. Hipps.  
 Jonesville, O. P. Routh.  
 Leaksville, G. C. Brinkman.  
 Madison and Stoneville, R. S. Howie.  
 Mount Airy and Central, G. D. Herman.  
 Mount Airy Circuit, J. W. Bennett.

Pilot Mountain, J. W. Combs.  
Rural Hall, C. R. Allison.  
Spray, J. F. Armstrong.  
Stokesdale, M. T. Steele.  
Summerfield, A. Sherrill.  
Walnut Cove, G. W. Williams.  
Yadkinville, W. M. Boring.

#### NORTH WILKESBORO DISTRICT.

- T. E. Wagg, P. E.

Avery, H. H. Mitchell, supply.  
Blue Ridge, to be supplied.  
Boone, D. P. Waters.  
Elk Park, to be supplied.  
Creston, E. E. Yates.  
Helton, J. I. Hickman.  
Jefferson, T. J. Houck.  
Laurel Springs, R. E. L. Plummer, supply.  
North Wilkes Circuit, R. F. Wellons, supply.  
North Wilkesboro, T. J. Rogers.  
Sparta, A. S. Abernethy.  
Watauga, Guy Hamilton.\*  
Wilkes, W. S. Cherry.  
Wilkesboro, L. B. Hayes.  
Professor and Chaplain in Appalachian Training School, J. M. Downum.  
Missionary to Japan, W. A. Wilson.  
Principal of Jefferson School, W. L. Scott.

#### SALISBURY DISTRICT.

J. C. Rowe, P. E.

Albemarle: Central, J. E. Gay; C. M. Gentry, Sup.  
First Street, W. I. Hughes.  
Albemarle Circuit, H. F. Starr, supply.  
Badin, W. R. Shelton.  
Bethel, J. T. Stover.  
China Grove and Landis, W. S. Hales.  
Concord: Central, M. F. Moores.  
Epworth and Center, A. S. Raper.  
Forest Hill, C. M. Short.  
West Concord, R. K. Brady.  
Westford, S. L. Owen, supply.  
Concord Circuit, P. L. Terrell.  
Cottonville, J. F. Starnes.  
Gold Hill, J. W. Strider.  
Kannapolis Station, P. W. Tucker.  
Kannapolis Circuit, R. L. Forbes.  
Mount Pleasant, G. A. Stamper.  
New London, E. J. Poe.  
Norwood, R. M. Taylor.  
Oakboro and Love's, J. H. Eads.  
Salem, A. L. Coburn, supply.  
Salisbury: First Church, W. A. Lambeth.  
Park Avenue, G. W. Vick.  
South Main Street, J. H. Brendall.  
Salisbury Circuit, R. C. Kirk.  
Spencer, C. M. Pickens.

East Spencer and North Main Street, S. E. Richardson.  
Woodleaf, J. W. Kennedy.  
Conference Evangelist, R. A. Taylor.

#### SHELBY DISTRICT.

J. H. Barnhardt, P. E.

Belmont, A. P. Ratledge.  
Belwood, J. F. Moser; H. G. Stamey and L. E. Stacy, Sup's.  
Bessemer and Concord, W. B. Shinn.  
Cherryville, O. C. Fortenberry.  
Crouse, F. W. Cook.  
Dallas and High Shoals, C. Williams.  
Gastonia: Franklin Avenue and West End, E. P. Stabler.  
Main Street, H. H. Jordan.  
Ozark, O. J. Jones.  
King's Mountain and El Bethel, R. M. Hoyle.  
Lincolnton, Z. Paris.  
Lincoln Circuit, J. P. Davis.  
Lowell and Bethesda, J. H. Robertson.  
Lovesville, J. A. Sharpe.  
McAdenville, L. L. Smith.  
Mount Holly, J. C. Harmon.  
Polkville, N. M. Modlin.  
Rock Spring, W. L. Dawson; James H. Green, junior preacher.  
Shelby: Central, C. A. Wood.  
Shelby Circuit, A. J. Burrus.  
South Fork, T. A. Plyler.  
Stanley and Iron, W. A. Jenkins.  
Secretary of Education, H. H. Jordan.

#### STATESVILLE DISTRICT.

W. R. Ware, P. E.

Alexander, J. J. Edwards.  
Catawba, A. G. Lofton.  
Cool Springs, C. P. Goode.  
Davidson, L. B. Abernethy.  
Granite Falls and Hudson, W. V. Honeycutt.  
Hickory: First Church, A. L. Stanford.  
West Hickory, D. F. Carver.  
Hickory Circuit, Elmer Simpson.  
Iredell, J. C. Mock.  
Lenoir Station, D. M. Litaker.  
Lenoir Circuit, J. C. Postelle.  
Maiden, J. A. Peeler.  
Mooresville Station, L. A. Falls; J. W. Jones, junior preacher.  
Mooresville Circuit, J. T. Ratledge.  
Mount Zion, E. M. Hoyle.  
Newton, W. L. Hutchins.  
North Lenoir, T. J. Folger.  
Rhodhiss, H. M. Wellman.  
South Lenoir and Whitnel, J. W. Hoyle.  
Statesville: Broad Street, L. D. Thompson.  
Race Street, J. W. Williams.



Statesville Circuit, D. H. Rhinehart.  
 Stony Point, E. N. Crowder.  
 Troutman, J. C. Keever.  
 Davenport College: J. B. Craven, President; E. J. Harbison, Professor.  
 Student in Emory University, H. G. Allen.  
 Student in Trinity College, B. C. Reavis.  
 Student in Boston University, O. L. Simpson.

#### WAYNESVILLE DISTRICT.

*J. P. Rodgers, P. E.*

Andrews, W. T. Albright.  
 Bethel, C. E. Steadman.  
 Bryson and Whittier, J. W. Campbell.  
 Canton, J. H. Bradley.  
 Clyde, E. O. Smithdeal.  
 Fines Creek, E. M. Avett.  
 Franklin, R. H. Daugherty.  
 Franklin Circuit, F. O. Dryman, supply.  
 Glenville, T. L. Noble, supply.  
 Hayesville, C. M. Carpenter.  
 Haywood, A. L. Latham.  
 Highlands, D. V. Howell.  
 Judson, E. B. Bell, supply.  
 Jonathan, L. H. Griffith.  
 Macon, D. S. Richardson.  
 Murphy, T. J. Ogburn.  
 Murphy Circuit, P. H. Brittain.  
 Ranger, Gay Bryant, supply.  
 Robbinsville, G. A. B. Holderby.  
 Sylva, J. A. Cook.  
 Waynesville, W. B. West.  
 Webster, J. L. Teague.

Vice President of Southern Assembly, G. H. Crowell.

#### WINSTON DISTRICT.

*H. K. Boyer, P. E.*

Advance, E. Myers.  
 Cooleemee, N. R. Richardson.  
 Davidson, P. L. Shore.  
 Davie, T. S. Coble.  
 Denton, P. E. Parker.  
 Farmington, D. C. Ballard.  
 Forsyth, J. W. Vestal.  
 Hanes and Clemmons, to be supplied.  
 Kernersville, J. M. Price.  
 Louisville, J. G. W. Holloway.  
 Lexington, W. H. Willis.  
 Linwood, J. W. Ingle.  
 Mocksville, E. O. Cole.  
 New Hope, Joseph W. Fitzgerald, supply.  
 Thomasville, W. O. Goode; J. C. Richardson, Sup.  
 Thomasville Circuit, W. F. Sandford.  
 Walkertown, R. E. Hunt.  
 West Davie, W. J. S. Walker, supply.  
 Winston: Burkhead and Liberty, J. E. Thompson.  
 Centenary, E. K. McLarty.  
 Grace, J. S. Hiatt.  
 Salem, to be supplied.  
 Southside, C. C. Williams, supply.  
 West End, R. M. Courtney.  
 Missionary Secretary, W. H. Willis.  
*Transferred.*—R. L. Doggett, to the South Carolina Conference; Z. V. Johnson, to the Virginia Conference.

### SOUTH GEORGIA CONFERENCE.

FIFTIETH SESSION.

HELD AT THOMASVILLE, GA., NOVEMBER 29-DECEMBER 4, 1916.

BISHOP CANDLER, *President*; W. F. SMITH, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. George Franklin Erwin, James W. Sarrett, William F. Burford, Capers Lamar Glenn, Carlos Jones Tyler, Thomas Franklin Waller, Kenneth Holmes McGregor, James Hargrove Wilson, Luther Alonzo Harrell, James O. J. Taylor. 10. (Continued in this class, J. W. Reese and L. T. Rogers.)

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Marvin Vincent, Norman M. Lovein, William W. Hill, Walter S. Anderson, Edward P. Drake, Oscar B. Talley, Esley O. Hearth, Walter W. Meeks, Daniel B. Barnard, Frank H. Sinaeth, W. E. Kenmore, William Huggins, Columbus A. Morrison,

Quincy J. Pinson, elder. 14. (Continued in this class, Irving Llewellyn and F. L. Coleman.)

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? C. S. Bridges, H. W. Tyler, H. G. Shearouse, George P. Padrick, at their own request; and F. H. Sinaeth, without his request. 5.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? W. J. Churchwell, Thomas H. Tinsley, John S. Sharp, Asbury W. Quillian, Jr., William M. Heyward, George M. Acree, William A. Tyson. 7. (Continued in this class, J. L. Jones, M. B. Boykin, G. E. Claw, L. C. Gray, W. C. McGill, L. E. Brady, D. A. Lastinger.)

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? J. W. Bridges, elder, from the Florida Conference; Oscar L. Kelly, elder, from the North Georgia Conference. 2.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? None.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? M. M. Marshall, E. M. Elder, T. O. Lambert, James W. Hitch, C. L. Wall, J. T. Budd, C. M. Infinger. 7. (Continued in this class, C. C. Boland and B. C. Prickett.)

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Walter James Churchwell, Thomas Homer Tinsley, John Smith Sharp, Asbury Wyley Quillian, Jr., William Morrison Heyward, George MacDowell Acree. 6.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Walter J. Churchwell, Thomas H. Tinsley, John S. Sharp, Asbury W. Quillian, Jr., William M. Heyward, George M. Acree. 6.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? George Franklin Erwin, Braswell D. Deen, Samuel F. Hilton, Jefferson Lee Funderburk, Henry Capers Johnson, John Joseph Bracco, James H. Wilson, Frank H. Sinaeth. 8.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? George F. Erwin, Braswell D. Deen, Samuel F. Hilton, Jefferson Lee Funderburk, Henry Capers Johnson, John J. Bracco, James W. Wilson, Frank H. Sinaeth. 8.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Frank J. Jordan, William Mood Mitchum, Johnson Harrison Stanford, James Wimberly Patterson, David Gilbert Mann, James Crockett Saville, Bascom Anthony Pafford, Morris Walter Flanders, Edward Cleveland Dowdy, William Edward Hightower, Clarence Landis Rogers, Moody Booth, Oscar W. Little. 13.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Frank J. Jordan, William M. Mitchum, Johnson H. Stanford, James W. Patterson, David G. Mann, James C. Saville, Bascom A. Pafford, Morris W. Flanders, Edward C. Dowdy, William E. Hightower, Moody Booth, Oscar W. Little, Clarence L. Rogers. 12.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? Q.

L. Whittle and John C. Sirmons, at their own request. 2.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? George C. Thompson, T. B. Kemp, M. B. Boykin, Francis McCullough, A. E. Ward. 5.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? . W. C. Wade, M. A. Phillips, P. H. Crumpler, W. C. Jones, H. P. Myers, D. F. Miles, R. M. Wesley, W. W. Stewart, T. D. Strong, C. C. Hines, J. O. A. Cook, G. H. Martin, G. W. Thomas, J. T. Lowe, R. M. Booth, J. B. McGehee, T. W. Ellis, W. D. MacGregor, J. S. Lewis, J. W. Bridges, E. H. McGehee. 21.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? A. H. Bazemore, H. C. Fentress, J. S. Jordan, W. F. Hixon, C. W. Littlejohn. 5.

ABISHA HUMPHREY BAZEMORE was born to Mr. and Mrs. James A. Bazemore, in Screven County, Ga., December 29, 1844, and died at his home in Tatnall County, Ga., March 22, 1916. He grew up in a happy, peaceful country home, with six brothers and four sisters. Being reared in the lap of piety, he became a Christian early; he gave God his heart and was converted and joined the Methodist Church at old "Buck Creek," in his native county, when quite a boy. But he evidently had in him the elements of the man he afterwards came to be, for he soon had the confidence and love of a wide circle of friends. His early educational advantages were limited, being confined to the country schools of that day; but he used well what he had and wrought splendidly in the building of the character he made. When his State called for men to take up arms in the War between the States, to defend our homes and our rights, he enlisted in the Fifth Georgia Cavalry in 1862 and served his country faithfully throughout that bloody struggle. At about the age of twenty-one years he was married to Miss Sarah J. Waters, of Screven County, Ga. Of this union there came into their home eleven children, five of whom preceded him to the spirit-world. Some of these passed away in infancy, and six of them (two sons and four daughters) are still living. His first wife having passed away, he was married in May, 1901, to Miss Lizzie Malone, of Tatnall County, Ga. After having lived happily for about nine years, this second companion departed this life in October, 1910; and in February, 1911, he was married to Mrs. Belle Jinks, near Butler, Ga. When

a young man he joined the Methodist Episcopal Church, and spent some years in that communion. Feeling called of God to preach the gospel, he commenced his ministry in that Church in 1869, and preached a good deal in Screven and surrounding counties. He also established a church, known as "Wesleyan," near Sylva, Ga. Subsequently he came back into our Church, and into our Conference. He was received into full connection in this Conference in December, 1884; was appointed to Mount Vernon Circuit for the year 1885, also for 1886. In 1887 he served the Reidsville Circuit, and the Altamaha in 1888. In 1889 he was returned to the Reidsville Circuit; and he served the Bryan Circuit in 1890. In 1891, 1892, and 1893 he was on the Homerville Mission. In 1894 and 1895 he served the Irwinville Circuit; in 1896 the McDonald Circuit; the Kirkland Circuit in 1897 and 1898. In 1899 he served the Pearson Circuit; in 1900 the Altamaha Mission; in 1901 the Altamaha Circuit, the mission having been raised to a circuit; and he was on "Mount Zion Old Church" charge in 1902. In 1903 and 1904 he was on the Geneva Circuit; the Marion Circuit in 1905; the Butler Circuit in 1906 and 1907; and the Ideal Circuit in 1908. In 1909 he served the Ashburn Mission, and that winter he was placed on the list of the superannuated, which relation he sustained till the day of his death. About the year 1911 his memory failed and his mind began to give way. His mind became so weak that in conversation he was often very uncertain; but in preaching or leading devotional meetings, we are told, he was clear almost to the end. His last illness was brief, and he passed peacefully to his reward. His funeral was in charge of Rev. J. M. Rustin, and his body was laid to rest in Reidsville, Ga., on March 22, 1916. "Servant of God, well done! Thy glorious warfare's past."

WILLIAM FANNIN HIXON was born in Schley County, Ga., on December 25, 1857, and left this life in Nashville, Ga., on March 12, 1916. He attended the best schools in Schley and Mitchell Counties, and studiously applied himself through all the years of his active ministry. Left fatherless in early life, his widowed mother's influence was supplemented by that of his paternal grandfather, the Rev. Seaborn Hixon, a local Methodist preacher, under whose ministry he was "soundly converted" in early childhood. Worldly

ambition made his call to the ministry in young manhood a terrific struggle—a fact to which he seldom referred, however, in after years. He suffered not himself to "boast" his consecration. He was first married in 1876 to Miss Mosuri Brady, who died in 1878. He then married Miss Adella Gilmore in 1879. She and a daughter, Miss Flora, survive him. Brother Hixon was licensed to exhort by Rev. Samuel Anthony on February 28, 1880; and to preach by Rev. J. M. Austin on August 18, 1882. He entered the South Georgia Conference in December, 1884, at Savannah, and was ordained elder by Bishop Duncan at Eastman, December 16, 1888. His effective service was continuous for thirty years, distributed as follows: Baxley, Florence, Springvale, Blakeley, Tifton, Trinity, Waycross, Wrightsville, Millen, Sylvester, Ashburn, Jesup, Camilla, Guyton, Talbotton, East Side, Macon, Tennille, Rochelle, and Nashville, Ga. He was much pleased with his last Conference appointment. His faith as expressed to his family at Conference seasons was firm in God's direction of assignments to fields of labor. The public ministry of his last day, February 13, 1916, was very significant. His morning theme was "The River of Life," concerning which with powerful appeal he described the heavenly home-coming; and in the evening, although unable to stand without holding to the pulpit, he discoursed upon "The Perfect Man," giving scriptural proof and personal faith in God's oversight of the righteous and their posterity. Thus he ended his earthly labors with his earthly life—"his body with his charge laid down." Those who knew him best marked him as a meek and modest man. And he was "rewarded openly" with the love and confidence of his brethren in the ministry, and also with the unflinching affection of the thousands for whose salvation and upbuilding he labored so faithfully for a full generation. We revere his memory and pray the blessings of God upon his widowed wife and fatherless daughter.—*L. W. Colson.*

HENRY CLAY FENTRESS, son of J. C. and Cyrene Lingo Fentress, was born in Early County, Ga., March 30, 1844. When he was three years old his father moved to Morgan, in Calhoun County, Ga. There he spent his boyhood days. At eighteen years of age he entered the Confederate service at Savannah, Ga., in the year 1862—Company C, Fifth Georgia Regi-

ment. He served to the end of the war, proving to be a brave and true soldier. He was in many of the hard-fought battles in the States of Virginia, Tennessee, Mississippi, and around Atlanta, Ga. At the surrender of the Confederate Army he was paroled at Augusta, Ga.; from there he traveled to Ward Station, now Shellman, Ga.; thence afoot, thirteen miles, to his father's home in Morgan, arriving there at ten o'clock at night. It was during the hard-fought battles of his soldier experience that he vowed to God if he would spare his life to come out of the war he would devote the remainder of his years to his service as a soldier of the cross. How faithfully he kept this pledge is attested by his earnest and loyal service as an itinerant preacher for the period of forty-seven years. He was converted soon after the war. In the winter of 1868, at the annual session of the South Georgia Conference, held in the city of Albany, Ga., he enlisted as an itinerant preacher on trial, and was assigned an appointment as junior preacher on the Florence Circuit, with Rev. S. R. Weaver as his senior, for the year 1869. From that date he was assigned and served the following charges, all in the South Georgia Conference: 1870, Rocky Creek Mission; 1871, Cochran Mission; 1872, Jacksonville Circuit; 1873-74, Oconee Circuit; 1875, Calhoun Mission; 1876, Okmulgee Circuit; 1877, Vienna Circuit; 1878-79, Cusseta Circuit; 1880, Trinity and Asbury Mission; 1881, Cataula Circuit; 1882-83, Cairo Circuit; 1884, Hinesville; 1885-86, Magnolia Circuit; 1887, Cataula Circuit; 1888-89, Springhill Circuit; 1890-91, McRae Circuit; 1892, Swainsboro Circuit; 1893, Rhine Mission; 1894, Chauncey and Rhine; 1895, Douglas; 1896, Baxley; 1897-98, Dexter; 1899, Jacksonville; 1900-02, Hinesville and Taylor's Creek; 1903, Rocky Ford Circuit; 1904, Knoxville Circuit; 1905, Hahira; 1906, Morven; 1907, Alamo Circuit; 1908-09, Arabia Circuit; 1910-11, Pine View Circuit; 1912, Shellman Circuit; 1913, Springvale and Georgetown; 1914, Spread—which was his last year of effective work, superannuating at his own request at the end of that year. As an evidence that this good man was ever prompt and faithful, he missed but one roll call of his Conference, and that was due to a railroad misconnection in schedule. To describe his character and success as a minister of the gospel, we cannot do better than quote Rev. C. C. Hines, who was his Conference classmate and

companion, and survived him to preach his funeral. Brother Hines says of him: "His first work was in Stewart County, where he proved to be diligent in business and fervent in spirit. He was very enterprising in his young, robust manhood. He then preached to some extent in Pulaski and Laurens Counties. About this time Rev. J. Blakely Smith, while pastor of one of our churches in Macon, found young Fentress trying to establish a camp meeting at Buckhorn Creek, in Laurens County. He was preaching to multitudes from day to day all alone. Brother Smith gladly went to his help. A great revival was the result. In 1874 he turned over to Brother Hines the plan of the Montgomery Circuit, embracing the entire county on both sides of the Oconee River and part of Tatnall County, consisting of ten organized churches and some new improvements. In 1882, when he was sent to Cairo charge, he found one country church with four hundred members and the entire charge wrapped in a dead formality. He preached the glorious gospel of salvation from sin by the Holy Spirit, cleansing each heart. Multitudes were converted and received into the Church. In all the long and hard work he never wavered, never thought of locating or changing his life plan, but he pressed on to the end." During the short period of his superannuation—which consisted of only sixteen months—though feeble, he was ever anxious to work, and tried to keep up regular appointments at three churches from twelve to eighteen miles from McRae, his home town. On April 22 of the present year he preached at Shelton's Chapel on Sunday morning from the text, Matthew xxiv. 44: "Be ye also ready, for in such an hour as ye think not the Son of man cometh." Spending that night at the residence of Brother W. F. Brewer's, next morning, as he was in the act of entering the buggy to return home, some young men asked him to explain a passage of Scripture. He drew a pocket Bible and began the explanation, when he was seen to stagger. Being caught by those present, he was tenderly borne into the house, and his family sent for. He remained conscious until they arrived to bid him an affectionate farewell, and about sunrise on the morning of April 24, 1916, he ascended to his Lord. The day after his death his remains were escorted to the Methodist church in McRae, Ga., by his presiding elder and six preachers of the McRae District, acting as pallbear-

ers, and in the presence of a large concourse of his friends and family, Rev. C. C. Hines delivered a fitting eulogy to this "servant of God." His remains were then laid away in the city cemetery, to await the resurrection morn. Brother Fentress was twice married, first to Miss Ascynthia Sessions, of Terrell County, Ga., in the year 1868. She lived with him twenty-six years, and departed this life in 1894. To them were born eight children, two sons and six daughters. All of these live to mourn his going from them. In 1896 he was married the second time, to Miss Sophia McLeod, of Mount Vernon, Ga. This marriage was blessed with a son and two daughters, who also live to love his memory.—*W. D. MacGregor.*

JULIAN SAINT JOHN JORDAN was born in Florence, Ga., April 24, 1843; entered the South Georgia Conference in December, 1869; was married to a daughter of the Rev. Emanuel Heidt, a local minister of the Church for many years in the city of Savannah, on February 11, 1874; was granted a superannuate relation in December, 1914; and on June 28, 1916, after a few days' illness at Hazelhurst, Ga., was translated from the pains and struggles of this life to the city that hath foundations—the home of the good. These are the most significant dates in the life history of one of the saintliest men who has ever moved among us and blessed with his life and service his generation according to the will of God. Good blood ran in his veins. His father was Junius Jordan, of Petersburg, Va., and his mother was Frances Weyman, of Charleston, S. C. His boyhood days were spent in Glennville, Ala., a small village settled by wealthy planters and large slave-owners, and noted as an educational center. It was here that what education he secured from the schools was obtained. In 1849 he moved to Eufaula, Ala., and engaged with his father in mercantile business. When the Civil War came he heard the call of his country and went into the conflict. For several months after leaving his business he worked for an equipment factory. He afterwards joined Kobb's Battery, which was organized in Bartow County, and with that company he served in the Army of Tennessee under Generals Bragg, Joe Johnston, and Hood until the close of the war. And no truer patriot ever responded to his country's call, and no braver soldier ever marched on a campaign or carried a gun in the thickest of

the battle. After the war he returned to his home and joined his father in business at Florence and Georgetown, Ga. In 1869 he heard a more authoritative voice than the call of his country, and entered upon a higher service for mankind than that of war—he yielded to the divine call to the ministry, and from that day when he yielded he never turned back. He conveyed his business affairs to his family, keeping back only a sufficient sum of money to purchase a horse and saddle, and began his career as an itinerant preacher of the gospel of the grace of God which had so graciously and gloriously saved him. He served circuits and stations acceptably—did what the Church told him to do, and did it as best he could. He did not the work of the Lord negligently. He made the Bible the one chief textbook of his life. Other books he read, but here, in the revealed word of his Lord and Master, was the main source of the truths he felt commissioned to proclaim to dying men and women. Revivals attended his ministry and believers were built up under his word in the faith of the gospel. His sermons were practical, but not without finish and force. It has been said that the real test of Christian life and character is the home life of him who professes to be religious. In both type and power the religion professed and lived by Julian S. Jordan will not suffer measured by this test. As a host he was thoughtful, affable, almost ideal, sharing with a glad heart and a willing hand the hospitality at once generous and kind with those who were his guests. As a husband he was considerate, kind, affectionate, tender; as a father, loving, thoughtful, companionable with his children, always governing them and himself by the law of righteousness. His home life, whether as father, husband, pastor, preacher, or friend, was beautiful. Julian S. Jordan was, measured every way, a Christian gentleman. He passed away as he had lived—quietly, and with a smile on his face that revealed the inward peace and the glorious triumph he had won. In the "city that hath foundations"—the home of the good and forever blest—he awaits family and friends, and his coworkers of the Conference with whom he held sweet fellowship for so many years of comradeship and toil.—*W. C. Lovett.*

CHARLES W. LITTLEJOHN.—A man's life cannot be contained between date lines nor



measured by its number of years, for in large measure it is the heart of man that determines the measure of his influence and the power of his life message to his generation. Measured by his devotion to duty, by his unfaltering faith in God and loyalty to all the interests of his kingdom, Charles W. Littlejohn lived a great life, fought the good fight, and won a great victory. He was born in Americus, Ga., on August 9, 1855. His father was the Rev. J. R. Littlejohn, of the South Georgia Conference. His mother, before her marriage, was Miss S. W. Middlebrooks, of Newton County. On September 12, 1883, Brother Littlejohn was happily married to Miss Henrietta Bates, of Columbus, Ga., who had been his friend and playmate since childhood. All the splendid qualities of his great heart shone brightest around the fireside, where love's altar glowed with life's holiest love. Unto this marriage was born one son, Z. B. Littlejohn, now a most promising young business man of Jacksonville, Fla. J. A. Littlejohn, of Cordele, Ga., and Z. A. Littlejohn, of Americus, Ga., are the brothers, and Mrs. J. A. Walters, of Cordele, Mrs. W. T. Hughes, of Statesboro, Mrs. H. C. Sapp, of Newnan, and Mrs. Robert Wynn, of Eastman, are the sisters, who still survive. Brother Littlejohn was moved always by a heroic spirit of service. To see his duty was ever to him God's call to attempt its performance. Feeling therefore that his call to the ministry was clear and definite, though rather late in life, he offered himself to this Conference for itinerant service and was admitted in December, 1892. Never weary of whatever sacrifice may have been required, always rejoicing in the privilege of service, he served most successfully the following appointments: Pavo, Brooks Circuit, Gibson, Willacoochee, Pavor for a return pastorate, Woodbine, Blackshear, Hogan and Claxton, Rochelle, Springfield, Girard, and Hinesville. Then came the struggle with failing health till the battle turned against him, and he fell asleep on October 27, 1916. He was buried in Hogan, Ga., among the people whom he loved and served—a true soldier of the cross. One day the hero's crown and the hero's reward will be his. Brother Littlejohn recognized early in his ministry not only that pastoral work among children was most difficult but also most needed. Surely he had a special ministry to these little ones. Loving them as he did, he was

not long in finding a way to help them. He formed the Children's Prayer League, and before ill health broke his ministry more than two thousand names were enrolled. And at evening time, as he lingered alone with God, he knew that well-nigh two thousand prayers uttered in the simple faith of a child were saying, "God bless Brother Littlejohn." Many were the letters that came to him from these children now grown to men and women, saying: "Through the Prayer League I was led to Christ." These letters made life's sunset radiant with the glow of a cloudless day, and he lay down to sleep like one who dreams of sweetest music.—J. A. Thomas.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? They were called, one by one, and their characters passed.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Americus District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Americus .....	1	1,128
Americus Circuit .....		418
Arlington .....	1	272
Benevolence Circuit .....		176
Blakeley .....		315
Blakeley Circuit .....		317
Bronwood Circuit .....	3	458
Cuthbert .....		338
Dawson .....		570
Edison Circuit .....		431
Ellaville Circuit .....		496
Fort Gaines Circuit .....		301
Leary Circuit .....		150
Leslie Circuit .....		348
Parrott Circuit .....	2	359
Plains Circuit .....	1	391
Sasser Circuit .....		85
Shellman .....		277
Shellman Circuit .....		267
Smithville Circuit .....	1	298
Springvale Circuit .....		258
	9	7,753

*Columbus District.*

Buena Vista .....	1	234
Butler Circuit .....		682
Columbus: St. Luke .....	1	1,100
St. Paul .....		467
Rose Hill .....	2	620
East Highlands .....		324
North Highlands .....		458
St. Mark .....		333
Cusseta Circuit .....	1	366
Geneva Circuit .....		295
Hamilton .....		352
Lumpkin .....		260
Marion Circuit .....		523
Mauk Circuit .....		366
Midland Circuit .....		263
Omaha Circuit .....		196
Reynolds .....	1	341
Richland .....	1	308

*Columbus District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Talbot Circuit .....	1	316
Talbotton .....	1	266
Waverly Hall Circuit .....	1	299
Woodland Circuit .....	...	481
	10	8,850

*Cordele District.*

Arabi .....	1	250
Ashburn .....	1	363
Ashburn Mission .....	...	259
Byromville .....	1	401
Cordele .....	1	729
Elko .....	...	336
Fitzgerald .....	3	753
Hawkinsville .....	1	400
Ideal .....	1	254
Marshallville .....	...	326
Montezuma .....	...	362
Mystic .....	1	331
Oakfield .....	...	164
Ocilla .....	1	321
Oglethorpe .....	...	260
Perry .....	...	445
Pinehurst .....	...	426
Pineview .....	1	261
Rebecca .....	1	204
Rochelle .....	1	485
Seville .....	1	246
Sycamore .....	...	374
Unadilla .....	...	425
Vienna .....	...	411
	15	8,786

*Dublin District.*

Adrian Circuit .....	1	418
Bartow Circuit .....	1	425
Brewton Circuit .....	1	576
Brooklet Circuit .....	...	423
Cochran .....	...	278
Davisboro and New Hope .....	...	259
Dexter Circuit .....	1	325
Dublin .....	2	772
Dublin Circuit .....	...	278
Dudley Circuit .....	2	352
Empire Circuit .....	1	749
Eureka Circuit .....	2	251
Graymont Circuit .....	1	510
Harrison Circuit .....	...	304
Kite Circuit .....	2	432
Louisville .....	...	151
Register Circuit .....	...	142
Rockledge Circuit .....	1	347
Scott Circuit .....	4	365
Statesboro .....	2	318
Stillmore and Metter .....	1	384
Swainsboro .....	...	323
Swainsboro Circuit .....	3	517
Wadley Circuit .....	2	327
Wrightsville .....	2	279
Wrightsville Circuit .....	1	641
	30	10,146

*Macon District.*

Bibb Circuit .....	2	612
Byron Circuit .....	1	371
Fort Valley .....	1	609
Gordon Circuit .....	...	333
Ingleside .....	1	175
Irwinton Circuit .....	1	354
Jefferson Circuit .....	...	250
Jeffersonville Circuit .....	...	463
Knoxville Circuit .....	1	325
Macon: Mulberry Street .....	1	1,204
Vineville .....	3	772
Centenary .....	1	703

*Macon District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Macon: First Street .....	...	565
Second Street .....	4	731
East Macon .....	2	663
Cherokee Heights .....	...	179
Roberta and Hebron .....	1	249
Sandersville .....	3	526
Spread Circuit .....	4	331
St. Clair and Gough .....	...	146
Tennille .....	1	173
Warthen Circuit .....	1	308
Washington Circuit .....	...	440
Wrens Circuit .....	...	690
	28	11,172

*McRae District.*

Abbeville and Rhine .....	...	391
Altamaha .....	...	425
Baxley .....	...	304
Baxley Circuit .....	4	724
Cedar Grove .....	...	500
Chauncey and Benevolence .....	1	248
Claxton .....	...	417
Cobbtown .....	1	279
Denton .....	...	277
Eastman .....	1	308
Glennville .....	...	389
Hagan and Collins .....	1	674
Hazelhurst .....	...	296
Helena and Scotland .....	2	373
Higgston .....	2	372
Jacksonville .....	1	398
Lumber City .....	2	592
Lyons .....	...	386
McRae .....	3	485
Milan and Alamo .....	...	393
Mount Vernon .....	...	615
Reidsville and Shiloh .....	...	545
Surrency .....	...	566
Towns .....	2	489
Uvalda .....	...	417
Vidalia .....	1	283
	21	11,346

*Savannah District.*

Bascom Circuit .....	1	775
Bloomington Circuit .....	1	361
Emerlane Circuit .....	1	84
Garfield Circuit .....	...	400
Girard Circuit .....	...	402
Green's Cut Circuit .....	...	142
Guyton .....	2	396
Lawtonville Circuit .....	...	433
Midville Circuit .....	...	153
Millen .....	...	173
Oliver Circuit .....	...	381
Pembroke Circuit .....	1	319
Rincon Circuit .....	...	246
Rocky Ford Circuit .....	...	302
Savannah: Trinity .....	...	758
Wesley Monumental .....	1	1,043
Grace .....	2	848
Epworth .....	1	520
Asbury Memorial .....	2	243
Thunderbolt and Mission .....	1	85
Springfield Circuit .....	2	725
Sylvania Circuit .....	3	478
Waynesboro .....	1	403
	19	9,680

*Thomasville District.*

Albany .....	1	836
Attapulgus .....	...	249
Baconton and Newton .....	...	145
Bainbridge .....	...	590

Thomasville District (Continued).

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Boston .....	1	390
Bridgeboro .....	1	210
Brinson .....	1	207
Cairo .....	1	511
Cairo Circuit .....	2	471
Camilla .....	1	318
Climax .....	1	484
Cooledge .....	1	454
Colquit .....	1	240
Damascus .....	1	331
Dixie .....	1	330
Donaldsonville .....	1	230
Eldrorendo .....	1	186
Jakin .....	1	315
Meigs and Ochlocknee .....	4	463
Metcalfe .....	1	263
Pavo .....	1	406
Pelham .....	1	276
Pelham Circuit .....	1	359
Sale City .....	5	480
Thomasville .....	2	1,184
Whigham and Calvary .....	1	419
	23	10,397

Valdosta District.

Adel Circuit .....	1	724
Alapaha .....	1	284
Berlin .....	1	465
Doerun Circuit .....	2	465
Eldorado Circuit .....	1	213
Funston Circuit .....	1	318
Hahira .....	1	497
Lake Park Circuit .....	1	310
Milltown Circuit .....	1	275
Morven Circuit .....	1	433
Moultrie .....	1	519
Nashville .....	1	230
Norman Park Circuit .....	1	359
Poulan Circuit .....	1	459
Quitman .....	1	506
Sparks .....	3	246
Statenville Circuit .....	1	250
Sylvester .....	1	243
Tifton .....	1	475
Tifton Circuit .....	1	402
Valdosta .....	1	831
Valdosta Circuit .....	1	266
Willacoochee Circuit .....	1	318
	16	9,088

Waycross District.

Alma .....	3	310
Atkinson .....	1	156
Blackshear .....	2	183
Broxton .....	1	313
Brunswick: First Church .....	1	555
McKendree .....	1	191
Darien .....	1	119
Deenwood Mission .....	1	141
Douglas .....	1	508
Folkston .....	1	264
Glenmore .....	1	211
Granbery .....	1	127
Hinesville .....	1	511
Homerville .....	2	257
Jesup .....	1	245
Ludowici Circuit .....	1	328
Mershon Circuit .....	2	222
Nichols Circuit .....	1	450
Patterson Mission .....	1	188
Pearson Circuit .....	1	465
St. Mary's .....	1	222
Townsend Circuit .....	1	176
Waresboro Circuit .....	1	134
Waycross: First Church .....	1	1,078

Waycross District (Continued).

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Waycross: Trinity .....	3	484
Mission .....	2	189
White Oak Circuit .....	1	198
Woodbine Circuit .....	1	274
	21	8,499

Recapitulation.

Americus District .....	9	7,753
Columbus District .....	10	8,850
Cordele District .....	15	8,786
Dublin District .....	30	10,146
Macon District .....	28	11,172
McRae District .....	21	11,346
Savannah District .....	19	9,680
Thomasville District .....	23	10,397
Valdosta District .....	16	9,088
Waycross District .....	21	8,499
Total this year .....	192	95,717
Total last year .....	222	93,056
Increase .....	30	2,661
Decrease .....	30	....

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? Licensed, 17; all but two have been sent in.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? Candidates, 2; names sent in.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,250.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 3,530.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 143.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 5,331.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 714.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 5,411.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 65,296.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$18,144.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$17,802. Paid to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$28,861; Home and Conference Missions, \$25,600. Total, \$54,461.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$12,530.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$15,762.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$1,007.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$27,020; preachers in charge, \$229,019.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$3,876.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 818; houses of worship, 780.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$2,198,111; indebtedness, \$15,225.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 243; parsonages, 209.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$469,990; indebtedness, \$15,225.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 10; district parsonages, 10.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$27,000; indebtedness, \$2,390.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 3; amount of damage, \$7,410.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$959,035; premiums paid, \$7,246; losses sustained, \$7,410; collections on losses, \$3,040.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Wesleyan Female College: Value of property, \$483,826; endowment, \$136,858.34; professors, 32; pupils, 468. Andrew College: Value of property, \$95,000; professors, 13; pupils, 101. South Georgia College: Value of property, \$93,480; professors, 12; pupils, 154. Warthen College: Value of property, \$45,000; professors, 12; pupils, 218. Sparks Collegiate Institute: Value of property, \$52,000; professors, 11; pupils, 215. Pierce Collegiate Institute: Value of property, \$75,000; professors, 10; pupils, 303.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 272; Conference organ, 5,078.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay

Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? W. B. Stubbs, Lay Leader.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Albany, Ga.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### AMERICUS DISTRICT.

*O. B. Chester, P. E.*

Americus: First Church, Paul W. Ellis.

Lee Street Church, G. M. Acree.

Americus Circuit, J. W. Patterson.

Arlington, B. S. Sentell.

Benevolence Circuit, E. P. Drake.

Blakely, W. E. Arnold.

Blakely Circuit, W. S. Heath.

Bronwood, J. B. Griner.

Cuthbert, W. A. Huckabee.

Dawson, T. B. Stanford.

Edison Circuit, A. G. Brewton.

Ellaville Circuit, G. H. Walker.

Fort Gaines Circuit, Leland Moore.

Leary Circuit, to be supplied by C. B. G. Johnson.

Leslie Circuit, C. E. Cook.

Parrott Circuit, J. E. Summer.

Plains Circuit, J. W. Tinley.

Sasser Circuit, A. W. Quillian, Jr.

Shellman, L. A. Brown.

Shellman Circuit, George F. Erwin.

Springvale Circuit, Marvin Vincent.

Smithville Circuit, Herbert Etheridge.

President of Andrew College, J. W. Malone.

Missionary to Cuba, J. C. Elkin.

#### COLUMBUS DISTRICT.

*J. P. Chatfield, P. E.*

Buena Vista, J. W. Arnold.

Butler Circuit, W. C. McGill.

Columbus: East Highlands, E. E. Gardner.

North Highlands, Hamp Stevens.

Rose Hill, C. G. Earnest.

St. Luke, J. A. Thomas.

St. Mark, J. H. Stanford.

St. Paul, T. H. Thomson.

Cusseta Circuit, J. E. Channell.

Geneva Circuit, J. C. Sayille.

Hamilton Circuit, O. L. Evans.

Lumpkin, W. P. Blevin.

Marion Circuit, J. F. Ford.

Mauk Circuit, M. W. Flanders.

Midland Circuit, J. F. Snell.

Omaha Circuit, C. L. Wall.

Reynolds, W. G. Allaben.

Richland, A. H. Robinson.

Talbot Circuit, K. H. MacGregor.

Talbotton, J. H. Allen.  
Waverly Hall, J. H. Mather.  
Woodland Circuit, H. L. Pearson.  
Missionary to Korea, J. L. Gerdine.  
Conference Secretary of Education, J. P. Chatfield.

CORDELE DISTRICT.

W. F. Smith, P. E.

Abbeville, W. A. Mallory.  
Arabi, J. O. J. Taylor.  
Ashburn, T. E. Davenport.  
Ashburn Mission, Thomas F. Waller.  
Byromville Circuit, Simon A. Hearn.  
Cordele, Walter Anthony.  
Elko Circuit, M. F. Beals.  
Fitzgerald, L. A. Hill.  
Fitzgerald Mission, I. R. Kelley.  
Hawkinsville, J. H. Scruggs.  
Ideal Circuit, N. M. Lovein.  
Marshallville, T. W. Darley.  
Montezuma, Robert Kerr.  
Oakfield Circuit, J. D. Snyder.  
Ocilla, J. H. House.  
Oglethorpe, W. H. Ketchum.  
Perry, H. C. Ewing.  
Pinehurst Circuit, J. A. Sconyers.  
Pineview Circuit, W. E. Hightower.  
Rebecca Circuit, N. H. Olmstead.  
Rochelle, J. M. Foster.  
Seville Circuit, T. O. Lambert.  
Sycamore Circuit, H. C. Brewton; A. F. Ward, Sup.  
Unadilla, J. P. Dell.  
Vienna, W. L. Wright.  
Missionary to Cuba, E. E. Clements.

MACON DISTRICT.

J. M. Glenn, P. E.

Bibb Circuit, R. E. Bailey.  
Byron Circuit, B. F. Lawhern.  
Fort Valley, W. F. Quillian.  
Gordon Circuit, E. A. Sanders.  
Ingleside, J. E. Sampley.  
Irwinton Circuit, C. C. Boland.  
Jefferson Circuit, C. J. Tyler.  
Jeffersonville Circuit, L. E. Brady.  
Knoxville Circuit, F. L. Coleman.  
Macon: Centenary, W. M. Blitch.  
Cherokee Heights, S. C. Oliff.  
East Macon, J. C. Flanders.  
First Street, J. P. Wardlaw; F. McCulloch, Sup.  
Mulberry Street, T. D. Ellis.  
Newberg and City Mission, Capers L. Glenn.  
Second Street, H. M. Morrison.  
Vineville, J. E. Seals.  
Roberta Circuit, W. A. Kenmore.  
Sandersville, W. K. Dennis.

Spread Circuit, J. G. Harrison.  
Tennille, C. M. Meeks.  
Vidette and Keysville Circuit, C. L. Rogers.  
Warthen Circuit, W. M. Heyward.  
Washington Circuit, Robert Rouse.  
Wrens and Mount Moriah, T. A. Moseley.  
Editor of *Wesleyan Christian Advocate*, W. C. Lovett.  
Agent of Orphans' Home, J. A. Smith.  
Wesleyan College: C. R. Jenkins, President; I. E. McKellar, Professor.  
Conference Missionaries, A. J. Moore and W. N. Hill.  
Missionaries to Japan, W. J. Callahan and R. S. Stewart.  
Missionaries to Cuba, H. B. Bardwell and R. L. Whitehead.  
General Evangelist, J. M. Bass.  
Superintendent of Orphans' Home, H. S. Allen.  
Commissioner of Education for Emory University, J. A. Harmon.

McRAE DISTRICT.

L. W. Colson, P. E.

Alamo Circuit, R. M. Allison.  
Altamaha Circuit, Moody Booth.  
Baxley, H. T. Freeman.  
Baxley Circuit and Mission, R. P. Fain; one to be supplied.  
Cedar Grove Circuit, Aaron Kelly.  
Chauncey and Milan, B. F. West.  
Claxton, T. G. Lang.  
Cobbtown Circuit, to be supplied by H. N. Benton.  
Eastman, W. E. Towson.  
Glenville Circuit, T. F. Drake.  
Hagan Circuit, J. T. Budd.  
Hazlehurst, W. A. Brooks.  
Helena and Scotland, Jason Shirah.  
Higgston Circuit, to be supplied by S. W. Snead.  
Jacksonville Circuit, W. S. Anderson.  
Lumber City, C. T. Clark.  
Lyons and Collins, J. W. Weston.  
McRae, E. E. Rose.  
Mount Vernon Circuit, J. N. Hudson.  
Reidsville and Shiloh, J. M. Rustin.  
Rhine Circuit, D. G. Mann.  
Surrency Circuit, B. C. Prickett.  
Uvalda Circuit, D. A. Lastinger.  
Vidalia, M. W. Carmichael.  
West Green Circuit, C. A. Morrison.

SAVANNAH DISTRICT.

J. B. Johnstone, P. E.

Bascom Circuit, F. J. Jordan.  
Bloomingdale Circuit, C. D. Adams.  
Garfield Circuit, C. J. Mallette.  
Girard Circuit, H. J. Graves.



Green's Cut Circuit, to be supplied by J. G. Harden.  
 Guyton, J. J. Ansley.  
 Lawtonville Circuit, J. C. Griner.  
 Midville Circuit, Moses Register.  
 Millen, H. W. Joiner.  
 Oliver Circuit, J. D. McCord.  
 Pembroke Circuit, to be supplied by D. A. Cook.  
 Rincon Circuit, T. I. Nease.  
 Rocky Ford Circuit, W. S. Johnson.  
 Savannah: Asbury Memorial, S. E. Jenkins.  
 Epworth, J. N. Peacock.  
 Grace, H. C. Jones.  
 Wesley Monumental, W. N. Ainsworth.  
 Thunderbolt and Mission, G. E. Clary.  
 Trinity, J. M. Outler.  
 Springfield Circuit, G. R. Partin.  
 Sylvania, J. W. Domingoes.  
 Waynesboro, J. P. McFerrin.  
 Missionary to Cuba, O. K. Hopkins.

## STATESBORO DISTRICT.

*N. H. Williams, P. E.*

Adrian Circuit, M. A. Shaw.  
 Bartow Circuit, E. L. Wainwright.  
 Brewton Circuit, J. W. Reese.  
 Brooklet Circuit, S. W. Brown.  
 Cochran, C. W. Curry.  
 Cochran Circuit, J. N. Sarrett.  
 Davisboro Circuit, R. F. Dennis.  
 Dexter Circuit, O. S. Smith.  
 Dublin, W. H. Budd; G. C. Thompson, Sup.  
 Dublin Circuit, P. T. Holloway.  
 Dudley Circuit, W. C. Culpepper.  
 Empire Circuit, W. J. Churchwell.  
 Eureka Circuit, T. H. Tinsley.  
 Graymont Circuit, E. B. Sutton.  
 Kite Circuit, T. E. Murray.  
 Louisville, M. A. Morgan.  
 Metter Circuit, Silas Johnson.  
 Scott Circuit, C. L. Nease.  
 Soperton Circuit, W. A. Tyson.  
 Statesboro, J. B. Thrasher.  
 Stillmore Circuit, W. F. Burford.  
 Swainsboro, O. L. Kelly.  
 Swainsboro Circuit, G. R. Stephens.  
 Wadley Circuit, J. A. Rountree.  
 Wrightsville, Reese Griffin.  
 Wrightsville Circuit and Mission, E. R. Cowart; one to be supplied.  
 Conference Missionary Secretary, W. H. Budd.  
 Conference Evangelist, C. B. McDaniel.

## THOMASVILLE DISTRICT.

*E. F. Morgan, P. E.*

Albany, Loy Warwick.  
 Attapulgus, J. W. Connors.

Baconton and Newton, T. R. McMichael.  
 Bainbridge, T. M. Christian.  
 Boston Circuit, J. W. Lilley.  
 Bridgeboro Circuit, W. M. Mitchum.  
 Brinson Circuit, F. L. Stokes.  
 Cairo, J. T. Ryder.  
 Cairo Circuit, to be supplied by H. P. Stubbs.  
 Camilla, N. T. Pafford.  
 Climax Circuit, C. W. Jordan.  
 Cooledge Circuit, W. L. Huggins.  
 Colquit Circuit, E. A. Ware.  
 Damascus Circuit, L. C. Gray.  
 Dixie Circuit, I. K. Chambers.  
 Donaldsonville Circuit, T. E. Pharr.  
 Eldorado Circuit, to be supplied by J. L. Funderburk.  
 Jakin Circuit, A. B. Wall.  
 Meigs and Ochlochknee, J. J. Sanders.  
 Melcalf Circuit, C. E. Dell.  
 Pavo, Paul Muse.  
 Pelham, G. W. Hutchinson.  
 Pelham Circuit, to be supplied by J. D. Perry.  
 Sale City Circuit, R. W. Cannon.  
 Thomasville, O. F. Cook.  
 Whigham and Calvary, T. C. Gardner.  
 Foreign Secretary of General Board of Missions, Ed F. Cook.  
 Missionary to Korea, E. W. Anderson.  
 Student in Emory University, I. Llewellyn.

## VALDOSTA DISTRICT.

*Whitley Langston, P. E.*

Adel, W. C. Glenn.  
 Alapaha Circuit, W. G. Pilcher.  
 Berlin Circuit, J. H. Wilson.  
 Doerun Circuit, E. O. Heath.  
 Eldorado, to be supplied by J. F. McTyree.  
 Ellenton, to be supplied by M. J. Barrett.  
 Hahira, C. M. Infinger.  
 Lake Park, D. B. Merritt.  
 Milltown, L. L. Barr.  
 Morven, J. D. Smith.  
 Moultrie, E. M. Overby.  
 Nashville, C. M. Ledbetter.  
 Norman Park, A. P. Segers.  
 Poulan, S. S. Kemp.  
 Quitman, Guyton Fisher.  
 Remerton, L. T. Rogers.  
 Sparks, Artemus Lester.  
 Statenville, L. B. McMichael.  
 Sylvester, J. L. Christian.  
 Tifton, G. W. Mathews.  
 Tifton Circuit, to be supplied by J. W. Hines.  
 Valdosta, Bascom Anthony.  
 Willacoochee, Q. J. Pinson.  
 Sparks Collegiate Institute: A. W. Rees, President; L. A. Harrell, Professor.

Student in Emory University, J. L. Jones.  
Conference Stewardship Secretary, G. W. Mathews.

WAYCROSS DISTRICT.

*I. P. Tyson, P. E.*

Alma Circuit, E. M. Sanders.  
Atkinson Circuit, E. C. Dowdy.  
Blackshear, G. F. Austin.  
Broxton Circuit, J. P. Dickinson.  
Brunswick: First Church, L. J. Ballard.  
McKendree, B. A. Pafford.  
Darien, W. W. Meeks.  
Douglas, B. E. Whittington.  
Folkston Circuit, L. W. Walker.  
Glenmore Circuit, to be supplied by H. C. Griffin.  
Granbery Circuit, to be supplied by M. C. Austin.  
Hinesville Circuit, G. P. Reveire; M. B. Boykin, Sup.  
Homerville Circuit, M. M. Marshall.  
Jesup, J. M. Lovett.

Ludowici Circuit, O. W. Little.  
Mershon Circuit, to be supplied by George R. Smith.  
Nichols Circuit, E. M. Elder.  
Patterson Circuit, to be supplied by C. T. Bickley.  
Pearson Circuit, E. L. Padrick.  
St. Mary's Circuit, J. R. Webb; T. B. Kemp, Sup.  
Townsend Circuit, O. B. Talley.  
Waresboro Circuit, J. E. Sharp.  
Waycross: First Church, C. A. Jackson.  
Trinity, J. C. G. Brooks.  
Deenwood, to be supplied by L. R. Pilcher.  
Mission, D. B. Barnard.  
White Oak Circuit, W. W. Hill.  
Woodbine Circuit, R. F. Owen.  
District Missionary, F. A. Ratcliffe.  
Missionary to Korea, J. W. Hitch.

*Transferred.*—J. Nelson Jones, to the Holston Conference; Walter Millican, to the North Georgia Conference.

SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIRST SESSION.

HELD AT FLORENCE, S. C., NOVEMBER 29-DECEMBER 3, 1916.

BISHOP ATKINS, *President*; E. O. WATSON, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
ANSWER. Cary Thomas Easterling, Jr., and Edwin William Hurst. 2. Paul Kistler Crosby not before the committee for examination, Henry T. Morrison, elder, not approved on examination, and Achille Sassard not before the committee for examination, continue in the class of the first year.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Warren Galloway Ariall, Theodore Elbridge Derrick, Ernest Key Epps, Joseph Singleton Rice, and J. B. Williams. 5. John Edward Cook, deacon, not approved on examination, continues in this class.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? William Grigsby Elwell, Jesse Emerson Ford, Grover Cleveland Gardner, William Olin Henderson, William Roy Phillips, Benjamin Gregg Vaughan. 6.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? J. C. Chandler, Gobe Smith, and B. G. Vaughan, from the Upper South Carolina Conference; W. B. Duncan, Jr., and J. B. Williams, from the Florida Conference. 5.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? S. D. Colyer, recognized orders upon taking vows. 1.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? Bert A. Powell, Robert Reno Tucker, Paul T. Wood. 3.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? William Grigsby Elwell, Jesse Emerson Ford, Grover Cleveland Gardner, William Roy Phillips, B. B. Gregg Vaughan. 5. Millon Murray McLendon, deacon, and Henry William Shealy, not approved in examination, continue in this class.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? William Grigsby Elwell, Jesse Emerson Ford, Grover Cleveland Gardner, William Roy Phillips, B. Gregg Vaughan. 5.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? Henry Jeter Livingstone. 1.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Henry Jeter Livingstone. 1.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are

elected elders? David Norris Busbee, Joseph Benjamin Prosser, David Oscar Spires, George Allen Teasley. 4.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? David Norris Busbee, Joseph Benjamin Prosser, David Oscar Spires, George Allen Teasley. 4.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? William Trapier Goldfinch. 1.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? William Trapier Goldfinch. 1.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? J. C. Chandler, T. B. Owen, H. L. Singleton, W. S. Stokes, J. F. Way, H. W. Whittaker. 6.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? R. W. Barber, W. A. Betts, D. D. Dantzler, A. T. Dunlap, J. H. Moore, A. R. Phillips, R. W. Spigner, S. D. Vaughan, A. C. Walker, G. H. Waddell, G. R. Whittaker, W. W. Williams, J. B. Wilson, J. N. Wright, S. A. Weber. 15.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? W. C. Power and H. B. Browne. 2.

WILLIAM CARR POWER, one of the bravest, truest, ablest, most courteous, most efficient, and most devoted members of the South Carolina Conference, fell on sleep at a ripe old age at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. M. C. Wood, Marion, S. C., on Sunday, February 20, 1916. He was every inch a man in body, mind, and spirit. He was of the stuff that made martyrs in the days when Christianity was young. He was so gifted and balanced in mind that in secular life he would have walked steadily to the high places—as he did in the Church of God. His body was “the mold of form,” straight, symmetrical, strong; and he moved gracefully and easily everywhere. Without a shadow of avarice, he was a master of money, a prince among business men. Without self-assertion, he had to be a ruler, because his vision was so clear, his judgment so unflinching, that he always “knew what Israel ought to do,” what upright men ought to decide. He made friends and “grappled them to his soul with hoops of steel.” He faced opposers without blenching; he stood like a stone wall against evil. He bore suffering with a smile, and held his head aloft in all trials. He knew happiness and sorrow, but in both his peace flowed like a river. As a preacher he served with distinguished ability and fidelity all kinds of

charges in all parts of the State and in much of North Carolina, and God gave him large success. He won souls to Christ, he built up believers, he enlarged boundaries, he paid debts of colleges and churches, he advanced the kingdom of God. When age and feebleness forced relinquishment of work, he never murmured, but held on his way in dignified resignation. When the last enemy—death—called, he was ready; and he passed through the struggle unconquered, and ascended to his Lord and his God! Doctor Power was born in Abbeville District (now County), South Carolina, March 31, 1831. He attended the home and Cokesbury Conference schools, but he was a learner all his life, and Wofford College honored herself and us when she gave him the degree of Doctor of Divinity. He planned to be a lawyer. God called him to the ministry of the word of life. He entered the South Carolina Conference in December, 1857, and on circuits, stations, districts, in college agency, and as chaplain in the Confederate Army, he was spent to the full for Christ and his fellow-man. Superannuated in 1906, he still kept alive his love of God and mankind. For many years he was the efficient Secretary of the Conference. His services on boards and committees and such like were numerous and most valuable. As a preacher he was able and earnest. As an administrator he had few equals. The seals to his ministry were a great number—many of whom were on the other side, to join in his welcome to heaven. On March 20, 1867, he married Mrs. Martha Louise McEachern, a daughter of General William Evans, of Marion, S. C. Eight children were the fruit of this union, six of whom, with the mother, are the chief mourners for the departed. But their loss and sorrow are shared by a great many. The comfort is that a long life was nobly spent. A prince and a great man has fallen in Israel, and a redeemed soul has entered into his everlasting reward.—*John O. Willson.*

HENRY BASCOM BROWNE was born in Anderson County, S. C., on July 20, 1852, and died in Kingstree, S. C., March 7, 1916. On his maternal side he was a descendant of Tristram Coffin, who came from England to America in 1642, and settled on Nantucket Island, Mass. From him sprang the American branch of Coffins, a family that has long been noted for its men and women of prominence and sterling worth. In 1775 Abraham Coffin,

a lineal descendant of Tristram Coffin, was born. He, with his family, moved to South Carolina in 1814. He finally located in the Fork section of Anderson County, near old South Chapel church. In the graveyard adjoining he and his wife have been sleeping for more than half a century. Ldia Lewis, one of Abraham Coffin's daughters, was married to Jeremiah McPherson Browne, December 20, 1832. To them were born several children, the youngest being Henry Bascom, the subject of this memoir. The Browne family in America began with Robert Browne, who came from Dumfries, Scotland, in 1660, and settled in Anne Arundel County, Maryland. Robert Browne, a descendant and the great-grandfather of our lamented brother, moved to South Carolina in 1784 and settled in Anderson County. To him was born a son, Elijah; and to Elijah Browne was born Jeremiah McPherson Browne, the father of him whom we honor to-day. Brother Browne was justly proud of his ancestry, and took a deep interest in all that appertained to his family history. The writer well remembers his interesting recital of his experiences while on a visit to Nantucket Island some twelve or fourteen years ago. Among other things, he told of his having preached in the church whose pulpit one of his ancestors, several generations removed, had filled. Brother Browne was blessed in his parentage. Both father and mother possessed those qualities that made them a tower of strength in the home and in the church and community. Best of all, they loved and served God. In the atmosphere of their Christian home our brother grew up. While he always loved and honored his father, his reverence for and devotion to his mother were among the most positive and beautiful traits of his character. Being the youngest child, he was a "mother-boy," and his young life was largely spent in companionship with her to whom he owed so much. He joined the Church under the ministry of Rev. Thomas G. Herbert, of sainted memory, at Ebenezer Church, when nine years old. Eight years later, at the same church, he was soundly converted to God. He received his primary and high-school training at Ebenezer Academy, in Anderson County, under Professors William Hamilton and C. C. Reed. His study of the higher branches was under Professor McCartha, in Columbia, S. C. After completing the Conference course of study he took a partial course in theology in the Chau-

tauqua School of Theology, and also pursued for a time the studies prescribed in its literary and scientific departments. But it is doubtful whether any training that he ever received did more for him, in a purely intellectual way, than that which he got in the printing offices—first of his uncle, the Rev. Sidi H. Browne, editor and publisher of *The Christian Neighbor*, and later of Rev. R. C. Oliver, publisher of *The Orphan's Friend*. On these papers he worked for several years as a typesetter and foreman. He was not a college-bred man, but by diligent application he in time became a man of wide information, as all his brethren know. He was twice married. His first marriage was to Miss Mollie M. Moody, of Columbia, S. C. From this marriage there are two sons, Dr. Claude S. and Marvin Capers. His second marriage was to Mrs. Maria B. Chase, of Florence, S. C. She still lives, and is now a resident of Florence. Brother Browne received his local preacher's license from the Spartanburg Quarterly Conference on March 25, 1876, Henry M. Mood being presiding elder, and John A. Porter preacher in charge. At the Fourth Quarterly Conference of this year he was recommended for admission on trial into the traveling connection. At the Annual Conference of 1876, held in Chester, S. C., he was admitted on trial in class with R. H. Jones, Erwin G. Price, Allison B. Lee, Thomas E. Gilbert, Joseph F. Mozingo, Le Grand G. Walker, Armand C. Le Gette, and William P. Meadors. In 1878, at Newberry, S. C., he was ordained deacon by Bishop Wightman. In 1881, at the Conference in Union, S. C., he was ordained elder by Bishop Pierce. The following will show the charges served by him during his forty years of faithful ministerial life: Sampit Circuit and Mission, 1877; Fork Shoals Circuit, 1878-81; Greenville Circuit, 1882-83; Belmont Circuit, 1884-85; Cumberland Station, Charleston, 1886-89; Florence Station, 1890-93; Walhalla and Seneca, 1894; Rock Hill Station, 1895-96; St. Paul's Station, Greenville, 1897-98; Orangeburg District, 1899-1902; Sumter District, 1903-06; Columbia District, 1907; Allendale Station, 1908-09; Camden Station, 1910-13; Kingstree District, 1914-16. It is doubtful if there has labored among us a busier man, or one more devoted to the ministry which he received of the Lord Jesus, than was he. He was rarely unemployed, and never triflingly employed. When not preparing his ser-

mons or engaged in reading, study, and pastoral work, he found useful employment about the home. And here his rare mechanical skill came into use. He could and did bind books, make tables, bookshelves, chairs, suitcases, and the like; and they were no botches, but were beautifully finished. The parsonages where he lived were always in better condition than he found them. He always took an active part in the work of the Annual Conferences. He served on boards and committees with very great efficiency. Indeed, the Conference never assigned him a task that he did not perform to the best of his ability. It was characteristic of him that he was never satisfied to render a superficial or perfunctory service. He believed in going to the bottom of things—that what was worth doing at all was worth doing well. To measure up to this standard often required a vast outlay of hard work, but this he gave unstintingly. One work that stands as a monument to his untiring zeal is that which he did for the Conference Historical Society, of which he was president for the nineteen years immediately preceding his death. Much valuable material that will serve the future historian would have been lost to South Carolina Methodism but for his ceaseless efforts in gathering and his painstaking care in storing in the Conference archives. According to the common acceptance of the term, he was not a great preacher, but he was better than that. He was a faithful dispenser of the word of life. He carried well-beaten oil into the pulpit, and delivered his message with an earnestness and a directness that carried conviction to the hearts of his hearers. He did not seek a reputation for eloquence; his ambition was to be an effective preacher, and thus win souls to Christ. Many, who sat under his ministry and received at his hands that wise, gentle, and sympathetic pastoral care for which he was noted, will rise “in that day” and call him blessed. But much as may be said of and for his work as preacher in charge, it was in the presiding elder’s work that he particularly excelled. He knew men, and in the bishop’s cabinet was ever a wise and helpful assistant in the making of appointments. He was a born organizer and an indefatigable worker. No district that he served failed to show marked progress by reason of his skillful management. To him belongs the honor of being the first presiding eld-

er in the South Carolina Conference who was able to report at Conference all salaries and all other assessments upon his district paid in full. His affectionate regard for the preachers of his district and their families was fully reciprocated. It has not been the writer’s privilege to know any presiding elder who possessed to a greater degree the confidence and love of his preachers, their wives and children. There are in this presence brethren who can testify to his faithfulness to them and to the work committed to his hands. I have reserved as a conclusion some remarks with regard to my friend and brother’s last days—days when the earth was receding and the light from the Eternal City began to break upon his vision. When he realized, two or more years ago, that disease which might prove fatal had seized upon him, he began to examine afresh the foundations upon which rested his faith and hope. He soon found—blessed be God!—that his trust was not in vain. A letter from him dated May 28, 1914, contains the following: “I am under the doctor’s imperative orders, in bed, on limited diet, with slim chance for a much longer lease of life. Am trusting, and O, Beaty, I didn’t know this inflowing stream of sweetest peace was so great. One thing, I love you. Now put your arms about me and love me to the end. My devoted preachers will care for my work.” After a season of rest he was able to resume his work, and reported at the following Conference in Sumter, apparently much improved in health. He labored through the following year (1915), but went to the Charleston Conference manifestly worse. Conference adjourning, we parted, he to go to his fourth year’s work on Kingstree District, and I to my duties in Nashville. Our parting was very sad. For years we had been Conference chums. Our love for each other had grown stronger with the passing years. As we said what proved to be our last good-by, his eyes filled with tears when he tremblingly remarked: “Beaty, I shall not be with you much longer.” A card from him, dated January 24, 1916, stated that he was not able to give me the visit he had promised; that he was detained in the infirmary at Florence and was under Dr. McLeod’s treatment. But said he: “If I don’t get there, you’ll know where to find me. God bless my old friends and bring them to live with me in my Father’s house!” His last letter to me was writ-



ten with pencil as he lay in his bed. It read: "O, Beaty, do you know I have thought, while on this bed to-day, 'tis not very far from here to the streets of gold? I don't know all that may be there, but my blessed Saviour is there—he that saves us all—yes, that saves me. Come on, and meet me over there, Beaty, and tell all the boys of the Conference to come. All my dear preachers—the noblest and truest of men—I want them all to meet me on the shining shore. An itinerant journey of forty years—thank God even for the thorns and brambles and briars." Then, after naming certain of his brethren whom he wished to officiate at his funeral service in case he should die, he said: "Leave me under the violets by the side of my Mollie darling." In a little more than a week, on March 7, 1916, the telegraph wires flashed the news that the weary itinerant, the affectionate husband and father, and our true and trusted colaborer, had gone to be with God! After appropriate funeral services, conducted in the auditorium where we are now assembled, his body was laid to rest in Mount Hope Cemetery, by the side of her who had shared with him for so many years the joys and sorrows of itinerant life. Upon the beautiful stone that marks the spot where he is buried are these words: "Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth; yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors, and their works do follow them."

"Soldier of Christ, well done!

Praise be thy new employ;

And while eternal ages run

Rest in thy Saviour's joy."

—L. F. Beaty.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? The names of all the preachers were called one by one in open Conference, and the character of each examined and passed.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Charleston District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Allendale .....	...	234
Appleton .....	...	300
Beaufort .....	...	151
Bethel Circuit .....	1	316
Bethel Station .....	...	687
Black Swamp .....	...	182

*Charleston District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Bluffton .....	...	166
Charleston: Hampstead Square .....	1	463
Spring Street .....	1	463
Trinity .....	1	455
Young's Island .....	...	243
Cottageville .....	...	490
Cypress .....	3	437
Ehrhardt .....	1	316
Estill .....	1	150
Furman .....	...	246
Hampton .....	...	319
Hendersonville .....	...	110
Lodge .....	...	320
Ridgeland .....	...	224
Ridgeville .....	1	595
Summerville .....	...	136
Walterboro .....	...	216
Wando Mission .....	...	79
	10	7,125

*Florence District.*

Bennettsville .....	1	526
Bennettsville Circuit .....	...	344
Bethlehem .....	...	612
Brightsville .....	...	585
Cheraw .....	2	296
Chesterfield .....	1	655
Darlington: Trinity .....	...	325
Epworth .....	...	209
Darlington Circuit .....	1	773
East Chesterfield .....	...	520
Florence .....	1	951
Hartsville .....	1	440
Jefferson .....	...	350
Lamar .....	...	807
Liberty .....	1	148
Marlboro .....	2	648
McBee .....	1	664
McColl .....	...	345
Middendorf .....	1	365
Pageland .....	...	421
Pamplico .....	2	330
Timmons ville .....	...	...
Timmons ville and Pisgah .....	1	357
Timmons ville Circuit .....	...	308
West End .....	1	30
	16	11,009

*Kingstree District.*

Andrews .....	...	529
Cades .....	...	552
Cordesville .....	...	210
Georgetown: Duncan Memorial .....	1	353
West End .....	1	162
Greeleyville .....	1	373
Hemingway .....	1	697
Johnsonville .....	...	389
Jordan .....	1	487
Kingstree .....	1	308
Lake City .....	1	308
McClellanville .....	1	142
Pinopolis .....	...	318
Rome .....	2	374
Salters .....	1	352
Sampit .....	...	249
Scranton .....	...	315
Summerton .....	...	330
Turbeville .....	1	697
	12	7,145

*Marion District.*

Aynor .....	1	227
Blenheim .....	...	568
Brownsville .....	...	370
Bucksville .....	1	348
Centenary .....	...	300

## Marion District (Continued).

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Clio .....	1	420
Conway .....	2	330
Conway Circuit .....	...	386
Dillon .....	1	403
Floydale .....	3	498
Floyd's .....	...	162
Gallivant's .....	...	396
Latta .....	...	354
Little Pee Dee .....	...	494
Little River .....	...	220
Little Rock .....	...	258
Loris .....	1	390
Marion .....	...	734
Marion Circuit .....	...	406
Mullins .....	2	612
Mullins Circuit .....	1	623
Waccamaw .....	1	357
	14	8,676

## Orangeburg District.

Bamberg and Mills .....	401
Barnwell .....	348
Branchville .....	482
Camerson .....	410
Denmark .....	1 319
Edisto .....	330
Eutawville .....	210
Grover .....	390
Harleyville .....	622
North and Limestone .....	392
Norway .....	1 533
Olar .....	291
Orange .....	617
Orangeburg; St. Paul's .....	1,123
Orangeburg Circuit .....	581
Prospect and Jamison .....	120
Providence .....	804
Rowesville .....	1 383
Smoaks .....	1 673
Springfield .....	333
St. George .....	1 509
	5 9,871

## Sumter District.

Bethune .....	350
Bishopville .....	440
Camden .....	304
Camden Circuit .....	436
College Place .....	94
Elloree .....	328
Fort Motte .....	408
Heath Springs .....	405
Kershaw .....	1 350
Lynchburg .....	578
Manning .....	495
Oswego .....	318
Pinewood .....	462
Providence .....	175
Richland .....	330
St. John's and Rembert's .....	514
St. Matthew's .....	424
Sumter; Trinity .....	1 950
Broad Street .....	1 225
Sumter Circuit .....	...
Wateree .....	157
	3 7,743

## Recapitulation.

Charleston District .....	10	7,125
Florence District .....	16	11,009
Kingstree District .....	12	7,145
Marion District .....	14	8,676

## Recapitulation (Continued).

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Orangeburg District .....	5	9,871
Sumter District .....	3	7,743
Total this year .....	60	51,569
Total last year .....	41	51,209
Increase .....	19	360

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? Licensed, 10; yes.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 10; not all.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,521.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 2,820.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 45.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 1,800.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 407.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 3,518.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 41,657.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$7,998.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$6,163. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$16,022; Home and Conference Missions, \$18,102. Total, \$34,124.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$5,860.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$9,402.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$330.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$15,026; preachers in charge, \$131,885.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$1,694.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by

them? Societies, 428; houses of worship, 413.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$1,427,960; indebtedness, \$149,126.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 130; parsonages, 120.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$323,295; indebtedness, \$29,052.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 6; district parsonages, 6.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$42,500; indebtedness, \$8,775.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 2; amount of damage, \$6,964.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$721,370; premiums paid, \$3,605; losses sustained, \$6,964; collections on losses, \$6,464.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Wofford College: Value of property, \$402,550; endowment, \$204,988; professors, 17; pupils, 383. Columbia College: Value of property, \$242,000; endowment, \$11,000; professors, 20; pupils, 235. Lander College: Value of property, \$174,450; endowment, \$8,200; professors, 22; pupils, 247. Carlisle School: Value of property, \$85,000; endowment, \$5,000; professors, 11; pupils, 129. Cokesbury Conference School: Value of property, \$6,000; endowment, \$1,000; professors, 2; pupils, 42. Textile Industrial Institute: Value of property, \$85,000; professors, 4; pupils, 103. Horry Industrial School: Value of property, \$20,000; professors, 4; pupils, 132.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 302; Conference organ, 2,902.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? T. H. Tatum, Lay Leader.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Bishopville, S. C.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

# CHARLESTON DISTRICT.

G. E. Edwards, P. E.

Asbury Circuit, Paul K. Crosby.  
Allendale, B. G. Murphy.  
Appleton, J. R. Sojourner.  
Beaufort, J. P. Simpson.  
Bethel Circuit, G. L. Ingram.  
Black Swamp, J. A. McGraw.  
Bluffton, D. N. Busbee.  
Charleston: Bethel, S. B. Harper.  
Hampstead Square, S. D. Colyer.  
Spring Street, J. P. Inabinet.  
Trinity, D. M. McLeod.  
Young's Island, C. T. Easterling, Jr.  
Cottageville, G. K. Way.  
Cypress, E. P. Hutson.  
Early Branch, W. G. Ariail.  
Ehrhardt, C. S. Felder.  
Estill, W. V. Dibble.  
Hampton, J. T. Peeler.  
Hendersonville, B. G. Vaughan.  
Lodge, W. T. Bedenbaugh.  
Ridgeland, J. B. Prosser.  
Ridgeville, J. D. Bell.  
Summerville, J. H. Noland.  
Walterboro, C. B. Smith.  
Wando Mission, E. K. Epps.  
Commissioner for the Washington City Church, G. E. Edwards.

# FLORENCE DISTRICT.

Peter Stokes, P. E.

Bennettsville: First Church, R. Herbert Jones.  
West End, J. E. Carter, supply.  
Bennettsville Circuit, T. E. Morris.  
Bethlehem, J. T. Macfarlane.  
Brightsville, G. W. Davis.  
Cheraw, E. H. Beckham.  
Chesterfield, J. L. Taylor.  
Darlington: Trinity, H. J. Cauthen.  
Epworth, J. D. Williams.  
Darlington Circuit, J. S. Beasley.  
East Chesterfield, Paul T. Wood.  
Florence: Central, T. G. Herbert.  
Hartsville, J. T. Fowler.  
Jefferson, J. A. White.  
Lamar, W. H. Ariail.  
Liberty, W. L. Wait; T. B. Owen, Sup.  
Marlboro, J. E. Ford.  
McBee, S. D. Bailey.  
McColl, H. G. Hardin.  
Pageland, J. W. Elkins.  
Pamplico, F. W. Dibble.  
Patrick Circuit, W. V. Jerman, supply.  
Timmons ville and Pisgah, B. A. Powell.  
Timmons ville Circuit, F. S. Hook, supply.  
Conference Secretary of Education, Peter Stokes.  
Commissioner for the Washington City Church, Peter Stokes.

## KINGSTREE DISTRICT.

D. Arthur Phillips, P. E.

Andrews, G. A. Teasley.  
 Cades, T. W. Godbold.  
 Cordesville, D. O. Spires.  
 Georgetown: Duncan Memorial, L. L. Be-  
 denbaugh.  
 West End, R. R. Tucker.  
 Greeleyville, B. J. Guess; H. W. Whitta-  
 ker, Sup.  
 Hemingway, J. A. Campbell.  
 Johnsonville, W. P. Way.  
 Jordan, W. O. Henderson.  
 Kingstree, G. T. Harmon.  
 Lake City, W. H. Hodges.  
 McClellanville, Gobe Smith.  
 New Zion, W. G. Elwell.  
 Pinopolis, F. E. Hodges.  
 Rome, P. A. Murray.  
 Salters, J. C. Davis.  
 Sampit, G. C. Gardner.  
 Scranton, C. W. Burgess.  
 Summerton, C. C. Derrick.  
 Turbeville, M. F. Dukes.  
 Commissioner for the Washington City  
 Church, D. Arthur Phillips.

## MARION DISTRICT.

H. W. Hook, P. E.

Aynor, W. H. Richardson, supply.  
 Blenheim, T. L. Belvin.  
 Brownsville, L. T. Phillips.  
 Bucksville, W. A. Youngblood, supply.  
 Centenary, D. D. Jones.  
 Clio, A. D. Betts.  
 Conway, E. L. McCoy.  
 Conway Circuit, G. T. Rhoad.  
 Dillon, M. L. Banks.  
 Dillon Mills, J. M. Gasque, supply.  
 Floydale, D. H. Everett.  
 Floyd's, H. W. Shealy.  
 Gallivant's, W. H. Perry.  
 Lake View, W. Roy Phillips.  
 Latta, W. W. Daniel.  
 Little River, H. T. Morrison.  
 Little Rock, S. T. Bethea.  
 Loris, W. B. Duncan, Jr.; H. L. Singleton,  
 Sup.  
 Marion, J. W. Daniel.  
 Marion Circuit, M. M. McLendon.  
 Mullins, S. O. Cantey.  
 Mullins Circuit, J. W. Ariail.  
 Waccamaw, J. E. Cook.  
 Sunday School Field Secretary, W. C.  
 Owen.  
 Horry Industrial School, S. C. Morris.  
 Commissioner of Education, F. H. Shuler.  
 Commissioner for the Washington City  
 Church, M. W. Hook.

## ORANGEBURG DISTRICT.

A. J. Cauthen, P. E.

Bamberg and Mills, E. O. Watson.  
 Barnwell, L. E. Peeler.  
 Branchville, P. B. Ingraham.  
 Cameron, J. K. Inabinet.  
 Denmark, J. M. Rogers; W. S. Stokes,  
 Sup.  
 Edisto, G. W. Dukes.  
 Grover, J. C. Counts.  
 Harleyville, J. L. Mullinnix.  
 Holly Hill, R. W. Humphries; J. F. Way,  
 Sup.  
 North and Limestone, C. B. Burns.  
 Norway, R. R. Doyle.  
 Olar, Achille Sassard.  
 Orange, J. A. Graham.  
 Orangeburg: St. Paul's, W. A. Massebeau.  
 Orangeburg Circuit, W. A. Beckham.  
 Providence Station, P. K. Rhoad.  
 Rowesville, J. J. Stevenson.  
 Smoaks, E. F. Scoggins.  
 Springfield, T. J. White.  
 Spring Hill Mission, to be supplied.  
 St. George, W. E. Wiggins.  
 Editor of *Southern Christian Advocate*,  
 W. C. Kirkland.  
 Commissioner for the Washington City  
 Church, A. J. Cauthen.

## SUMTER DISTRICT.

H. W. Bays, P. E.

Bethune, A. M. Gardner.  
 Bishopville, G. P. Watson.  
 Camden, J. H. Graves.  
 College Place Station, J. P. Patton; J. C.  
 Chandler, Sup.  
 Columbia Circuit, W. S. Myers.  
 Elloree, J. W. Wolling.  
 Fort Motte, O. N. Rountree.  
 Heath Springs, J. B. Weldon.  
 Kershaw, R. M. Du Bose.  
 Lynchburg, F. L. Glennan.  
 Manning, W. B. Duncan.  
 Oswego, S. W. Henry.  
 Pinewood, A. S. Lesley.  
 Providence, T. E. Derrick.  
 St. John's and Rembert's, J. P. Attaway.  
 St. Matthew's Station, G. F. Kirby.  
 Sumter: Trinity, R. S. Truesdale.  
 Broad Street, J. S. Rice.  
 Sumter Mission, A. C. Corbett, supply.  
 Wateree, R. L. Rountree, supply.  
 West Kershaw, E. W. Hurst.  
 Student in Moody Institute, S. W. Danner.  
 Commissioner for the Washington City  
 Church, H. W. Bays.

*Transferred.* -B. L. Knight, to the Up-  
 per South Carolina Conference; John  
 Paul, to the Kentucky Conference.

## ALABAMA CONFERENCE.

EIGHTY-FOURTH SESSION.

HELD AT SELMA, ALA., NOVEMBER 29-DECEMBER 4, 1916.

BISHOP DENNY, *President*; A. J. LAMAR, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. Joseph Christian Weston, James Willy Horn, George William Carpenter, Charles Edward Avinger, James Edward Tate. 5.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Claude P. Roberts, Benjamin F. Brown, Jesse P. Peacock, John O. Wilson, John T. Cameron, Horace H. Myrick, Arthur F. Howington, Angus C. Lee. 8.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Henry L. Tate, John A. Crew, Matthew J. Bouterse, Morgan D. Taylor, Arthur F. Phenix. 5.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? W. O. Rencher, from the Florida Conference. 1.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? D. W. Stevenson, from the Congregational Methodist Church, in elder's orders. 1.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? John James Hardy, an elder, from the Methodist Protestant Church. 1.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? John Thomas De Bardeleben, David Young Register, Eli B. Joyner, Samuel Thomas Trotter, Marion Tilden Moore. 5.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? John A. Crew, Arthur F. Phenix, Matthew J. Bouterse, Morgan D. Taylor. 4.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? John Alexander Crew, Arthur Frederick Phenix, Matthew John Bouterse, Morgan Daniel Taylor. 4.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? James Edward Tate, James Garfield Syfrett. 2.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? James Edward Tate, James Garfield Syfrett. 2.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? James L. White, John C. Phares, Robert P. Cochran, Luther S. Gilmer, Haley Lisenby, Adam G. Ellisor, Caleb T. Martin. 7.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? James Leonard White, John Culbreth Phares, Robert Pressley

Cochran, Luther Stanley Gilmer, Haley Lisenby, Adam Grant Ellisor, Caleb T. Martin. 7.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? Jeremiah Walls. 1.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? Jeremiah Walls. 1.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? Byrd L. Moore, at his own request. 1.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? L. T. Reynolds. 1.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? J. W. Shores, E. M. Turner, D. J. Wright, J. P. Sanders, A. A. Easley, George Fontaine, J. F. Daily, W. D. Heath, W. E. Gibson, J. A. Thompson, G. F. Fisher, D. D. Reaves, B. E. Feagin, L. C. Calhoun, G. N. Winslett, L. C. Duncan, J. L. Mathison, T. D. Albright, J. O. Noble, D. J. Hartzog, N. R. Hamer, J. B. Nelson, A. H. Moore, T. L. Adams, W. S. Street, H. B. Register, W. B. Segrest, T. F. Davis, J. W. Killough, I. F. Bilbro, C. T. Reid. 31.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? S. M. Hosmer, O. S. Perry, J. S. Williams, J. A. Stripling, J. E. C. Harrison, S. W. Roberts. 6.

SAMUEL MONROE HOSMER was born July 22, 1846. At an early age he enlisted in the Confederate Army, and was taken prisoner by the Federals when Admiral Farragut captured Fort Gaines, on Mobile Bay; and for a time he was held in captivity at Fort Massachusetts, on Ship Island. After the war had ended, having a great thirst for knowledge and his early advantages in a literary way having been limited, he erected with his own hands a small house for himself, wife, and child, near the school of Prof. I. W. McAdory, at Pleasant Hill, Ala. Entering that school, he prepared himself for entrance into the Southern University, at Greensboro. Later he was graduated from that institution, of which subsequently he was a trustee for so many years, and of which also for twelve years he was president. After entering the itinerancy, until his presidency of the Southern University, he remained a member of the North Alabama Conference, and afterwards, to the day of his decease, he was a member of the Alabama Conference, being most highly, and



most worthily loved and honored in both. Dr. Hosmer was twice married, first to Miss Frances L. Parsons, December 11, 1867; and to this marriage were born three sons and four daughters. Some years after her decease he was married, December 19, 1912, to Mrs. Bertha Culver McSwain, of Brundidge, Ala., who survives him. Both marriages were highly blessed of God. His record of ever-faithful itinerant service was as follows: Admitted on trial into the North Alabama Conference at Huntsville, November 11-17, 1874, he was received into full connection at Decatur, December 13-18, 1876. He served the following appointments in succession: Valley Head Circuit, 1874-77; Madison Circuit, 1878; Trinity Circuit, 1879; presiding elder of the Florence District, 1880-83; Gadsden District, 1884-85; Huntsville District, 1886-88; Talladega District, 1889-90; pastor of Tuscaloosa Station, 1891-92; presiding elder of Birmingham District, 1893-96; Talladega District, 1897-98. He was elected President of the Southern University in 1899. In 1911 he was transferred to the Alabama Conference and was pastor of Newbern Circuit. In 1912-14 he was presiding elder of the Troy District. In 1915 he was pastor of Brundidge Station; that being his last year in the itinerancy; and there he passed away on December 24, 1915, only a few days after he was granted the superannuate relation. It was but another evidence of his great kindness and nobility of heart that, upon being superannuated, he modestly declined to receive any part of the fund for superannuates, but left whatever sum he might have received to be divided among those more needy. He was a member of no less than five General Conferences. By the North Alabama Conference he was elected to those held at Richmond in 1886, St. Louis in 1890, Memphis in 1894, Baltimore in 1898; and from the Alabama Conference to that at Dallas in 1902. These facts are but another evidence of the great love the brethren of the two Conferences had for him, and of their confidence in his wise judgment in all weighty matters. His deep and abiding piety was ever unquestioned and unquestionable; and mingled with his kindly and constructive conservatism there was ever the firmest adherence to that which was right, noble, pure, and exalted—reminding one very forcibly of the pillars which adorned Solomon's Temple, in which the strength of solidity was combined with the lily work of grace and beauty. Truly

a man of God, a prince in Israel, has left behind the evanescent scenes of this life; but in passing from these transient things we feel sure that he has but gone to that supernal realm where no night ever comes, where every tear is wiped away, and where the redeemed of the Lord shall forever behold the face of their God.—*James M. Glenn.*

ORION S. PERRY was born at Warrior Stand, Macon County, Ala., November 8, 1843, and died at his home, in Greensboro, Ala., May 8, 1916. The son of Rev. Dow Perry, of blessed memory, and his wife, Mrs. Tabitha Turner Perry, he had the goodly heritage of truly Christian training in his childhood. He became a member of the Methodist Church at an early age, probably at Warrior Stand. He entered the Confederate Army in 1861, at the very beginning of the War between the States, and was a faithful and valiant member of Company G, Forty-fifth Alabama Regiment of Infantry, until disabled by a severe wound received on November 30, 1864. After the war closed he was a citizen of his native county for several years, and was engaged in efforts to repair the losses of fortune sustained by the results of that conflict. While thus engaged he was married to Miss Nannie Carr, a member of an old Macon County family and one of the noblest women who ever graced the home of an itinerant preacher. She was ever cheerful and helpful to her husband in all the varied labors and trials of his pastorates, looking well to her household and leading her children in the paths of piety and of righteousness. While engaged in other work our brother was awakened to the fact that his duty was to leave all and go preach the gospel of Christ. He was licensed to preach by the Quarterly Conference of the Tuskegee Circuit, and in 1875 was by that body recommended for admission on trial into the traveling ministry. He was admitted on trial by the Alabama Conference at Greenville, Ala., in December, 1875, and remained a useful and honored member of that body to the end of his earthly life. He was admitted into full connection and ordained deacon by Bishop Keener at Montgomery in December, 1877, and was ordained elder by Bishop Paine at Tuskegee in December, 1879. In his long career as an itinerant our brother filled the following appointments: 1876, Tallassee Mission; 1877, Troy Circuit; 1878-80, Brundidge Circuit; 1881-84, Fort Deposit; 1885-

86, Mount Hilliard Circuit; 1887-89, Bladon and St. Stephen's; 1890-93, Suggsville Circuit; 1894-97, Villula Circuit; 1898-99, Crawford Circuit; 1900-03, Forest Home Circuit; 1904, Powelton Circuit; 1905, Marion Circuit; 1906-07, Gainesville Circuit; 1908-09, Newbern Circuit. In December, 1909, at the Conference held in Opelika, Ala., he asked for and received the superannuate relation, in which connection he remained until his death. During these years of his superannuation he was not idle, but, alive to all the interests of his beloved Church, he labored as his strength permitted and with the same faithfulness which had characterized his more active ministry. Brother Perry was a man gifted with a rare fund of common sense, which enabled him to see at once the essential things in any question and to eliminate all that was merely incidental and unimportant. He had in him as a man and as a preacher nothing of the sensational. He never posed or attempted to draw attention by emotional or melodramatic methods. He was a man among men, a man to be trusted and loved. As a preacher he was clear, forcible, and always earnest and impressive. He inherited the preaching talent of his father, Rev. Dow Perry, of whom Bishop McTyeire said that he was one of the clearest and most forcible preachers he had heard in all Southern Methodism. In his preaching he appealed to the reason of his hearers much more than to their emotions; indeed, he felt the lack of the emotional in his preaching, and more than once he expressed to this writer his regret that he could not use that lever for moving men as some could. To me he was one of the most profitable of preachers, and I have not failed to hear him whenever he was announced to preach during the forty years in which we labored together as members of the Alabama Conference. As a Conference we shall miss his brotherly presence at our annual gatherings and long to see his face again. He is survived by six of his eight children—one daughter and five sons—to whom he leaves the legacy of a good name and the record of a noble life. In his years of loneliness, since his wife was taken from him on October 13, 1913, his children have ministered to him and cheered him, and have earned the reward promised to those who honor father and mother. His daughter gave up her work as teacher to be with him and to make him a home, and her tender ministrations made bright

his closing days. He is also survived by two sisters, who reside in Texas, and one brother, Rev. C. S. Perry, formerly a member of the Alabama Conference and now of the Los Angeles Conference. To these loved ones go out the sympathies and prayers of many in the old home in Alabama. Life's labor well done, its sufferings all ended, our brother has entered into the rest that awaits the man of God in the presence of his Master. There we shall find him when we too shall hear our Lord's voice calling us to come up higher and shall lay down the weapons of our warfare.—A. J. Lamar.

JERE SHREWSBURY WILLIAMS, the second son of Thomas M. and Mary Anne Williams, was born in Yorkville, York District, S. C., October 10, 1833, and departed this life at his home, in Auburn, Ala., June 30, 1916. Thomas M. Williams came to Alabama when Jere was a small child, and made his home in Lowndes County. He was a wise and good father, and brought his children up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord. From his childhood to his manhood young Jere lived in a home of Christian culture and social refinement. Besides these hallowed influences over his young life, he was given rare educational advantages. He completed the high-school course in Lowndesboro, and for a year or two afterwards he clerked in a bookstore in Montgomery, Ala. He was then sent to Genesee College, New York, and spent one year there. For climatic reasons he left there and entered Emory and Henry College, Virginia, where for three years he was a close student, and a portion of the time he was a tutor in Latin. Here he graduated with honor and distinction, receiving his A.B. degree in 1857. Later on he received his A.M. degree. After this splendid equipment, he taught most successfully for several years in various places in this State. In the schoolroom he not only looked well to the cultivation of his pupils' intellect, but taught them the priceless value of good morals as well. While engaged in teaching, Brother Williams was at the same time studying and preparing himself to join the Conference and become an itinerant preacher in the ranks of Methodism. He was licensed to preach in 1860. For several years he was in very poor health. The Civil War came on, and he offered himself several times to become a soldier in the Confederate Army, but was rejected each time on ac-

count of his physical condition. It appears from the Minutes of the Mobile Conference which was held at Montgomery, Ala., in 1870 (at which time and place the present Alabama Conference was organized) that Brother Williams had already been admitted either into the Mobile or the Montgomery Conference. His name appears along with the names of W. A. McCarty, J. W. Solomon, W. M. Motley, B. L. Selman, and others, and his character was passed with theirs under the call of Question 20. Also in the same Minutes it is shown that he passed in his examination and was advanced to the class of the second year's course, along with W. M. Winn, I. Z. T. Morris, and others. The following are the charges he served so faithfully and so efficiently during his active ministerial life. Tallassee, 1870-71; Seale and Hurtsboro, 1872-74; Enon and Midway, 1875-78; Crawford Circuit, 1879; Abbeville and Clopton, 1880-81; Pine Apple Circuit, 1882-83; Pine Level Circuit, 1884-87; Brundidge Circuit, 1888-91; Andalusia Mission, 1892; Mount Hilliard Circuit, 1893-94; Perote Circuit, 1895-96; Letohatchee Circuit, 1897-98. At the session of the Conference held in Greensboro in December, 1898, Brother Williams was, without his request, placed on the superannuate list. He was still loved; but the brethren of the Conference, out of kind consideration for his welfare, voted him the superannuate relation, that in the evening of his life he might enjoy a needed and richly deserved rest. In the years of his active ministry Brother Williams was abundant in labors. The great and unspeakable good which resulted from his labors heaven alone can reveal. Brother Williams was a modest man, always humble, and was the very embodiment of integrity. In every particular he was true to the Church and the ordination vows he had taken. His splendid literary attainments, with his superiority in scholarship, equipped him for filling the highest and best appointments; yet he sought no place of prominence or preferment, but gladly served in some of the harder and more uninviting fields of the Conference. In any and all of his appointed fields of ministerial work Brother Williams was "fervent in spirit, serving the Lord, rejoicing in hope, patient in tribulation, continuing instant in prayer, distributing to the necessity of the saints, given to hospitality." He was indeed a burning and shining light, and people in the high-

er and the humbler walks of life rejoiced in his light and knowledge. Many of our young preachers—the writer of this being one of the number—sat at his feet and listened with rapt attention as he expounded unto them the way of the Lord more perfectly. Many of the young men students at Auburn, where Brother Williams lived, loved him dearly and drank deeply at his fountain as they came to him to be instructed in their daily studies. All of them cherished his precious memory. It was always a pleasure to Brother Williams to instruct those students and the young preachers who sought his aid in solving their problems and in preparing for the recitation room and for the pulpit. He was sweet in spirit, wise in counsel, amiable in disposition, tender in heart, and upright in his daily life. In his home Brother Williams was all that a devoted husband and a loving father could be to his wife and children. He was an ideal host to visiting friends, a kind neighbor, and a most valuable citizen. He was an able and eloquent preacher of the gospel. In his pastoral visitations his very presence was a benediction. Like his Lord, he went about doing all manner of good. After a long and beautiful life devoted to the cause of God and humanity, being old and full of days, he was not, for God took him. We miss him here, but we shall meet him hereafter in the land of the unsetting sun, where saints immortal are forever with the Lord.—*Thomas H. Jones.*

JAMES AARON STRIPLING was born at Pine Grove, Ala., June 24, 1860, and died at Lower Peach Tree, Ala., June 19, 1916. He married Miss Claudia R. Pool, of Perote, Ala., on December 29, 1891, Rev. L. J. Biggers officiating. His wife and the eight children are still living: Walter, Charley, Willie, James, Robert, and Misses Jessie Lee, Eula Mae, and Claudia Pearl. Brother Stripling was converted in early life and joined the Congregational Methodist Church, Troy District, and was licensed to preach July 18, 1884, and transferred his membership to the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in 1887. He was admitted on trial by the Alabama Conference at Mobile, Ala., December 12, 1888, and was received into full connection at Eufaula, Ala., in December, 1892. He was ordained local deacon at Greenville, Ala., December 8, 1889, and elder at Brewton, Ala., December 16, 1894. Both ordinations were by Bishop Duncan.

He served the following charges as pastor: 1889-90, Ellington Circuit; 1891, Snead's; 1892, Coffee Springs; 1893, Randolph; 1894-95, Plantersville; 1896-97, Oakey Streak; 1898-1900, Pine Level; 1901, Rutledge; 1902-05, Gordon; 1906, Graceville; 1907, Linden; 1908, Magnolia; 1909-10, Sweetwater; 1911, Greensboro Circuit; 1912-13, Coffeerville; 1914-16, Lower Peach Tree, where he fell like a knight of old at his post of duty. In the arduous tasks in his fields of service as an itinerant preacher there was an unflinching devotion that never wavered. Fidelity that leaves unexpressed the sacrifices of the real soldier is wonderful. This virtue was the chief characteristic revealed in his twenty years' record as a member of the Conference. His service was patiently and modestly rendered, as ostentation was foreign to his nature. The uniformity of his Christian life and his childlike character did not impress the casual observer, but was beautiful to those who knew him best. The grace to carry burdens, to solve problems, and to suffer hardships is that which gave the martyrs strength and was by our Lord marked in the final beatitude as the supreme excellence. We all loved the gentle, amiable, and sweet-spirited Stripling while he was among us in the flesh; but somehow since he has ascended there is an afterglow from his life that is unusually radiant. His work was allotted to him by others, but to him God's field was his in which to toil. He was a faithful pastor, and his pure and saintly character was revered by all the people he served. To live so as to awaken in others the desire to live, unconsciously to inspire in daily living a deep desire in others to attain to the highest, is the greatest gospel ever preached since the Son of Man ministered among men in the flesh. Brother Stripling preached well, but he lived better. Few men live the standard of the message they preach, and rarely are men capable of attaining the heights of Christian excellence. His daily living in Christ Jesus was so childlike that he was unconscious of the power that created a signal blending of those Christian graces which are rarely appraised until death has shorn it of the human. He had our affection and unqualified confidence while he lived, and no one who knew him doubts the affinity of his soul for the home of the good. God's heroes still live, and the brotherhood of the faithful embraces within its ranks some with whom we are in daily

touch. Brother Stripling was a good man, and this is at once the supreme thing and the highest encomium. Goodness is the passport into the kingdom so often uppermost in the Master's mind. In this world it is the one characteristic of its citizenship. In the last great day the Master said welcome should be full and free to the good and faithful, procured in service here like that of Stripling; and had he lived and served in the early days of our Church, his name would be read in larger letters. But in the scores who have written their service in sacrifice he is numbered with the good and the faithful, a distinction as rare as it is beautiful. In the domestic circle he honored the name of husband and father; a companion for his wife in the holy union of connubial affection, a provider and counselor for his children in the sacred relationship of father, and a priest for his household who had the religious grip to say, "As for me and mine, we will serve God." There is an inheritance to the loved ones of our departed brother that endureth forever. The priceless promises made to the descendants of the righteous are of eternal value. He bequeathed to his loved ones a name untainted by a single breath of suspicion and untarnished by a single deed of doubtful propriety. May the mother be sustained in the heavy obligations and holy privileges of her only ministry! And may all of the children feel that they wear a mark of distinction as descendants of a sainted father!—J. M. Dannelly.

JAMES EDGAR CLARENCE HARRISON was born in Windham Springs, Tuscaloosa County, Ala., March 26, 1884, and was assassinated September 2, 1916, at Shady Grove, Pike County, Ala. He was the only son of seven children of George W. and Lula L. Harrison. In childhood he attended the public schools of his native county and later graduated from the District Agricultural School at Hamilton, Ala., and the Normal College located in Hillsboro, Tex. In 1905 young Harrison went to Yellville, Ark., where he met Miss Dena Scrivners, whom he had known in childhood. Their friendship ripened into love, and on May 26, 1906, they were united in marriage. To this union were born four children, all of whom survive him. Mrs. Harrison has been a devoted wife through all the trials of her husband's ministerial life. In boyhood Brother Harrison united with the Methodist Protest-



ant Church, and remained a devout member for many years. In 1908 he was licensed to preach, and the same year was received on trial into the Methodist Protestant Conference. The following two years (1909, 1910) he served the Georgia Circuit of that Church; but in December, 1910, he turned to the Church of his famous grandfather, Dr. William P. Harrison, who was a noted theologian and for many years the Book Editor of our Church. He was received on trial into the Alabama Conference at Troy in 1910, and since then had served the following charges: Isney Circuit, 1911; St. Stephen's Circuit, 1912-13; Butler Circuit, 1914-15; and Shady Grove Circuit, 1916, until he met his death while running to meet a train. Rev. W. R. Bickerstaff and the writer accompanied his remains to the place of his birth and laid them to rest in the family lot in Oregonia Cemetery. As a preacher Brother Harrison was eloquent, polished, and thoughtful. The literary finish of his sermons was marked and attractive. He lent most of his energy, in preparing for the pulpit, to the embellishment of his discourses. With the poets, essayists, and historians he was at home. Often we have heard him quote extended passages from Shakespeare, Tennyson, and Browning. Carlyle and Macaulay were among his favorite writers. Perhaps no man of his age, experience, and advantages excelled him in the exquisite beauty of his utterances while preaching, and yet so utterly unassuming in his association with his brethren. He loved Methodist preachers and sought their company. As an associate he was genial, pleasing, and inspiring. Even in his trouble he never allowed himself to burden his friends with his sorrows. With his friends he was plain, frank, and positive. He never refused to declare his attitude on any question where occasion demanded. He was as brave as a warrior. We have seen him on two occasions when it would have tried the iron in the blood of any man, but he never shrank or compromised. We shall miss him from our ranks, but we shall walk with the celestial footmen and live in the days that are to come in the light of the bravery of his manhood, the geniality of his association, and his devotion to those whom he loved.

—A. E. Shafer.

SOLOMON WHEAT ROBERTS, son of Solomon W. and Martha Roberts, was born in Washington County, Ala., on August 18,

1860. Some time in September, 1876, at the old Sims Chapel Camp Ground, in Washington County, he united with the Church. At the same place, five years later, after listening to a sermon by Rev. W. S. Wade on "The Trial of Abraham's Faith," he definitely responded to a call to preach. That was a memorable night, not only to him, but to the family and to the preachers who were present. The call was as distinct a crisis in his experience as was his conversion, and afterwards he seemed to have no more doubt as to the origin of the call than of the truth of divine revelation or any ordinary fact of consciousness. He was at the time twenty-one years old, without even a common-school education, without means and influential friends. He recognized in the call to preach a call to equip himself for the work. A year later he entered the Southern University, having by very hard labor secured the means to remain there one year. The way opened, and he remained there five years, graduating with the degree of A.B. in the class of 1887. He was licensed to preach the latter part of the year 1882 by the Quarterly Conference of the Washington Circuit (now Calvert Circuit), Dr. O. R. Blue being presiding elder and T. C. Bowling pastor. He was admitted on trial into the traveling connection at Montgomery in December, 1886, and was ordained deacon by Bishop Keener at that Conference. Four years later he was ordained elder by Bishop Hendrix at Selma. He served the following works in the Alabama Conference: Greensboro Circuit, one year; Stockton Circuit, two years; Abbeville and Clopton, four years; Tuskegee Circuit, two years; Newbern Circuit, four years; Orrville Circuit, one year; Hurtsboro and Seale, four years; Andalusia, one year; Dayton Circuit, one year; Uniontown Station, two years; Hartford and Samson, three years; Broad Street, Mobile, four years; and Eutaw and Moundville, from the session of the last Conference until his ascension on October 18, 1916. He supplied Cuba Circuit a part of the year 1883. He was happily married to Miss Mamie Boyd, of La Place, Ala., on May 15, 1894. She, with four children, remains to mourn his death and cherish the memory of a strong, brave, and honest man. His highest earthly ambition and his fondest dream were to give his children a complete Christian education. He had succeeded in the accomplishment of this work only in part when the summons came.



It is not unlikely that it came earlier because of the intense struggle through which he had passed the last five years he worked toward this end. He was the second child in a family of thirteen, and was the first in the large circle to go. Among these he was loved and honored even more than by the brethren of the Conference. In his ministry Brother Roberts was diligent and faithful at all times; in his friendship, trustful and true; in his family life, pure and loving, gentle and firm; in his citizenship, always striving toward the greatest good for the greatest number. Unselfish, faithful, diligent, true, loving, and patient—such was the character of Solomon W. Roberts. A good man has gone from among us and left us the legacy of his Christian service. May the God of all grace comfort the bereaved family and friends and give to them his all-sufficient grace!—C. A. Rush.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called, one by one, and their characters passed.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Andalusia District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Andalusia .....	...	382
Floral and Lockhart .....	...	468
Forest Home .....	1	357
Garland .....	...	401
Geneva .....	...	263
Georgiana .....	1	549
Graceville .....	4	941
Greenville .....	...	476
Greenville Circuit .....	...	270
Monroeville .....	1	353
Noma .....	...	...
Opp Circuit .....	2	232
Opp and Red Level .....	...	362
Peterman Circuit .....	...	203
Repton .....	1	507
River Falls Mission .....	1	192
Samson .....	...	251
Sepulga .....	...	644
	11	6,851

*Dothan District.*

Ashford .....	...	321
Coffee Springs .....	1	432
Columbia .....	...	297
Daleville .....	...	622
Dothan: Foster Street .....	1	652
Lafayette Avenue .....	2	393
Enterprise: First Church .....	...	745
Second Church and Richburg .....	...	110
Hartford and Slocomb .....	...	477
Hartford Circuit .....	3	550
Headland and Midland City .....	7	500
Headland Circuit .....	1	557
Madrid .....	2	421

*Dothan District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Newton .....	3	500
Slocomb Circuit .....	7	509
Taylor .....	...	489
	29	7,575

*Eufaula District.*

Abbeville .....	...	258
Alston .....	...	403
Asbury Circuit .....	3	717
Clayton .....	...	373
Echo .....	8	829
Eufaula: First Church .....	...	470
Eufaula Circuit .....	1	374
Girard and Alexandria .....	1	225
Hurtsboro and Seale .....	...	357
Jernigan Circuit .....	...	215
Louisville .....	...	522
Midway .....	...	300
North Girard and Epworth .....	...	220
Perote .....	...	352
Phoenix .....	2	503
Smith's Station .....	...	336
Warrior Stand .....	1	204

16 6,658

*Greensboro District.*

Butler .....	...	291
Coatopa .....	...	...
Demopolis .....	...	284
Eutaw and Moundville .....	1	452
Gainesville .....	...	224
Gilberton .....	...	511
Greene Circuit .....	1	268
Greensboro .....	10	467
Greensboro Circuit .....	...	860
Havana .....	2	657
Heiberger .....	...	642
Isney .....	1	532
Livingston and Cuba .....	...	265
Marion .....	...	294
Newbern .....	...	201
Pushmataha .....	...	348
Wedgworth .....	...	225
York Circuit .....	2	462

17 6,983

*Marianna District.*

Blountstown .....	1	247
Caryville .....	2	145
Chipley and Bonifay .....	...	594
Cottondale .....	2	238
Cypress and Snead's .....	2	293
De Funiak Springs .....	5	275
De Funiak Springs Circuit .....	...	172
Fountain Mission .....	...	160
Freeport Circuit .....	...	320
Greenwood .....	...	464
Marianna .....	...	343
Milligan Mission .....	...	216
Millville .....	...	133
Milton and Bagdad .....	1	396
Munson Circuit .....	...	34
Panama City .....	1	286
Turner Springs Mission .....	...	350
Vernon Circuit .....	...	350
Wausau .....	3	328
Wewahitchka .....	1	179

18 5,623

*Mobile District.*

Calvert .....	1	670
Citronelle .....	1	491
Coffeeville .....	...	362
Crichton .....	...	498

*Mobile District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Fairhope .....	...	145
Grand Bay .....	1	312
Grove Hill .....	1	551
Jackson .....	1	452
Mobile: Broad Street .....	3	342
Dauphin Street .....	...	64
Government Street .....	1	913
Oakdale and Toulmin .....	...	280
St. Francis Street .....	2	795
St. Stephen's Road .....	...	289
Mobile Circuit .....	...	399
St. Stephen's Circuit .....	1	423
Suggsville .....	1	306
Whistler .....	...	307
	13	7,599

*Montgomery District.*

Auburn .....	...	409
La Place .....	2	326
Loachapoka .....	4	621
Montgomery: Clayton Street....	1	407
Court Street .....	1	1,321
Dexter Avenue .....	...	894
Fifth Avenue .....	...	360
Forest Avenue .....	2	479
Perry Street .....	...	343
Notasulga .....	1	428
Opelika: First Church .....	...	659
Trinity .....	...	477
Opelika Circuit .....	...	325
Salem .....	2	345
Tuskegee .....	...	366
Montgomery Circuit .....	...	36
	13	7,796

*Pensacola District.*

Atmore .....	...	269
Bay Minette .....	...	320
Brewton .....	1	342
Brewton Circuit .....	...	765
Castleberry .....	...	460
Evergreen .....	...	424
Gonzales .....	1	555
Jay Circuit .....	1	484
Owen Circuit .....	1	470
Pensacola: City Mission .....	...	290
First Church .....	...	526
Gadsden Street .....	2	542
Pine Barren .....	...	440
Pollard and Flomaton .....	...	404
Robertsdale .....	3	429
Stockton .....	...	451
	9	7,171

*Prattville District.*

Autaugaville .....	...	403
Centerville .....	...	372
Clanton .....	1	276
Deatsville .....	2	766
Eclectic .....	...	582
Fort Deposit .....	1	270
Lowndesboro .....	...	145
Maplesville .....	1	300
Plantersville .....	...	224
Prattville .....	...	643
Randolph .....	2	460
Sandy Ridge .....	...	418
Tallassee .....	...	609
Titus Mission .....	...	392
Verbena .....	1	472
Wetumpka .....	...	321
	8	6,653

*Selma District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Bell's Landing .....	...	224
Camden .....	...	236
Dayton and Spring Hill .....	...	143
Farmersville .....	...	201
Gastonburg .....	...	325
Linden .....	...	230
Lower Peach Tree .....	...	396
Magnolia .....	2	374
Marion Junction and Faunsdale. ...	...	160
Pine Apple .....	...	457
Pine Hill .....	...	237
Selma: Alabama Avenue .....	1	214
Church Street .....	1	880
Sweetwater .....	...	564
Thomasville .....	...	387
Uniontown .....	1	219
	5	5,247

*Troy District.*

Banks Circuit .....	1	382
Brantley .....	...	465
Brundidge .....	...	366
Elba and Brocton .....	1	441
Elba Circuit .....	2	265
Fitzpatrick Circuit .....	...	218
La Pine .....	...	504
Luverne .....	1	375
Ozark .....	...	469
Ramer .....	1	429
Rose Hill .....	...	372
Rutledge .....	6	768
Shady Grove .....	2	507
Troy .....	1	800
Union Springs .....	...	388
	16	6,749

*Recapitulation.*

Andalusia District .....	11	6,851
Dothan District .....	29	7,575
Eufaula District .....	16	6,658
Greensboro District .....	17	6,983
Marianna District .....	18	5,623
Mobile District .....	13	7,599
Montgomery District .....	13	7,796
Pensacola District .....	9	7,171
Prattville District .....	8	6,653
Selma District .....	5	5,247
Troy District .....	16	6,749
Total this year .....	155	74,905
Total last year .....	142	74,972
Increase .....	13	....
Decrease .....	...	67

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? Licensed, 16; addresses furnished.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? No report.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 973.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 2,109.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 95.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 2,739.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 618.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 4,822.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 52,847.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$15,000.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$12,255. Distributed to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$15,898; Home and Conference Missions, \$11,969. Total, \$27,867.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$7,306.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$10,458.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$277.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$28,042; preachers in charge, \$153,839.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$2,485.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 745; houses of worship, 669.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$2,007,224; indebtedness, \$77,686.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 186; parsonages, 152.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$379,350; indebtedness, \$20,251.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 11; district parsonages, 10.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$46,000; indebtedness, \$8,900.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was

the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 30; amount of damage, \$8,113.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$685,500; premiums paid, \$4,064; losses sustained, \$8,313; collections on losses, \$1,405.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Southern University: Value of property, \$225,000; endowment, \$115,000; professors, 16; pupils, 174. Woman's College of Alabama: Value of property, \$416,516; endowment, \$25,000; professors, 25; pupils, 225. Thomas Industrial Institute: Value of property, \$34,000; endowment, \$35,000; professors, 10; pupils, 118. Downing Industrial Institute: Value of property, \$49,190; professors, 10; pupils, 130.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 541; Conference organ, 4,032.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? M. M. McCall, Lay Leader.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Dothan, Ala.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### ANDALUSIA DISTRICT.

*E. E. Cowan, P. E.*

Andalusia, J. E. McCann.  
 Florala and Lockhart, H. E. Jones.  
 Forest Home, E. M. Rooks.  
 Franklin Mission, to be supplied.  
 Garland Mission, J. M. Munn.  
 Geneva, C. B. Pilley.  
 Georgiana, B. M. Herlong.  
 Graceville, J. H. Williams.  
 Greenville, B. C. Glenn, Sr.  
 Greenville Mission, to be supplied.  
 Monroeville, C. A. Williams.  
 Noma Mission, A. G. Ellisor.  
 Opp and Red Level, C. H. Motley.  
 Opp Mission, to be supplied.  
 Repton, R. P. Cochran.  
 River Falls Mission, to be supplied.  
 Samson, G. C. Simpson.  
 Sepulga, S. D. Robinson.  
 Student in Emory University, E. B. Joyner.

#### DOTHAN DISTRICT.

*C. W. Northcutt, P. E.*

Ashford, C. N. Williams.  
 Coffee Springs Mission, A. L. Lumpkin;  
 L. T. Reynolds, Sup.  
 Columbia Mission, J. M. Griffin.

Daleville, R. J. Coxwell.  
 Dothan: Foster Street, H. H. McNeill.  
 Lafayette Street, M. E. Lazenby.  
 Enterprise, C. S. Tally.  
 Enterprise Mission, M. J. Baldwin, supply.  
 Hartford and Slocumb, G. K. Williams.  
 Hartford Circuit, W. F. Stough.  
 Headland and Midland City, J. W. Budd.  
 Headland Circuit, O. M. Murphy, supply.  
 Madrid, T. B. Barrow.  
 Newton, W. B. Parrent.  
 Slocumb Mission, L. L. Wright, supply.  
 Taylor, J. J. Hardy.

## EUFAULA DISTRICT.

*W. P. Hurt, P. E.*

Abbeville, B. C. Glenn, Jr.  
 Alston Mission, J. A. Crew.  
 Asbury, S. E. Spencer.  
 Clayton, H. M. Andrews.  
 Echo, R. W. Judkins, supply.  
 Eufaula: First Church, W. P. Dickinson.  
 Eufaula Mission, W. E. Middlebrooks.  
 Girard and Alexander, E. C. Maye.  
 Hurtsboro and Seale, D. H. McNeal.  
 Louisville, Walker Bancroft.  
 Midway, H. S. Ellison.  
 North Girard: Epworth Mission, A. C. Lee.  
 Perote, L. H. S. Chappelle, Jr.  
 Phoenix City, H. Lisenby.  
 Pittsview Circuit, J. F. Bilbro.  
 Smith's Station, J. D. Kersh.  
 Warrior Stand, R. C. Williams.  
 Missionary to Korea, L. C. Brannom.

## GREENSBORO DISTRICT.

*F. A. Rogers, P. E.*

Butler, G. W. Carpenter.  
 Coatopa Mission, Joseph Chapman, supply.  
 Demopolis, I. W. Chalker.  
 Eutaw and Moundville, J. L. Jones.  
 Gainesville, F. M. Lowrey.  
 Gilberton Mission, J. L. Daniels, supply.  
 Green Mission, H. C. Porter, supply.  
 Greensboro, J. C. James.  
 Greensboro Circuit, E. A. Childs.  
 Havana, J. R. McGlaun.  
 Heiberger Mission, W. F. Calhoun, supply.  
 Isney Mission, M. T. Moore.  
 Livingston and Cuba, D. M. Pearson.  
 Marion, J. M. Glenn.  
 Newbern, J. W. Henson.  
 Pushmataha Mission, W. G. Miller.  
 Wedgworth Mission, J. C. Glenn, supply.  
 York Circuit, J. T. Coulliette.

President of Southern University, C. A. Rush.  
 Professor in Southern University, C. P. Atkinson.  
 President of Moundville State Normal School, R. W. Green.  
 Professor in Candler School of Theology, Emory University, Andrew Sledd.  
 Students in Southern University, Joseph C. Weston and James W. Horn, Jr.

## MARIANNA DISTRICT.

*B. F. Marshall, P. E.*

Blountstown, G. M. Spivey.  
 Chipley and Bonifay, H. T. Strout; W. O. Rencher, junior preacher.  
 Cottondale, D. B. Dismukes.  
 Cypress and Snead's, C. T. Martin.  
 De Funiak Springs, E. L. Crawford.  
 De Funiak Springs Mission, K. K. Rushing, supply.  
 Freeport Mission, J. R. Gilbert, supply.  
 Greenwood, James Clendennin.  
 Marianna, W. H. McNeal.  
 Milligan Mission, D. A. Sellars, supply.  
 Millville Mission, B. F. Brown.  
 Milton and Bagdad, J. P. Roberts.  
 Munson Mission, P. M. Guthrie.  
 Panama City Mission, J. A. Whitsett.  
 Ponce de Leon Mission, B. G. Lindsey, supply.  
 Turner Springs Mission, to be supplied.  
 Vernon Circuit, M. E. Grant.  
 Wausau Mission, A. F. Howington.  
 Wewahitchka Mission, J. Macon Johnson, supply.

## MOBILE DISTRICT.

*O. V. Calhoun, P. E.*

Calvert, J. O. Wilson.  
 Citronelle Mission, J. T. De Bardeleben.  
 Coffeeville, N. H. Gibson, supply.  
 Crichton, S. J. Gibson.  
 Fairhope Mission, D. Y. Register.  
 Grand Bay, N. B. McLeod.  
 Grove Hill, O. J. Goodman.  
 Jackson, D. F. Ellisor.  
 Mobile: Broad Street Mission, L. H. S. Chappelle, Sr.  
 Dauphin Street Mission, A. B. Brown.  
 Government Street, J. E. Northcutt.  
 Oakdale and Toulminville, L. S. Gilmer.  
 St. Francis Street, J. M. Dannelly.  
 St. Stephen's Road Mission, W. H. Venters.  
 Mission, to be supplied.  
 St. Stephen's Circuit, J. D. Hartzog.  
 Suggsville, J. W. Hamner.  
 Whistler Mission, F. M. Atchison.

Publishing Agent, A. J. Lamar.  
Commissioner for Emory University, J. S. Frazer.

## MONTGOMERY DISTRICT.

*E. A. Dannelly, P. E.*

Auburn, R. R. Ellison.  
La Place Mission, W. A. Prince.  
Loachapoka, E. B. Paul.  
Montgomery: Clayton Street Mission, A. E. Shafer.  
Court Street, E. C. Moore.  
Dexter Avenue, S. W. Williams.  
Fifth Avenue Mission, J. W. Reinhardt.  
Forest Avenue, J. A. Peterson.  
Perry Street Mission, A. L. Sellers.  
Notasulga, J. C. Martin.  
Opelika: First Church, A. P. McFerrin.  
Trinity, J. O. Grogan.  
Mission, H. E. Wilson.  
Salem Mission, J. L. White.  
Tuskegee, W. M. Curtis.  
Missionary to Cuba, A. H. Moore, Jr.  
Conference Secretary of Education, E. A. Dannelly.  
Conference Sunday School Field Secretary, S. U. Turnipseed.  
Chaplain to Convicts, T. H. Jones.

## PENSACOLA DISTRICT.

*R. A. Moody, P. E.*

Atmore, J. F. McLeod.  
Bay Minette, J. P. Daughtry.  
Brewton, C. C. Daniel.  
Brewton Circuit, E. E. Stafford.  
Castleberry, S. B. Strout.  
Century, S. T. Trotter.  
Evergreen, D. W. Haskew.  
Gonzales, W. E. Bryant.  
Jay Mission, W. L. Conner.  
Owen Mission, C. W. McConnell.  
Pensacola: City Mission, C. P. Roberts.  
First Church, D. P. Slaughter.  
Gadsden Street, H. W. Rice.  
Pollard and Flomaton, J. F. Feagin.  
Robertsdale Mission, H. H. Myrick.  
Stockton, J. B. Trotter.  
Chaplain in the United States Navy, W. G. Isaacs.  
President of Downing Industrial School, J. M. Shofner.

## PRATTVILLE DISTRICT.

*O. C. McGehee, P. E.*

Autaugaville, L. D. Folsom.  
Centerville, Caleb Bates.  
Clanton, T. G. Jones.  
Deatsville, W. S. Guice.

Eclectic, R. A. Foster.  
Fort Deposit, G. W. Jones.  
Lowndesboro, J. O. Lawrence.  
Maplesville Mission, E. L. Whiddon, supply.  
Plantersville Mission, C. W. Bradley.  
Prattville, O. S. Welch.  
Randolph Mission, A. F. Phenix.  
Sandy Ridge Mission, L. H. Brannon, supply.  
Tallassee, Carl Preer.  
Titus Mission, C. J. Buttram.  
Verbena Mission, W. O. Philips.  
Wetumpka, S. G. Boyd.  
Agent of Superannuate Endowment Fund and Homes, O. S. Welch.

## SELMA DISTRICT.

*M. H. Holt, P. E.*

Bell's Landing, J. C. Phares.  
Camden, T. Y. Abernethy.  
Dayton and Spring Hill, H. L. Tate.  
Farmersville Mission, Jesse P. Peacock.  
Gastonburg, J. F. Price.  
Linden, F. G. Hastings.  
Lower Peach Tree Mission, W. F. Floyd.  
Magnolia Mission, E. W. Roberts.  
Marion Junction Circuit, M. D. Taylor.  
Pine Apple, R. J. Haskew.  
Pine Hill, J. T. Eckford.  
Selma: Alabama Avenue Mission, M. J. Bouterse.  
Church Street, W. M. Cox.  
City Mission, J. A. Bridges, supply.  
Sweetwater, J. A. Seale.  
Thomasville, J. B. Tate.  
Uniontown, H. V. Hudson.  
Missionary to Cuba, H. G. Cowan.  
Student in Candler School of Theology, James E. Tate.  
Professor in Paine College, Augusta, Ga., L. B. Green.

## TROY DISTRICT.

*W. R. Bickerstaff, P. E.*

Banks Mission, C. E. Avinger.  
Brantley Circuit, C. C. Wilkerson.  
Brundidge, W. T. Ellisor.  
Elba and Brocton, R. J. Mills.  
Elba Mission, J. T. Cameron.  
Fitzpatrick Circuit, J. M. Truitt.  
La Pine, E. W. Coleman.  
Luverne, L. P. Lathram.  
Ozark, H. T. Johnson.  
Ramer Mission, J. W. Breedlove.  
Rose Hill Mission, George W. Jones, supply.  
Rutledge, W. F. Arnold.  
Troy, H. C. Threadgill.  
Troy Mission, W. J. Price.



Union Springs, C. A. Cornell.

Conference Missionary Secretary, C. A. Cornell.

*Transferred.*—J. J. Richards, to the New Mexico Conference; J. W. Frazer, to the Upper South Carolina Conference.

## NORTH MISSISSIPPI CONFERENCE.

FORTY-SEVENTH SESSION.

HELD AT WINONA, MISS., NOVEMBER 29-DECEMBER 4, 1916.

BISHOP MURRAH, *President*; J. R. COUNTISS, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. Simon W. Bryant, Reuben G. Haffing, William Robert Lott, John Hendrix Mitchell, Armistead Forest Moore, John Wesley Robertson, Jesse Thomas Simmons, Stephen Wesley White. 8.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? William Bailey Baker, A. Joe Beasley, Willis Carl Beasley, Shed Hill Caffey, Swepson Fleetwood Harkey, Richard Guy Lord, Charles Dandridge McGehee, Rufus Guy Moore, Claude Algernon Parks, William I. White. 10.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? C. O. Pate, J. M. Carpenter. 2.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Albert Roy Beasley, Wister Dale Bennett, Cornelius Ransom A. Brantley, Henry McWhorter Cockrum, James Bernard Conner, Archie Thomas McIlwain, Giles Lawrence Lauderdale, Guy Ray, Robert Hambrick Ruff. 9.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? None.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? R. G. A. Carlisle, an elder, from the Congregational Methodist Church. 1.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? J. H. Brooks, C. T. Floyd, I. F. Holland, F. H. McGee, D. R. Wasson, J. D. Wroten, Olin Ray. 7. (W. W. Bruner, W. N. Dodds, J. R. James, and W. J. Wood remain in the class of the third year.)

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Albert Roy Beasley, Wister Dale Bennett, Cornelius Ransom A. Brantley, James Bernard Conner, Giles Lawrence Lauderdale, Archie Thomas McIlwain, Guy Ray, Robert Hambrick Ruff. 8.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Albert Roy Beasley, Wister Dale Bennett, Cornelius Ransom A. Brantley, James Bernard Conner, Giles Lawrence Lauderdale, Archie Thomas Mc-

Ilwain, Guy Ray, Robert Hambrick Ruff. 8.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? Charles Dandridge McGehee. 1.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Charles Dandridge McGehee. 1.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Anderson M. Bennett, Benjamin F. Bullard, Robert I. Collins, Thomas L. Houston, Melville Johnson, Patrick F. Luter, David R. McDougal, Thomas H. Mills, Thomas L. Oakes, Arthur W. O'Bryant, William V. Shearer, Ernest D. Simpson. 12.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Anderson M. Bennett, Benjamin F. Bullard, Robert I. Collins, Thomas L. Houston, Melville Johnson, Patrick F. Luter, David R. McDougal, Thomas H. Mills, Thomas L. Oakes, Arthur W. O'Bryant, William V. Shearer, Ernest D. Simpson. 12.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? Thomas E. Yancey and R. G. A. Carlisle, at their own request. 2.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? R. I. Allen and G. W. McLain. 2.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? J. W. Anderson, W. J. Burt, Thomas Cameron, D. L. Cogdell, R. M. Davis, H. C. Edmondson, T. G. Freeman, W. S. Harrison, W. C. Harris, J. M. Huggin, E. Johnson, A. W. Langley, A. P. Leech, H. C. Morehead, J. D. Newsom, W. J. O'Bryant, B. P. Patterson, J. W. Price, C. N. Terry, S. M. Thames, T. C. Wier. 21.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? J. W. Poston, G. W. Bachman, R. A. Ellis, J. R. Roberson, H. G. Henderson. 5.

JOSEPH W. POSTON.—This is a life story, beautiful for its simplicity and Christlike

in its humility. God does not call every man to do his work in the light and lure of large publicity. Some of the noblest souls of which our world has boasted—men of whom the world was not worthy—have done their work where there were few to praise and none to reward. It is always difficult to lay one's hand upon the secret springs of power in a man's life and declare unhesitatingly that full explanation has been found for all that the man may have achieved. There is a supernatural element in every life, and God selects the weak things in this world to confound the things that are mighty. Man looks on the outward appearance, but God looks on the heart; God's standard of values is very different from that of the world. Despite the handicap of pinching poverty and the most meager educational preparation, Joseph W. Poston heard and heeded the call to the ministry and began preparations to enter upon his life work at an early day. He is an example of what a man may do and what he may be, if his life be hid with Christ in God. Brother Poston's father was born in Ireland, but came to America when he was six years old, and was reared in North Carolina. Later he moved to Fayette County, Tenn., where the subject of this sketch first saw the light of day. He was born on December 20, 1838. His mother was Jane Denny Rankin, of Welsh parentage. There were eleven children in this family, and they were very poor. Young Poston was sent to school for three brief sessions and learned something of the three branches taught in those days in the old field school—reading, writing, and arithmetic. He determined to be a carpenter, and all his studies had that in view. His mother died in 1852. On January 1, 1854, his father having married again, he was thrown out upon his own resources and went forth to do battle against poverty and inexperience. He did not sit down to pine and lament, but went to work with an undaunted spirit. About this time there came into his life a new purpose and a new power. He was mightily convicted and powerfully converted on June 16, 1857, and at the same time felt the call to enter the ministry. At this time, by what seemed to be a strange providence, he fell into the hands of Dr. John T. Baskerville, an honored member of the Memphis Conference, who sent him to school, encouraged him in every way he could, kept him in his home for

three years, and finally had the great joy of seeing the young preacher ready to enter the Conference. When young Poston was ready to be off to Aberdeen, Miss., where the Memphis Conference was to be held that year, Dr. Baskerville gave him twenty-five dollars and bade him Godspeed in his ministerial career. What timely aid to a struggling soul! How rich in the coinage of heaven shall these benefactors be when God shall come to make up his jewels! Brother Poston was licensed to preach at Wesley Camp Ground, September 5, 1857; joined the Memphis Conference at Aberdeen in November, 1860, together with sixteen others. He was assigned as junior preacher to the Byhalia Circuit, with Rev. Elias Jackson as senior preacher. The war was just being felt, money was scarce, and the young preacher received for his services the sum of ninety-two dollars. The following year he was assigned to the Jacinto Circuit with seventeen appointments. Rev. Joseph Johnson was the presiding elder. He entered promptly upon his appointed work, but his circuit lay within the lines of the Union and the Confederate forces. The battle of Shiloh was impending, and there was so much excitement and confusion that it was impossible to accomplish anything; so on March 22 he gave up the work. The following year he served the La Grange Circuit. Here he had more trouble because of the war; the Federals robbed him of his horse, but, being possessed of the truly apostolic spirit, he served the circuit for some months on foot. God greatly honored his ministry here, and two hundred and seventy-six persons were converted that year and large additions made to the membership of the Church. In addition to the charges mentioned above, Brother Poston served the following circuits: Randolph, Water Valley, Coffeetown, Oxford, Senatobia, Eureka, Houston, Stanton, Grenada, Emory, Holly Springs, Pine Mountain, Mount Vernon, and East Holly Springs. In 1870, at which time the North Mississippi Conference was organized, Brother Poston was serving within the bounds of this Conference, where he continued till 1878, when he was transferred to the Memphis Conference and assigned to Stanton Circuit. Here he remained for two years, whereupon he was transferred back to the North Mississippi Conference, of which he continued a member to the day of his death. Brother Poston was

admitted into full connection at the Conference held at Jackson, Tenn., in December, 1865, and was ordained deacon by Bishop Paine, who also ordained him elder at the same Conference. He was given the supernumerary relation in 1896, and the superannuate relation the following year, continuing in this relation till his death at Holly Springs, Miss., on Christmas night, 1915. This good man was preëminently pious. He had the fervor and unction of the evangelist and the faith of an apostle. He claimed the blessing of complete sanctification as a second work of grace, and his life was not out of harmony with his profession. By common consent he was regarded as the best man in Holly Springs, where he spent the last years of his life. During the period of his superannuation he was a faithful and regular attendant upon the services of the sanctuary, and was a true witness to the saving and keeping power of our holy religion. Among the many monuments left behind which point to the life and labors of this good man not the least is the Oxford Camp Ground, where for forty-three years meetings of greater or less power have been held each year. He secured eighteen acres of land three miles east of Oxford and helped to build the tabernacle under which he preached the first sermon. Here hundreds have been won from darkness to light and from the power of Satan unto God. Doubtless on that great day "up yonder" many men will rise up and call Brother Poston blessed because he helped to turn their feet toward a better life. While not classed as a great preacher, Brother Poston was the kind that had success. Men were awakened under his ministry, and guided by his safe counsel they soon found the Saviour near. By his quiet, unassuming manner he won his way to the hearts of men, and he never did anything to forfeit their good will. He loved his home, and was careful that it should be a home of prayer. His first wife was Mrs. Sallie Compton, a lovely Christian character, who surrendered her life fully to the sacrifices and hardships of the itinerancy. For many years she shared his burdens and made lighter his tasks, walking bravely by his side wherever duty called. Having lost this good woman, he was married late in life to Miss Sallie Hallman, of Marshall County, who was a true, good wife, and helped to make his sunset days peaceful and happy. On the day after Christmas,

just before the sun went down, we held his funeral services in the Methodist church at Holly Springs, in the presence of a large number of his friends and neighbors. It was the holy Sabbath. The sky was never clearer nor the sun brighter. It was a fitting culmination to a life so pure and good. Then, as the evening shadows gathered about us, we laid his tired body down to rest, believing that God would station heaven's sentinels there to keep watch over the dust of our brother beloved, and that at the last hour God would call him to the resurrection of the just to be forever with the Lord.—*E. S. Lewis.*

GEORGE WASHINGTON BACHMAN, son of Henry and Elizabeth Bachman, was born in Carroll County, Miss., on July 7, 1839, and passed to his heavenly reward from his home in Winona, Miss., on January 25, 1916. In his early childhood his parents moved to Calhoun County, Miss., and located near Sarepta, where he grew to manhood. At the age of fifteen he was converted and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. He was licensed to preach at Pittsboro, Miss., on March 31, 1860, and joined the Memphis Conference in November of that year at Aberdeen, Miss. He was received into full connection at Grenada in 1862; ordained deacon at Aberdeen by Bishop Andrew in 1863, and elder by Bishop Paine in 1864. On January 5, 1865, he was married to Miss Parilee Nichols, who died November 10 of the same year, leaving an infant son, See, who still lives. Miss Eugene Susan Mitchell became his bride in November, 1866, dying in 1906. Of this union were born three sons and a daughter who still survive. The home life and devotion of the members of the family were beautiful to the last. The first appointment of Brother Bachman was to La. Grange Circuit as junior preacher with J. N. Temple. This circuit contained sixteen preaching places and gave the young minister a fine introduction to the traveling connection. The next two years found him traversing the wilds of the Mississippi Delta, threading canebrakes and fording bayous to reach the frontier settlements and carry them the gospel from his headquarters—one year at Concordia (now Gunnison), the other at Friar's Point. The next five years were spent as follows: At Richland, two; Charleston, one; Harmony, two; while he was in Tennessee territory at

Rock Springs (1869) and Purdy (1870). In the latter year the North Mississippi Conference was organized and he became a charter member, responding to its roll call to the end of his life. In this Conference he served the following circuits: Attala, two years; Banner, three; Grenada, two; Richland, two; Zilpha, one; Chester, one; and Lobutchka, three. In 1885 he entered upon a thirty-year tour as colporteur, distributing Bibles for the American Bible Society the first year, adding general literature for the next three years, and then for fifteen years emphasizing Sunday-school literature and organizing Sunday schools in new fields under a contract with the Conference Sunday School Board. In three decades of this type of service he went into hundreds of communities and thousands of homes. In almost every home he learned the names of the children, discovered family connections, found out former places of residence, and gathered bits of personal history. So well did he remember all these that it is probable he knew more people in Mississippi than any other person in the State. When meeting children or grandchildren of his old-time friends, he rarely failed to inquire affectionately as to their welfare. He was a welcome and beloved guest in a multitude of homes. His schooldays were limited to "eighteen months in the common schools." He was, however, a close observer, a constant reader, and a man of uncommonly good memory. It is likely that he read practically every book and periodical issued from the publishing house of his Church for the past forty years. He also kept on his desk the leading periodicals of other Churches, and read largely from the religious press in general. He spoke and wrote excellent English, putting to shame the slovenly work of some modern college graduates. He was thoroughly conversant with Methodist doctrine and polity, and was doubtless the best-informed man in his Conference on Church history. Like many of the older preachers, he was a great singer, leading the music when organs and choirs were unknown in rural Mississippi. He well knew the standard tunes, could "read his notes," and was an excellent judge of hymns, having a fair knowledge of hymnology. He was much interested in education, rarely failing to attend the opening and closing of the sessions of his Conference schools. He openly and frankly, yet modestly and

kindly, opposed the admission of young men into the Conference who were unprepared for its grave responsibilities, urging them to get ready for the work. No man in his Conference took a larger interest than he in the collection and preservation of historical data. His extended ministry and unceasing travels brought him in touch with many original sources, and he has conserved for the future historian much that is of rich value. He was an active member of the Mississippi Historical Association, and served for a time as vice president of that body for his Conference. He prepared and published several papers concerning important events in the Church life of the early days in this territory. He was for six years editor of the Conference Minutes, doing his work well. Brother Bachman was a plain, practical preacher, careful in his study of the Word and sound and faithful in his exposition. If he failed to reach heights sublime, he at least kept far above the absurd and foolish. An intelligent gentleman who knew him well for forty years said of him: "I never heard him say a foolish thing." He was not emotional, but could be profoundly stirred by great preaching. In prayer he was earnest, fervent, effectual, often adding much force to the sermon of his pastor by his prayer at its close. For fifty and six years he went in and out as a minister in North Mississippi, faithful, diligent, upright. No shadow rests upon his good name. It was my privilege to stand at his bedside when twilight was gathering at the close of life's long day. He inquired tenderly of his brethren, of the work of the Church, reviewed some events of the past, and sent this farewell message: "All is well!" There was "no moaning of the bar when he put out to sea." In many a circle there is a vacant chair because of his going.—*J. R. Coun-  
tiss.*

REUBEN A. ELLIS, son of Jeremiah and Nancy (Allgood) Ellis, was born in Blount County, Ala., on August 21, 1842. He was converted and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in 1856, when only fourteen years old. He moved to Mississippi in 1865, and on September 20, 1866, he was married to Mattie Susan Hudgins, daughter of Rev. J. E. Hudgins, of Oxford, Miss. He was licensed to preach on October 7, 1871; ordained deacon in 1874 by Bishop Doggett at Aberdeen, Miss., and ordained elder in 1876

by Bishop Pierce at Sardis, Miss. Brother Ellis served charges as follows: Calhoun Circuit, in 1873; junior preacher on the Oxford Circuit with J. W. Poston, 1874; Toccopola Circuit, 1875; Banner Circuit, 1876-78; Oxford Circuit, 1879; New Albany, 1880-82; Baldwin, 1883-86; New Albany, 1887; West, 1888-89; Winoona Circuit, 1890-91. He then was transferred to the Northwest Texas Conference and stationed at Quanah and Childress in 1892; Atlas, Okla., 1893-94; Itasca, Tex., 1894-96; Reagan, 1897-98; Saint Paul, 1899. He was transferred back to the North Mississippi Conference in 1900, and was sent to the West Circuit, which he served in 1901. He served the Pleasant Grove Circuit and Longtown in 1902-04; Sallis, 1905; Belzoni, 1906-07; Inverness, 1908-09. In the winter of 1909 he took the superannuate relation at Okolona, Miss., and moved to Yazoo City, Miss., where he spent the remainder of his life. His wife, who has been a true, faithful helpmeet in all his work, went to her reward in 1911. Brother Ellis lived his last years with his son, Mr. J. B. Ellis, who, with his wife, tenderly cared for him until the morning of May 13, 1916, when this "prince in Israel" went to his home above. The dates show that Brother Ellis was seventy-three years, eight months, and twenty-two days old when the final summons came, and that thirty-seven years of that time were spent as a pastor without a break in his work, in which he was faithful to every trust committed to his care. He was a strong, thoughtful preacher, who read carefully the standards of our Church, and himself wrote some things helpful to the student of theology. He always endeavored to make his own life richer by what he read. He was devoted to his Church papers, and when he could no longer see to read them would sit for hours and listen attentively to his son and his son's wife while they read for him. Brother Ellis leaned hard upon God's Word, and in his last days was longing for a deeper and richer experience in his own heart. He was always in his place in the church, and was ever ready to assist in administering the sacrament of the Lord's Supper, and to render such other service as he was called upon for. He would often praise God for his mercy, and while, as he approached the end—for he was conscious that it was near—his eyesight was almost gone, his speech much impaired, his

step unsteady, he was cheerful. He did not think much of the past, but looked hopefully to the future. He was looking forward with deep interest and much prayer to the revival meeting that was soon to be held here in Yazoo City, when he expected to be associated with the Rev. J. A. Bowen again; but instead, he went home to live with God. Brother Ellis was a member of Company K of the Nineteenth Alabama Regiment in the Civil War, and for his country he was a faithful soldier. He leaves three sons to mourn their loss—Dr. Ellis, of Memphis, Tenn.; one son in Snyder, Okla.; and Mr. J. B. Ellis, of Yazoo City, Miss. He belonged to a family of preachers, other members of which were Rev. D. G. Ellis, a superannuate of the North Texas Conference, and Rev. S. B. Ellis, who died while a member of that Conference several years ago. On Sunday morning, May 14, 1916, the funeral service was conducted in the church in Yazoo City by Rev. J. A. Bowen, assisted by the several preachers of the city; and the body was laid to rest in the city cemetery, the grave being covered with flowers by sorrowing friends. We miss him, and hope to meet him in the Great Beyond.—*W. M. Sullivan.*

JAMES R. ROBBERSON, son of James H. and M. A. Roberson, was born in Lauderdale County, Ala., June 1, 1846, and died in Pontotoc, Miss., June 5, 1916. When he was a small boy his father moved to Mississippi and located near the town of Batesville. Here he grew to manhood and was educated in the common schools of that day. His conversion took place at Wesley chapel in 1867, and here he joined the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and was licensed to preach. He was admitted on trial into the North Mississippi Conference at Aberdeen in 1874; received into full connection at Sardis in 1876, at which time he was ordained deacon by Bishop Pierce, being ordained elder by Bishop Paine at Macon, Miss., in 1878. He was twice married, the first time to Mrs. Mattie Naugle, in 1884. Their only child died in infancy, the wife herself dying in 1889. In 1893 he married Miss Mary Ann Bigham, and to them were born five children, four of whom, with their mother, are left to mourn their loss. Brother Roberson was greatly afflicted for seven years, his sufferings growing in intensity to a fearful degree; yet in it all he was wonderfully



patient. For some time before the end came his daily theme was "religion." As his pastor, I often found him eager to speak of his readiness and willingness to go; yet he longed to be well once more that he might meet the brethren in Conference and live to see his children educated. His ministry was in a high degree evangelistic, and he was frequently engaged in revival services. These enlisted all the fervor of his soul, and gave him great joy. He was an effective preacher. He had great gifts in prayer and exhortation, his appeals often stirring his audiences profoundly; and many have said that the memory of his prayers would abide with them always. He died in peace, the calmness and resignation of the hour giving great consolation to his stricken family. May the blessings of our heavenly Father abide with his loved ones, and may they and we meet our departed brother in the Great Conference above!—*W. M. Young.*

HARRY G. HENDERSON was born in Lebanon, Ky., on March 2, 1860, and died in Holly Springs, Miss., on November 2, 1916. His parents were Rev. James A. Henderson, M.D., and Mattie Henderson. He was educated at Kentucky Wesleyan College, where he secured the degree of Master of Arts. Later he enrolled in the Theological Department of Vanderbilt University, and was graduated with high honors at the age of twenty-one years, entering immediately upon his life work as a minister of the gospel. He was a man of many distinguished traits of character, only a few of which may be mentioned in this brief memoir. His associates were first of all impressed with the spirit in which he lived. His cheerfulness was so genuine and abounding that his visits to the downcast and weary left hope and brightness behind. He indulged no feeling of gloom or discouragement, hence his coming and going were like the passing of an early morning breeze, leaving all with a sense of refreshment. Add to this the fact that he was a good conversationalist, always expressing his thoughts in chaste and pleasing English, and some idea of his charming life is reached. Dr. Henderson made himself agreeable to all classes of people. His sense of the equality of the race in Christ Jesus made it easy for him to manifest a brotherly spirit toward all mankind. The poor, the unlearned, even the vicious, were made to feel his courte-

ous friendliness. His perfect frankness, his perspicuity of life, his avoidance of all affectation, seasoned and sweetened all his intercourse with humanity. In his home his natural and acquired traits shone at their best. He was a dignified husband, a doting father, a delightful host, all in perfect grace and simple charm. Dr. Henderson was an author of no mean repute, writing gracefully and lucidly for the press at frequent intervals. His book, "When Sainthood Was In Flower," will long live to perpetuate his memory and bless the lives of those who read it. Its graphic delineation of character is rarely equaled. It was as a preacher that Dr. Henderson reached his zenith. He was a master in the pulpit. He labored ceaselessly to honor his calling. He was a man of broad reading, mastering many choice books. He read and digested poetry, sounded philosophy, science, literature, agriculture, economics, and theology, that he might draw deeply upon all these for his messages to the people. God honored him and he, in turn, spent himself in a laudable effort to honor God in his preaching. His sermons scintillated with beauty and polish, his face meanwhile showing the fervor kindled by a heart swelling with rapture. He was a princely orator when at his best. He was first a member of the Kentucky Conference, where he served such charges as Frankfort, Covington, Winchester, Georgetown, and Versailles. In 1898 he was transferred to the Western Virginia Conference, where he served the leading church in Parkersburg for four years, during which time he led in the building of a church costing sixty-five thousand dollars and a parsonage worth five thousand dollars. From here he went to First Church, St. Louis, remaining several years, before transferring to Helena, Ark. Here he installed one of the finest pipe organs in the State. After hearing his famous sermon on "Christian Giving," this congregation was so inspired that it undertook at once the support of a foreign missionary. From Helena he was transferred to the Memphis Conference and stationed at Brownsville, Tenn. His people at this place often spoke of him as one of the ablest preachers and most wide-awake pastors in the Connection. Here also his enthusiasm inspired the support of a missionary, and the congregation pledged one thousand dollars per year for four years. From the Memphis Conference he came to North Mis-

Mississippi, where he served for the last six years of his life in the pulpits of First Church (Columbus), Lexington, Sardis, and Holly Springs. Through his whole life purity sent its steady glow. It was this that made his life so lovely. He gave his all to the God he loved. Upon the altars of the Church he placed his brilliant capacities, through which God sent the gleam of his Spirit, making of him truly a great man. His last conscious act was the offering of his evening devotions to the Lord he loved and delighted to serve. We shall see him no more until we clasp hands in our eternal home, but we may catch inspiration from his example for the remainder of our journey.—J. W. Dorman.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called over, one by one, and all their characters passed except C. C. Clark and S. B. Myers, who withdrew from the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### Aberdeen District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Aberdeen .....	...	341
Algoma .....	...	314
Amory and Nettleton .....	1	620
Buena Vista .....	...	446
Calhoun City .....	...	624
Fulton .....	2	476
Greenwood Springs .....	...	690
Houlka .....	...	416
Houston Station .....	2	282
Houston Mission .....	...	340
Montpelier .....	...	478
Nettleton Circuit .....	...	812
Okolona Station .....	...	448
Okolona Circuit .....	...	371
Pontotoc .....	...	227
Prairie .....	...	96
Shannon .....	...	542
Smithville .....	1	580
Tremont .....	3	488
Tupelo .....	1	598
Vardaman .....	1	752
Verona .....	1	237
	12	10,179

#### Columbus District.

Artesia and Sessums .....	169
Brooksville .....	205
Cedar Bluff .....	226
Cochrane Circuit .....	87
Columbus: First Church .....	1 911
Central .....	415
Columbus Circuit .....	1 521
Crawford .....	132
Longview .....	1 432
Macon Station .....	314
Macon Circuit .....	343

#### Columbus District (Continued).

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Mashulaville .....	2	360
Mayhew .....	...	84
Shuqualak .....	...	203
Starkville .....	...	527
Sturgis .....	...	531
West Point .....	...	677
	5	6,137

#### Corinth District.

Belmont .....	1	362
Booneville .....	...	503
Booneville Circuit .....	...	475
Chalybeate .....	2	313
Corinth: First Church .....	1	572
South Side .....	2	266
Corinth Circuit .....	1	369
Dumas .....	...	435
Guntown and Baldwyn .....	...	558
Hickory Flat .....	1	243
Iuka .....	1	325
Iuka Circuit .....	...	508
Kossuth .....	...	419
Mantachie .....	4	505
Marietta .....	...	464
Mooreville .....	1	290
Myrtle .....	3	535
New Albany .....	1	378
New Albany Circuit .....	1	684
Ripley and Blue Mountain .....	1	241
Ripley Circuit .....	1	349
Rienzi Circuit .....	...	522
Sherman .....	...	529
Tishomingo .....	...	154
Wheeler .....	1	567
	22	10,566

#### Durant District.

Ackerman .....	...	420
Acona .....	...	156
Bellefontaine .....	2	519
Black Hawk .....	...	362
Chester .....	...	640
Durant .....	...	382
Eupora and Maben .....	...	388
Hesterville .....	...	414
High Point .....	...	410
Kilmichael .....	2	451
Kosciusko Station .....	1	612
Kosciusko Circuit .....	...	430
Lexington Station .....	1	457
Lexington Circuit .....	...	268
Louisville .....	...	382
Mathiston .....	...	389
McCool .....	...	675
Noxapater .....	...	330
Pickens .....	...	300
Poplar Creek .....	1	456
Sallis .....	...	494
Sidon .....	1	142
Slate Springs .....	...	325
Tchula .....	2	85
Vaiden and West .....	2	407
	12	9,894

#### Greenville District.

Arcola and Hollandale .....	120
Benolt and Beulah .....	153
Boyle .....	335
Clarksdale .....	307
Cleveland .....	250
Coahoma and Lyon .....	98
Friar's Point .....	121
Glen Allen .....	101
Greenville .....	415
Gunnison .....	94

## Greenville District (Continued).

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers
Jonestown and Belen .....		135
Leland .....		200
Lula and Dubbs .....		144
Rosedale and Hillhouse .....		75
Shaw and Merigold .....		402
Shelby .....		204
Tunica and Robinsonville .....	2	200
	2	3,344

## Holly Springs District.

Abbeville .....		44
Ashland .....	1	387
Byhalia .....		413
Coffeeville .....	2	255
Grenada .....		392
Halcomb .....		450
Holly Springs .....		363
Lamar .....		267
Mount Pleasant .....		269
Oxford .....	2	356
Paris .....		481
Pine Valley .....	1	229
Potts Camp .....	2	533
Randolph .....	1	349
Red Banks .....		217
Taylor .....		359
Toccpola .....	2	479
Waterford .....		339
Water Valley: First Church .....		550
North Main Street .....	1	127
	12	7,229

## Sardis District.

Arkabutla .....		275
Batesville .....		177
Charleston .....		475
Cockrum .....	3	476
Coldwater .....	2	275
Como .....		240
Courtland .....		290
Crenshaw .....		277
Eudora .....		261
Eureka .....		737
Hernando .....		148
Longtown .....	1	286
Oakland .....		310
Olive Branch .....		313
Pleasant Hill .....		242
Sardis .....		292
Sardis Circuit .....	1	285
Senatobia .....		245
Tyro .....		477
Wall Hill .....	1	232
	8	6,313

## Winona District.

Belzoin .....		186
Carrollton .....	1	424
Drew .....	1	242
Dublin .....	1	105
Duck Hill .....	1	402
Greenwood .....	1	605
Indianola .....		250
Isola .....		136
Itta Bena .....		294
Lambert .....		235
Minter City and Philipp .....		45
Moorhead .....		96
Ruleville .....		200
Schlatter .....		148
Sunflower Mission .....		160
Swiftown .....		107
Tutwiler .....		100
Valley Mission .....		71

## Winona District (Continued).

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Webb .....	1	184
Winona Station .....		368
Winona Circuit .....		779
	6	5,137

## Recapitulation.

Aberdeen District .....	12	10,179
Columbus District .....	5	6,137
Corinth District .....	22	10,566
Durant District .....	12	9,894
Greenville District .....	2	3,344
Holly Springs District .....	12	7,229
Sardis District .....	8	6,313
Winona District .....	6	5,137
Total this year .....	79	58,799
Total last year .....	92	59,131
Decrease .....	13	332

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supplies and Training? 12; and names furnished.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 9; and names furnished.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 414.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 2,244.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 36.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 1,084.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 547.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 3,553.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 42,294.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$9,000.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$6,628. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$9,788; Home and Conference Missions, \$9,814. Total, \$19,602.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$5,836.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$6,594.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$838.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$17,686; preachers in charge, \$137,885.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$1,947.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 618; houses of worship, 570.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$1,249,935; indebtedness, \$59,189.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 166; parsonages, 154.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$315,260; indebtedness, \$14,734.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 8; district parsonages, 8.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$25,000; indebtedness, \$1,350.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 6; amount of damage, \$7,330.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$477,575; premiums paid, \$4,668; losses sustained, \$3,650; collections on losses, \$3,681.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Millsaps College: Value of property, \$277,500; endowment, \$594,385; professors, 13; pupils, 249. Grenada College: Value of property, \$100,000; professors, 15; pupils, 115.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 549; Conference organ, 2,731.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? E. V. Hughston, Lay Leader.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Oxford, Miss.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### ABERDEEN DISTRICT.

*T. H. Lipscomb, P. E.*

Aberdeen, J. M. Bradley.  
Algoma, R. P. Goar.

Amory and Nettleton, J. E. Thomas.  
Buena Vista, W. R. Williams.  
Calhoun City, R. M. Evans.  
Fulton Circuit, A. F. Moore.  
Greenwood Springs, R. G. Hafling.  
Houlka, A. Joe Beasley.  
Houston, J. W. Raper.  
Houston Circuit, J. W. Raper, Jr., supply.  
Montpelier Circuit, W. L. Graves.  
Nettleton Circuit, A. S. Brisco.  
Okolona, J. W. Bell.  
Okolona Circuit, C. R. A. Brantley.  
Pontotoc, W. M. Young.  
Prairie and Strong's, C. W. Baley.  
Shannon Circuit, W. D. McCullough.  
Smithville Circuit, D. C. Foust.  
Tremont Circuit, L. H. Floyd, supply.  
Tupelo, O. W. Bradley.  
Vardaman Circuit, E. H. Rook.  
Verona, W. N. Dodds.  
Assistant Sunday School Editor, J. W. Boswell.  
Conference Evangelist, J. A. Bowen.  
Conference Secretary of Education, T. H. Lipscomb.

#### COLUMBUS DISTRICT.

*W. W. Wollard, P. E.*

Artesia and Sessums, T. J. Halfacre.  
Brooksville, J. M. Guinn.  
Cedar Bluff, W. A. Bowlin.  
Cochrane Circuit, J. W. Robertson.  
Columbus: First Church, W. L. Duren.  
Central Church, W. V. Shearer.  
Columbus Circuit, T. E. Gregory.  
Crawford, D. W. Babb.  
Longview Circuit, R. G. A. Carlisle, supply.  
Macon, E. N. Broyles.  
Macon Circuit, I. F. Holland.  
Mashulaville Circuit, A. W. O'Bryant.  
Mayhew Circuit, R. L. Ellis.  
Shuqualak Circuit, A. S. Raper.  
Starkville, J. C. Park.  
Sturgis Circuit, J. C. McElroy.  
West Point, L. P. Wasson.  
Chaplain in United States Army, J. A. Randolph.  
Conference Evangelist, J. H. Bell.

#### CORINTH DISTRICT.

*T. H. Dorsey, P. E.*

Booneville, J. M. Wyatt.  
Booneville Circuit, J. D. Boggs.  
Burnsville Circuit, B. C. Whitehurst, supply.  
Chalybeate Circuit, B. P. Fullilove.  
Corinth: First Church, J. E. Cunningham.  
South Side, J. R. James.

Corinth Circuit, A. L. Davenport.  
 Dumas Circuit, W. G. Burks.  
 Golden City, Guy Ray.  
 Guntown and Baldwin, J. D. Simpson.  
 Hickory Flat, E. Blizard, supply.  
 Iuka, L. A. McKeown.  
 Iuka Circuit, W. I. White.  
 Kossuth Circuit, D. R. McDougal.  
 Mantachie Circuit, A. J. Henry.  
 Marietta Circuit, M. E. Scott, supply.  
 Mooreville, J. W. York, supply.  
 Myrtle Circuit, J. A. Goad.  
 New Albany, S. L. Pope.  
 New Albany Circuit, C. A. Northington.  
 Ripley and Blue Mountain, J. J. Baird.  
 Ripley Circuit, M. L. Ward, supply.  
 Rienzi Circuit, W. W. Hartsfield.  
 Sherman Circuit, W. B. Baker.  
 Silver Springs Circuit, G. B. Love, supply.  
 Tishomingo Circuit, W. C. Beasley.  
 Wheeler Circuit, W. T. Bazzel.

DURANT DISTRICT.

W. W. Mitchell, P. E.

Ackerman Circuit, Charles D. McGehee.  
 Acona, P. F. Luter.  
 Bellefontaine Circuit, T. L. Houston.  
 Black Hawk Circuit, J. G. Johnson.  
 Chester Circuit, H. M. Cockrum.  
 Durant, J. T. McCafferty.  
 Ebenezer, Carl Oakes, supply.  
 Eupora and Maben, T. H. Mills.  
 Hesterville Circuit, S. F. Harkey.  
 High Point Circuit, E. D. Simpson.  
 Kilmichael Circuit, J. J. Garner.  
 Kosciusko, S. A. Brown.  
 Kosciusko Circuit, C. A. Parks.  
 Lexington, B. P. Jaco.  
 Louisville, W. C. Carlisle.  
 Mathiston Circuit, James Porter.  
 McCool Circuit, T. L. Oakes.  
 Noxapater Circuit, G. W. Gordon.  
 Pickens, W. M. Langley.  
 Poplar Creek Circuit, A. R. Beasley.  
 Sallis Circuit, J. A. Patterson.  
 Sidon, J. A. Poe.  
 Slate Springs Circuit, S. W. Bryant.  
 Tchula, C. P. Moss.  
 Vaiden and West, H. M. Young.  
 Superintendent of Orphanage, J. B. Randolph; Assistant Superintendent, G. L. Lauderdale.  
 Student in Millsaps College, B. G. Moore.

GREENVILLE DISTRICT.

V. C. Curtis, P. E.

Arcola and Hollandale, J. A. Coleman.  
 Benoit and Beulah, J. D. Wroten.  
 Boyle Circuit, J. Hendrix Mitchell.  
 Clarksdale, R. O. Brown.

Cleveland, T. M. Bradley.  
 Coahoma and Lyon, J. E. Stephens.  
 Friar's Point, J. R. Bright.  
 Glen Allen, A. T. McIlwain.  
 Greenville, J. T. Lewis.  
 Gunnison, R. W. Evans.  
 Jonestown and Evansville, D. R. Wasson.  
 Leland, E. H. Cunningham.  
 Lula and Dubbs, W. W. Jones.  
 Merigold and Alligator, W. R. Lott.  
 Rosedale and Hillhouse, J. W. Ward.  
 Shaw, W. C. Galceran.  
 Shelby and Duncan, W. M. Campbell.  
 Tunica and Robinsonville, Olin Ray.  
 Editor of *New Orleans Christian Advocate*, R. A. Meek.  
 Chaplain in United States Army, J. M. Moose.  
 Conference Missionary Secretary, J. T. Lewis.

HOLLY SPRINGS DISTRICT.

J. H. Felts, P. E.

Abbeville Circuit, R. S. Lawson.  
 Ashland Circuit, G. C. Gregory, supply.  
 Byhalia, A. C. McCorkle.  
 Coffeetown and Bethlehem, W. L. Stortment.  
 Grenada, R. A. Tucker.  
 Holcomb Circuit, C. T. Floyd.  
 Holly Springs, E. R. Smoot.  
 Lamar Circuit, T. H. Porter.  
 Mount Pleasant Circuit, M. A. Burns.  
 Oxford, E. S. Lewis.  
 Paris Circuit, D. H. Crowson.  
 Potts Camp Circuit, J. L. Nabors.  
 Randolph Circuit, R. M. Papasan, supply.  
 Red Banks Circuit, S. H. Caffey.  
 Taylor Circuit, R. G. Lord.  
 Toccopola Circuit, T. J. Hopper.  
 Waterford Circuit, N. N. Maxey.  
 Water Valley: First Church, J. W. Dorman.  
 North Main and Pine Valley, A. H. Williams.  
 Grenada College: J. R. Countiss, President; T. M. Brownlee, Commissioner.

SARDIS DISTRICT.

J. H. Holder, P. E.

Arkabutla Circuit, J. B. Conner.  
 Batesville, E. G. Mohler.  
 Charleston, W. H. Mounger.  
 Cockrum Circuit, F. H. McGee.  
 Coldwater, H. G. Roberts.  
 Como, R. P. Neblett.  
 Courtland Circuit, R. I. Collins.  
 Crenshaw Circuit, W. R. Goudelock.  
 Eudora Circuit, J. A. Biffle.  
 Eureka Circuit, J. T. Simmons.



Hernando, M. Johnson.  
 Longtown Circuit, G. A. Baker.  
 Oakland Circuit, W. F. Rogers.  
 Olive Branch Circuit, W. S. Selman.  
 Pleasant Hill Circuit, W. W. Bruner.  
 Sardis, W. D. Wendel.  
 Sardis Circuit, W. D. Bennett.  
 Senatobia, J. H. Brooks.  
 Tyro Circuit, A. M. Bennett.  
 Wall Hill Circuit, O. P. Armour.  
 Sunday School Field Agent, R. H. B. Gladney.  
 Student in Millsaps College, Wesley White.

## WINONA DISTRICT.

L. M. Lipscomb, P. E.

Belzoni, W. O. Wagoner.  
 Carrollton Circuit, J. H. Smith.  
 Drew, W. S. Lagrone.  
 Dublin Circuit, J. J. Brooks.  
 Duck Hill Circuit, B. F. Bullard.

Greenwood, J. A. Hall.  
 Indianola, J. H. Mitchell.  
 Isola Circuit, E. M. Shaw.  
 Itta Bena, W. S. Shipman.  
 Lambert Circuit, J. T. Lockhart.  
 Minter City and Philipp, A. A. Martin.  
 Moorhead, R. H. Ruff.  
 Ruleville, J. H. Ingram.  
 Schlater, E. B. Sharp.  
 Sunflower Circuit, L. W. Cain, supply;  
 W. W. McLain, Sup.  
 Swiftown Mission, John Ritchey.  
 Tutwiler Circuit, W. C. Lester.  
 Valley Mission, E. C. Driskell, supply.  
 Webb Circuit, O. L. Savage.  
 Winona, W. N. Duncan; R. I. Allen, Sup.  
 Winona Circuit, W. J. Wood.

*Transferred.*—H. S. Spragins, to the  
 Memphis Conference; R. B. Burks, to the  
 Tennessee Conference.

## NORTH ARKANSAS CONFERENCE.

## THIRD SESSION.

HELD AT SEARCY, ARK., NOVEMBER 29-DECEMBER 4, 1916.

BISHOP MOUZON, *President*; F. M. DANIEL, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. Inis Lothair Claud, Hezekiah  
 Stewart, Robert Lee Jackson, William H.  
 Gayer, John Nelson Russell Score, George  
 Wendell Pyles, Albert William Martin, Jo-  
 seph Luther Shelby, H. B. Chancellor. 9.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? First  
 year, Clarence N. Weems, J. F. Carter, J.  
 H. Gholson; second year, Elmer H. Hook,  
 Charles Jackson Wade, William A. Wil-  
 liams, Elzer M. Noe, Henry A. Stroupe, J.  
 K. Farish, Joe J. McCullom, D. H. Holland,  
 J. W. Moore, Lee B. Hankins. 13.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full con-  
 nection? James W. Johnson, Riley Jones,  
 J. B. Stewart, M. C. Bevins, R. A. Bevis,  
 W. J. Williams, G. W. Butler, H. H. Blev-  
 ins, A. R. Ward, Guy Murphy. 10.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? Charles  
 Edwards, John B. Andrews. 2.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer  
 from other Conferences? U. G. Reynolds,  
 elder, and H. B. Chancellor, preacher on  
 trial first year, from the East Oklahoma  
 Conference; G. M. Hill, elder, from the  
 Missouri Conference. 3.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other  
 Churches as local preachers? Julian Fos-

ter, local elder, from the Church of Dis-  
 ciples. 1.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other  
 Churches as traveling preachers? None.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one  
 year? Third year, J. W. Johnson, R. A.  
 Bevis, Riley Jones, W. J. Williams, H. H.  
 Blevins, J. B. Stewart, M. C. Bevins, A. R.  
 Ward, Guy Murphy, E. M. Kelsey, T. C.  
 Steele, J. W. Howard, W. M. Adcock, C.  
 L. Castleberry, A. L. Platt; fourth year,  
 S. G. Watson, I. C. Bradsher, E. A. Moody,  
 J. B. Hendrix, Eli Craig, O. L. Cole, Nor-  
 ris Greer, J. E. Snell, B. E. Robertson. 24.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are  
 elected deacons? Richard Alexander Be-  
 vis, Walter Jacob Williams, George Wash-  
 ington Butler, Hilary Herman Blevins,  
 Alva Rufus Ward, Guy Murphy. 6.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are  
 ordained deacons? R. A. Bevis, W. J. Wil-  
 liams, G. W. Butler, H. H. Blevins, A. R.  
 Ward, Guy Murphy. 6.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elect-  
 ed deacons? John B. Finley, Walter D.  
 Forrest, James G. Parker, Robert F.  
 Shinn, Albert William Martin, Melvin Lee  
 Mack, Eugene Emmons, William Jesse  
 Martin, James Franklin Smith, Hezekiah  
 Stewart, Inis Lothair Claude. 11.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? J. B. Finley, W. D. Forrest, J. G. Parker, R. F. Shinn, A. W. Martin, M. L. Mack, E. Emmons, W. J. Martin, J. F. Smith, H. Stewart, I. L. Claude. 11.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? John Martin Harrison, John Quincy Schisler, Harry Calvin Hoy, Oscar Daniel Langston, James Gordon Wimpy, William Burton Hubbell, James Franklin Glover, Percy Vaughn, Joseph Wilson Crichlow, Edward Theodore Wayland, William Thomas Wilkinson, Frederick Lawrence Glisson, Benjamin Charles Few, Henry Burton Trimble, James Beverly Evans, James Marvin Hughes. 16.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? J. M. Harrison, J. Q. Schisler, H. C. Hoy, O. D. Langston, J. G. Wimpy, W. B. Hubbell, J. F. Glover, Percy Vaughn, J. W. Crichlow, E. T. Wayland, W. T. Wilkinson, F. L. Glisson, B. C. Few, H. B. Trimble, J. B. Evans, J. M. Hughes. 16.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? Franklin Daniel Alexander, local elder. 1.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? Franklin Daniel Alexander. 1.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? Charles Henson, G. W. Butler. 2.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? G. M. Barton, W. H. Dyer, J. E. Woodruff, J. H. Sturdy, J. H. Dye, J. W. Howard, S. F. Brown, A. M. R. Branson, W. P. Talkington. 9.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? S. H. Blackwell, H. T. Gregory, F. M. Smith, Cadesman Pope, W. W. Anderson, A. C. Griffin, S. S. Key, L. A. Blevins, Z. W. Lindsey, O. J. Beardsley, W. B. Johnsey, J. H. Cummins, G. W. O. Davis, S. F. Dykes, A. Mathis, T. A. Martin, B. Monk, R. M. Traylor, J. W. Griffin, G. L. Horton, J. S. Watson, H. A. Armstrong, N. E. Skinner, O. H. Tucker, C. H. Nelson, Fred Little, Z. T. Bennett, M. M. Smith, T. C. Steele. 29.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? Francis A. Jeffett, Thomas Martin, Crowder B. Moseley, Vander T. McCaffrey. 4.

CROWDER B. MOSELEY.—The man, the preacher, and the missionary. Fruits, and not wishes, will appear or be wanting at the final assize, and be the only evidence of living called for by the Judge. Crowder B. Moseley, our brother and

faithful comrade, is safe and will pass unchallenged by that test. Good results were constant effects of his daily living. His parents were of the best people in every respect, finely toned in mind and spirit, cultured to the standard of the best ideal in the old Southland. Their piety was marked and beautiful. His father dying early in his boyhood, the care and culture of the children fell wholly upon the mother, who proved worthy and competent to the task. He professed saving faith in early boyhood, and joined the Methodist Church. In 1881 his mother committed him to Jerome Haralson, then President of Quitman College, who took him into his family and entered him into his course of education in the college. After two years of close application, he sent him to Vanderbilt University, where he completed the literary and theological courses. He was licensed to preach in 1880 or 1881. As a young preacher he was often discouraged at his efforts to preach. At such times he sought his loving, sympathizing friend, Mrs. Haralson, who always brought him out all right. He was more of a teacher than preacher. While at Vanderbilt he became acquainted with young Dr. W. R. Lambuth, now bishop, and a mutual admiration grew into warm friendship between them. When the Doctor came to return to his place in China as a missionary with his father, at his request the Board of Missions accepted and appointed our sainted brother, Crowder B. Moseley, to that field; and when our Church came to enter Japan, the Lambuths, father and son, were asked to serve that work, and they took their much-loved Crowder with them. He, therefore, was one of our first missionaries to Japan. Before leaving China he was married to Miss Reagan, a missionary from the Woman's Board there, who went with him to Japan. They together were assigned school work, in which they remained for the greater part of their long life in that country. Six children came to them, and these, with their mother, now mourn their loss. Of Brother Moseley, Bishop Wilson said he was the most important, most useful man in that field. He gave his entire life to the ministry amongst the heathen people. His piety and consistent walk illustrated what he preached to the people daily. When Bishop Wilson came to go to Japan to organize the Japan Church into a separate body, he insisted on Crowder's going with him because of his fa-

miliarity with and perfect use of the language. In that work he remained till a year ago, when his health had so far failed that he took the superannuate relation to the Conference and returned to America. His father-in-law, the Rev. Mr. Reagan, was then living at Seattle, Washington. He stopped there, intending only a visit, but circumstances combined induced him to remain there. His physical condition grew worse until, on August 17, 1916, the Master called him to the upper field. So a good man lived and was not, for God took him. His loving Lord has charge of his loved ones, and all will continue well with them.—*Jerome Haralson.*

FRANCIS ASBURY JEFFETT was born in Norfolk, Va., January 13, 1849, and died at Cotton Plant, Ark., October 22, 1916. He was religious from childhood, having joined the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, when a boy and walked in the faith of the fathers for more than half a century. He was the son of a Methodist minister and born in an itinerant's parsonage. He came to Arkansas in 1877 and was stationed at Fayetteville. In 1883 he was transferred to the White River Conference from the Arkansas Conference and stationed at Searcy. He served Searcy in 1884, Searcy District in 1885, Helena Station in 1886-88. He was appointed agent for Galloway College in 1889 and served two years, when he was placed on the Searcy District and served in 1891-93. He served Searcy Station 1894-97; Paragould Station 1898-1901. He was then sent to the Paragould District for one year, then to Marianna Station for 1903-06, and to Helena Station for 1907-09. He was then on the supernumerary list for 1910. At the close of the year he was placed on the effective list and stationed at Cotton Plant and served that charge four years, ending in 1914; then was stationed at Brinkley, where he closed his active ministry. That fall he superannuated and moved to Cotton Plant, where he lived a great sufferer without murmur; but with cheer and sunshine he met his friends and made them feel that they were in the presence of a saint of God. The end came not unexpectedly, but at a time when all were looking for the Master's call. The way was clear; no shadow bedimmed his sunset. His end was peace, and the fruit of his well-spent life will ripen and be gathered in until the Master bids time

to be no more and he with us is caught up to meet him in the air. Brother Jeffett was educated at Randolph-Macon College, where he graduated. He was a man moved by convictions rather than by notions. His utterances were strong, his English smooth, and words chosen to fit. His preaching was of a high order, his sympathies deep, and his emotions easily stirred. He rests beneath the shades in the city of the dead in the town of Cotton Plant, Ark. His funeral was conducted by the writer, assisted by his pastor, Rev. B. L. Harris, and his old Conference classmate, Rev. W. W. Anderson, of Searcy. We miss him about the homestead and in the house of God, and will miss him at the gathering of the brethren at the Annual Conference; but we feel that we know where to find him. May his mantle fall on his sons, and may peace be multiplied unto his lonely companion!—*W. F. Evans.*

THOMAS MARTIN was born in McDonald County, Mo., May 9, 1875. His parents moved to Arkansas when Thomas was only two years old, and he grew to manhood amid the surroundings of country life in the northwestern part of that State. Convictions of duty came to him early in life, and he definitely dedicated himself to God at the age of fifteen and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. In this he showed his strength of decision, for his parents were not Methodists. His call to preach came with his decision to dedicate his life to God in service. From this consciousness of duty he shrank with a reserve that was natural to him. Feeling his lack of preparation and distrusting his own natural endowments, he struggled against his convictions for fifteen years. On October 7, 1907, Brother Martin was licensed to exhort by the Elm Springs Quarterly Conference. He was licensed to preach April 30, 1908. He was recommended for admission into the Annual Conference by the same Conference which gave him license to preach. He was appointed to Springtown Circuit, where he served for two years, 1909-10. His second charge was the Charleston Circuit, where he served for three years. He was on Alma Station for one year, and Midland Heights, Fort Smith, one year. On account of failing health he was sent to Gravette and Decatur charge with the hope that lighter work and higher climate would rebuild his strength and save him to the Church. In all these

fields of labor Brother Martin proved himself a man sent from God. He never disappointed his brethren. The Church prospered under his ministry in all of its work. Everywhere he went he was loved and honored as a faithful servant of God, and people followed his leadership because they believed in him. Brother Martin was happily married to Miss Eva Godard, who was a helpmate indeed to him in his chosen life work. To this union were born two sons, Millard and Roy, who with their mother are left to bear their sorrow together. Brother Martin's going was sudden. He preached in his pulpit at Gravette on Sunday morning, April 30. Before the hour for the evening service God had called him to his reward, and he was ready to go. When the messenger came, he found him doing the things he was sent to do. From the pulpit where he had preached the day before his funeral was conducted amidst a large congregation of sorrowing friends. His body was laid to rest in the cemetery at Elm Springs, near the old church where he began his Christian life and where he was recommended for the ministry. Many strong men wept as they looked into his noble face, now cold in death. He had not lived in vain. His memory and influence will go down through the years to come.—*G. G. Davidson.*

his life work and the high calling of God. In the fall of 1915 he returned to the North Arkansas Conference and was admitted on trial and appointed to Parkin Station, where he made full proof of his ministry until the sad accident, while in bathing with his Boy Scouts, which resulted in his death at his father's home in Talladega, Ala. His sun went down in a clear-sky while it was yet high noon in a cultured life of deep consecration. October 10, 1916, at 12:15 A.M., surrounded by father, mother, four brothers, and four sisters, in the home of his parents, his immortal spirit returned to God to give it. On Wednesday, October 11, he was placed in the city of the dead at old Bethlehem church, twenty-two miles south of Talladega, where he was born and grew to manhood, and where he preached his first sermon. This providence is more than human mind can solve. With such consecrated intelligence, backed by native ability, we feel that he was a born preacher, a close student, a clear thinker, and had a delivery that impressed the most cultured mind that he had a message from God for all the people. In lonely sadness, with a prayer that God may fill his place among us with a greater, we uncomplainingly say good-by.—*W. F. Evans.*

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Yes.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### Batesville District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Batesville: First Church .....	566	
Central Avenue and Bethesda. ....	5	300
Bexar Circuit .....	2	378
Calico Rock and Macedonia. ....	1	255
Calico Rock Circuit .....	3	300
Cave City Circuit .....	4	453
Charlotte Circuit .....	3	237
Cotter Circuit .....	1	125
Desha Circuit .....	1	332
Evening Shade Circuit .....	2	262
Floral Circuit .....	4	514
Kenyon Circuit .....	...	100
Lead Hill and Oakland Circuit. ....	...	113
Marcella and Guion .....	...	230
Melbourne Circuit .....	6	421
Minturn Circuit .....	2	400
Mountain Home .....	1	402
Mountain View .....	...	124
Newark .....	1	243
Newport .....	...	304
Newport Circuit .....	...	85
Pyatt Circuit .....	...	204
Salado and Oil Trough .....	2	294
Sulphur Rock Circuit .....	...	257
Swifton and Alicia .....	...	262

VANDER T. MCCAFFREY.—The morning dawn of November 20, 1883, marked the beginning of the life of Vander T. McCaffrey. He was born in Clay County, Ala., and there he grew to manhood and received his early education. In 1903 he felt the pressure of God calling him into specific work for his kingdom. He wisely accepted the call as one to greater preparation. Without hesitation he made his arrangements and entered Birmingham College, and during his first year there he was licensed to preach by Rev. Thomas Slaughter, D.D., presiding elder of the Birmingham District. After four years in college he taught one year and then entered Vanderbilt University, where he graduated in 1911. He immediately entered the summer course at the University of Chicago and remained to the close of the following term, when he was appointed to fill a vacancy at Swifton and Alicia, Ark., where he remained two years, and was then appointed to Holly Grove and Marvell charge. From this he returned to the University of Chicago for further and more specific preparation for

*Batesville District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Tuckerman .....	1	212
Yellville Circuit .....	1	242
	40	7,815

*Booneville District.*

Adona Circuit .....	275
Bellville Circuit .....	2 500
Bigelow .....	1 177
Booneville .....	1 396
Booneville Circuit .....	255
Branch Circuit .....	325
Carden's Bottom .....	1 237
Cauthron Circuit .....	125
Danville .....	248
Dardanelle .....	342
Dardanelle Circuit .....	3 353
Gravelly Circuit .....	259
Magazine Circuit .....	1 185
Ola and Perry .....	1 168
Paris .....	2 420
Perryville Circuit .....	184
Plainview Circuit .....	1 275
Scranton and Prairie View .....	1 313
Waldron .....	1 295
Waldron Circuit .....	2 226
Walnut Tree Circuit .....	2 392
	19 5,950

*Conway District.*

Altus .....	275
Appleton Circuit .....	...
Atkins .....	212
Clarksville .....	2 446
Conway .....	10 986
Conway Circuit .....	3 421
Damascus Circuit .....	263
Dover Circuit .....	225
Greenbrier Circuit .....	1 398
Hartman and Spadra .....	1 369
Lamar Circuit .....	286
London Circuit .....	2 219
Morrilton .....	421
Naylor Circuit .....	1 475
Plumerville .....	1 145
Pottsville Circuit .....	331
Quitman and Rosebud .....	2 300
Quitman Circuit .....	3 322
Russellville .....	418
Springfield Circuit .....	251
	26 6,753

*Fayetteville District.*

Bentonville .....	382
Berryville .....	1 150
Berryville Circuit .....	1 129
Centerton Circuit .....	2 419
Elm Springs Circuit .....	1 437
Eureka Springs .....	1 162
Farmington Circuit .....	1 195
Fayetteville .....	1 735
Gentry .....	...
Gravette and Decatur .....	156
Green Forest .....	391
Huntsville Circuit .....	1 265
Lincoln Circuit .....	1 389
Marble Circuit .....	...
Osage Circuit .....	4 244
Pea Ridge Circuit .....	1 325
Prairie Grove .....	1 204
Rogers .....	297
Siloam Springs .....	6 168
Springdale .....	2 192
Springdale Circuit .....	224
Springtown Circuit .....	2 220
Viney Grove Circuit .....	1 222

*Fayetteville District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
War Eagle Circuit .....	...	156
Winslow Circuit .....	...	82
	27	6,245

*Fort Smith District.*

Alma .....	102
Beech Grove Circuit .....	218
Charleston Circuit .....	420
Fort Smith: Central Church....	1 753
Dodson Avenue .....	243
First Church .....	475
Midland Heights .....	2 239
South Fort Smith .....	1 98
Fort Smith Circuit .....	295
Greenwood .....	344
Hackett Circuit .....	3 363
Hartford and Midland .....	269
Huntington and Mansfield .....	3 384
Kibler Circuit .....	1 327
Mulberry and Dyer .....	1 421
Ozark .....	1 252
Ozark Circuit .....	504
Van Buren .....	1 495
Van Buren Circuit .....	1 238
	15 6,440

*Helena District.*

Aubrey and Moro Circuit .....	1 246
Brinkley .....	156
Clarendon .....	204
Colt Circuit .....	510
Cotton Plant .....	360
Council Circuit .....	1 42
Forrest City .....	1 412
Hamlin Circuit .....	150
Haynes and Madison .....	210
Helena .....	681
Holly Grove and Marvell.....	186
Howell and Devew .....	451
Hughes Circuit .....	...
Keyville Circuit .....	1 40
La Grange .....	1 123
Marianna .....	256
McCrory .....	1 408
Melwood Circuit .....	86
Parkin .....	2 162
Turner .....	98
West Helena .....	79
Wheatley and Hunter Circuit...	125
Wynne .....	1 355
	9 5,340

*Jonesboro District.*

Barfield Circuit .....	1 ....
Blytheville .....	2 545
Blytheville Circuit .....	2 361
Brookland Circuit .....	207
Crawfordsville and Bethany....	76
Earle .....	296
Gilmore and Joiner .....	65
Harrisburg .....	2 287
Harrisburg Circuit .....	1 450
Jonesboro: First Church .....	2 769
Fisher Street .....	284
Jonesboro Circuit .....	4 307
Lake City Circuit .....	2 303
Luxora .....	179
Manilla and Dell .....	195
Marion .....	48
Marked Tree and Lepanto.....	139
Monette and Macey .....	2 148
Nettleton and Bay .....	1 248
Osceola .....	230
Trinity Church .....	1 248
Vanndale Circuit .....	379



*Jonesboro District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Whitten and Tyronza .....	...	100
Wilson .....	...	30
	20	7,007

*Paragould District.*

Ash Flat Circuit .....	1	350
Black Rock, Portia, and Hoxie..	1	226
Boydsville Circuit .....	2	495
Corning .....	...	208
Gainsville Circuit .....	3	476
Imboden .....	...	164
Imboden Circuit .....	3	602
Lorado .....	...	320
Mammoth Spring .....	...	99
Marmaduke .....	1	361
New Liberty Circuit .....	1	185
Old Walnut Ridge Circuit.....	2	425
Paragould: First Church .....	1	715
East Side .....	1	299
Paragould Circuit .....	1	479
Peach Orchard Circuit .....	1	69
Piggott and Rector .....	1	471
Pocahontas .....	...	226
Pocahontas Circuit .....	3	320
Reyno, Success, and Biggers....	...	...
Salem .....	...	169
St. Francis Circuit .....	1	95
Smithville Circuit .....	...	...
Walnut Ridge .....	...	273
	24	7,019.

*Searcy District.*

Argenta: First Church .....	1	258
Gardner Memorial .....	1	237
Augusta .....	1	257
Augusta Circuit .....	1	110
Auvergne and Weldon .....	...	187
Beebe and Austin .....	4	402
Bellefonte Circuit .....	1	449
Bradford and Bald Knob .....	3	344
Cabot and Jacksonville .....	...	303
Cato Circuit .....	1	259
Clinton Circuit .....	3	424
Griffithville Circuit .....	...	269
Harrison .....	2	301
Heber Springs .....	...	250
Heber Springs Circuit .....	...	90
Higdon and Shirley .....	...	120
Judsonia and Kensett .....	...	235
Leslie .....	3	310
Marshall .....	1	97
McRae Circuit .....	4	425
Pangburn Circuit .....	...	212
Searcy: First Church .....	1	323
Searcy Circuit .....	1	536
Valley Springs Circuit .....	1	320
Vilonia Circuit .....	3	657
	32	7,375

*Recapitulation.*

Batesville District .....	40	7,815
Booneville District .....	19	5,950
Conway District .....	26	6,753
Fayetteville District .....	27	6,245
Fort Smith District .....	15	6,440
Helena District .....	9	5,340
Jonesboro District .....	20	7,007
Paragould District .....	24	7,019
Searcy District .....	32	7,375
Total this year .....	212	59,944
Total last year .....	219	58,832
Increase .....	...	1,112
Decrease .....	7	...

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? No report.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? No report.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 825.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 3,832.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 141.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 4,637.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 522.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 4,474.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 49,511.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$15,159.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$8,862. Paid to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$7,980; Home and Conference Missions, \$8,160. Total, \$16,140.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$4,654.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$5,491.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$554.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$21,602; preachers in charge, \$140,771.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$1,687.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 668; houses of worship, 517.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$1,233,376; indebtedness, \$98,902.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 208; parsonages, 192.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parson-

ages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$266,800; indebtedness, \$19,605.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 9; district parsonages, 9.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$34,000; indebtedness, \$2,500.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 9; amount of damage, \$2,526.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$508,849; premiums paid, \$4,599; losses sustained, \$2,526; collections on losses, \$4,876.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? No answer.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 425; Conference organ, 4,062.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? F. M. Daniel, Lay Leader.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Helena, Ark.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### BATESVILLE DISTRICT.

*B. L. Wilford, P. E.*

Batesville: First Church, J. B. Stevenson.

Central Avenue, W. W. Allbright.

Bexar Circuit, J. W. Johnston.

Calico Rock and Macedonia, J. E. Snell.

Cave City Circuit, A. McKelvey.

Charlotte Circuit, J. M. Thrasher.

Cotter Circuit, J. G. Parker, supply.

Desha and St. James, to be supplied.

Evening Shade Circuit, J. W. Jenkins, supply.

Floral Circuit, J. B. Finley, supply.

Kenyon Circuit, E. A. Horn, supply.

Lead Hill, W. D. Forrest, supply.

Melbourne Circuit, J. W. Black, supply.

Minturn Circuit, W. S. Story, supply.

Mountain Home Circuit, M. A. Fry.

Mountain View, E. H. Hook.

Newark, A. B. Halton.

Newport, W. B. Hays.

Newport Circuit, to be supplied.

Norfolk Circuit, J. W. Copeland, supply.

Salado and Oil Trough, C. J. Wade.

Sulphur Rock and Moorefield, F. M. Née.

Swifton and Alicia, J. M. Harrison.

Tuckerman, M. B. Umstead.

Viola Circuit, F. E. Hall, supply.

Yellville Circuit, L. B. Hankins.

Conference Evangelist, W. B. Wolf.

#### BOONEVILLE DISTRICT.

*J. H. O'Bryant, P. E.*

Adona and Perry, W. M. Adcock.

Belleville Circuit, W. E. Bishop.

Bigelow, E. S. Harris.

Booneville, W. T. Martin.

Booneville Circuit, J. C. Weaver.

Branch Circuit, I. L. Claude.

Cauthron Circuit, I. N. Coburn, supply.

Danville, J. W. Crichlow.

Dardanelle, Eli Myers.

Dardanelle Circuit, J. P. Wheeler.

Gravelly Circuit, H. A. Stroupe.

Magazine Circuit, A. W. Martin.

Ola Circuit, W. E. Hall.

Paris, G. McGlumphey.

Plain View, G. C. Johnson.

Scranton and Prairie View, J. F. Glover.

Waldron, W. A. Lindsey.

Waldron Circuit, J. D. Roberts.

Walnut Tree Circuit, E. M. Kelsey.

District Evangelist, J. R. Ashmore.

Student in Southern Methodist University, J. G. McCullom.

Agent of American Bible Society, D. H. Colquette.

#### CONWAY DISTRICT.

*James A. Anderson, P. E.*

Altus, R. A. Anderson.

Appleton Circuit, J. G. Carter, supply.

Atkins, J. M. Williams.

Clarksville, H. L. Wade.

Conway, H. E. Wheeler.

Conway Circuit, Y. A. Gilmore.

Damascus Circuit, A. J. Winters, supply.

Dover Circuit, R. N. Davis, supply.

Greenbrier Circuit, D. E. Robertson.

Hartman and Spadra, O. C. Lloyd.

Lamar Circuit, A. E. Goode.

London Circuit, J. B. Steward.

Morrilton, H. H. Watson.

Naylor Circuit, J. M. McAnally.

Plumerville, H. L. Wheeler.

Pottsville Circuit, D. J. Weems.

Quitman, J. W. Campbell.

Quitman Circuit, Paul Bates, supply.

Russellville, W. T. Wilkinson.

Rosebud Circuit, J. L. Shelby.

Springfield Circuit, to be supplied.

Conference Evangelist, J. T. Gossett.

Business Manager of Hendrix College, W. B. Hubbell.

Commissioner for Hendrix College, F. S. H. Johnston.

Missionary to Korea, C. N. Weems.  
Conference Missionary Secretary, H. E. Wheeler.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

*G. G. Davidson, P. E.*

Bentonville, J. Sherman.  
Berryville, E. W. Faulkner.  
Berryville Circuit, J. H. Henson, supply.  
Centerton Circuit, J. C. Gibbons.  
Elm Springs Circuit, J. F. Carter.  
Eureka Springs, W. J. Faust.  
Farmington Circuit, D. N. Weaver.  
Fayetteville, W. E. Boggs; W. H. Dyer, Sup.  
Gentry, B. M. Burrow; S. F. Brown, Sup.  
Gravette and Decatur, R. L. Jackson.  
Green Forest and Alpena, C. H. Sherman.  
Huntsville Circuit, Charles Edwards.  
Lincoln Circuit, J. H. Ruble, supply.  
Osage Circuit, S. D. Camack, supply.  
Pea Ridge Circuit, J. C. Cullom.  
Prairie Grove, F. R. Hamilton.  
Rogers, S. M. Yancy.  
Siloam Springs, A. L. Cline.  
Springdale, A. H. Dulaney.  
Viney Grove Circuit, E. A. Moody.  
War Eagle Circuit, W. J. Jordan, supply.  
Winslow Circuit, W. H. Gayer.  
Springdale Circuit, J. G. Ditterline, supply.  
Springtown Circuit, H. B. Chancellor.  
District Evangelist, W. H. Neal.  
Conference Evangelist, J. L. Bryant.  
General Evangelist, J. B. Andrews.

FORT SMITH DISTRICT.

*J. K. Farris, P. E.*

Alma, George E. Patchell.  
Cass Circuit, H. M. Lewis, supply.  
Charleston Circuit, C. E. Gray; J. H. Sturdy, Sup.  
Fort Smith: First Church, H. B. Trimble.  
Dodson Avenue, W. V. Womack.  
Midland Heights, M. F. Johnson.  
South Fort Smith, E. T. Miller, supply;  
J. E. Woodruff, Sup.  
Fort Smith Circuit, W. F. Campbell.  
Greenwood, J. A. Reynolds.  
Hackett Circuit, J. S. Hackler.  
Hartford and Midland, J. E. Lark.  
Huntington and Mansfield, C. H. Bumpers.  
Kibler Circuit, G. B. Griffin.  
Mulberry and Dyer, F. G. Villines.  
Ozark, W. J. Le Roy.  
Ozark Circuit, H. B. Flippin, supply.  
Van Buren, W. L. Oliver.  
Van Buren Circuit, W. A. Greer.  
Student in University of Chicago, J. S. Seneker.  
Secretary of Education, J. K. Farris.

HELENA DISTRICT.

*W. F. Evans, P. E.*

Aubrey and Moro Circuit, John Score.  
Brinkley, J. B. Evans.  
Clarendon, C. W. Lester.  
Colt Circuit, F. H. Champion.  
Cotton Plant, B. L. Harris.  
Council Circuit, J. W. Hall, supply.  
Devew Circuit, A. L. Platt.  
Forrest City, J. F. E. Bates.  
Haynes Circuit, M. L. Mack, supply.  
Helena, C. M. Reves.  
Hickory Ridge and Hamlin, W. O. Esery, supply.  
Holly Grove and Marvell, H. C. Hoy.  
Howell and Wiville, H. V. Johnson.  
Hughes Circuit, J. W. Moore.  
La Grange, H. G. Summers.  
Marianna, J. A. Womack.  
McCrary, F. A. Lark.  
Melwood Circuit, E. J. Slaughter.  
Parkin, John N. R. Score.  
Turner, W. A. Williams.  
West Helena, M. N. Johnston.  
Wheatley and Hunt Circuit, J. M. Crenshaw, supply.  
Widner and Madison, J. K. Farish.  
Wynne, J. R. Nelson.  
Missionary to Cuba, H. B. Smith.

JONESBORO DISTRICT.

*F. M. Tolleson, P. E.*

Barfield, H. K. Stewart.  
Blytheville, R. E. L. Bearden.  
Blytheville Circuit, H. W. Wallace.  
Brookland Circuit, Joe Stevens, supply.  
Crawfordsville and Bethany, O. D. Langston.  
Earle, J. J. Galloway.  
Gilmore and Joiner, J. B. Hendrix.  
Harrisburg, T. A. Bowen.  
Harrisburg Circuit, A. R. Ward.  
Jonesboro: First Church, William Sherman.  
Fisher Street, B. C. Few.  
Huntington Avenue, to be supplied.  
Jonesboro Circuit, to be supplied.  
Lake City Circuit, George W. Pyles; G. M. Abney, supply, junior preacher.  
Luxora, Norris Greer.  
Manilla and Dell, John A. Gowan, supply.  
Marion, Guy Murphy.  
Marked Tree and Lepanto, J. W. Thomas.  
Monette and Macey, C. F. Wilson.  
Nettleton and Bay, Eli Craig.  
Osceola, E. K. Sewell.  
Trinity Circuit, J. T. Hood.  
Vandale Circuit, J. H. Barrentine.  
Wilson, J. Q. Schisler.

Student in Southern Methodist University, O. L. Cole.

#### PARAGOULD DISTRICT.

*J. M. Hughey, P. E.*

Ash Flat Circuit, R. K. Bass, supply.  
 Black Rock and Powhatan, W. F. Walker.  
 Corning, A. F. Skinner.  
 Gainesville Circuit, H. E. May.  
 Hoxie and Portia, J. G. Wimpey.  
 Imboden, E. Dyer.  
 Lorado, Riley Jones.  
 Mammoth Springs and Hardy, E. N. Bickley.  
 Marmaduke, C. L. Castleberry.  
 Maynard Circuit, to be supplied.  
 New Liberty Circuit, T. H. Wright, supply.  
 Old Walnut Ridge Circuit, Julian Foster, supply.  
 Paragould: First Church, T. Y. Ramsey.  
     East Side, J. F. Jernigan.  
 Paragould Circuit, W. J. Williams.  
 Peach Orchard Circuit, M. L. S. Anderson.  
 Piggot and Rector, F. P. Jernigan.  
 Pocahontas, I. D. McClure.  
 Pocahontas Circuit, H. H. Blevins.  
 Pollard Circuit, E. Emmons, supply.  
 Ravenden Springs Circuit, W. S. Southworth.  
 Reyno and Success, G. M. Hill.  
 Salem, I. C. Bradsher.  
 St. Francis Circuit, to be supplied.

Smithville Circuit, W. J. Martin, supply.  
 Walnut Ridge, C. C. Burton.

#### SEARCY DISTRICT.

*R. C. Morehead, P. E.*

Argenta: First Church, J. T. Wilcoxon.  
     Gardner Memorial, C. F. Hively.  
 Augusta, H. Hanesworth.  
 Augusta Circuit, M. P. Timberlake.  
 Auvergne and Weldon, M. C. Bevins.  
 Beebe and Austin, E. Forrest.  
 Bellefonte Circuit, R. A. Bevis.  
 Bradford and Bald Knob, J. E. Buchanan.  
 Cabbot and Jacksonville, F. E. Dodson.  
 Cato Circuit, J. W. Mitchner, supply.  
 Clinton Circuit, W. F. Blevins.  
 Griffithville Circuit, Thomas Chambliss, supply.  
 Harrison, A. E. Holloway.  
 Heber Springs, E. T. Wayland.  
 Higdon and Sherley, S. G. Watson.  
 Judsonia and Kensett, H. H. Hunt.  
 Leslie, U. G. Reynolds.  
 Marshall, Percy Vaughn.  
 McRae Circuit, J. D. Kelley.  
 Pangburn Circuit, C. C. Griffin.  
 Searcy: First Church, W. T. Thompson;  
     J. H. Dye, Sup.  
 Searcy Circuit, J. M. Hughes; W. P. Talkington, Sup.  
 Valley Springs Circuit, J. H. Gholson.  
 Vilonia Circuit, J. D. Johnson.  
 Commissioner for Galloway College, H. H. Griffin.

### LITTLE ROCK CONFERENCE.

SIXTY-THIRD SESSION.

HELD AT MALVERN, ARK., NOVEMBER 29-DECEMBER 3, 1916.

BISHOP MCCOY, *President*; CHARLES J. GREENE, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. Homer A. F. Ault, Henry Hughen, J. Frank Townsend, Ben F. Roebuck, Earl C. Rule, J. Wesley Clark, Ben F. Musser, Walter C. Scott, Alvin S. Daniel, James V. Kelley, A. L. Miller. 11.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Lucius M. Harp, William R. Jordan, B. F. Fitzhugh, W. C. Martin, James B. Pickering. 5.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? John L. Dedman, Roy E. Farr, L. C. Gatlin, Alfred E. Jacobs, Gay Morrison, Thomas O. Rorie, Jr., Thomas

D. Spruce, Coy E. Whitten, Garnett M. Yearwood. 9.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? None.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? H. Herrington. 1.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? W. H. Hansford, A. C. Rogers, R. H. Cannon, J. C. McElhenney, C. F. Messer, J. W. Nethercut, F. G. Roebuck, S. B. Mann, J. A. Sage, Jr., A. G. Cason. 10.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? John L. Dedman, Roy Farr, Jesse Galloway, Laurie C. Gatlin, Alfred E. Jacobs, Gay Morrison, Thomas O. Rorie, Jr., Thomas D. Spruce, Coy E. Whitten, G. M. Yearwood. 10.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? J. L. Dedman, Roy Farr, Jesse Galloway, L. C. Gatlin, A. E. Jacobs, Gay Morrison, T. O. Rorie, Jr., T. D. Spruce, C. E. Whitten, G. M. Yearwood. 10.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? Homer A. F. Ault, Grover Cleaver, Isaac N. Cade, Mahlon Williamson. 4.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? H. A. F. Ault, I. N. Cade, Mahlon Williamson, G. A. Brown, W. H. Tarver. 5.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Charles A. Fuller, R. L. Duckworth, J. Frank Simmons, Paul Q. Rorie. 4.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? R. L. Duckworth, C. A. Fuller, P. Q. Rorie, J. Frank Simmons. 4.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? G. T. Traylor, C. C. Green, H. Herrington. 3.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? C. D. McSwain, J. W. Berry, A. C. Graham. 3.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? J. E. Caldwell, Horace Jewell, H. D. McKinnon, E. N. Watson, W. J. Davis, A. D. Jenkins, H. Townsend, R. C. Atchley, E. Garrett, J. R. Sanders, O. H. Keadle, J. L. Johnston, R. J. Raiford, J. H. Bradford, C. W. Drake, J. B. Williams, W. M. Crowson, J. J. Menefee, W. Vantrease, D. D. Warlick, E. F. Wilson, W. J. Rogers, Hugh Revely, S. A. Hill. 24.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? C. C. Godden. 1.

CHARLES CONWAY GODDEN, son of Robert and Maria Celia Godden, was born in Morristown, New Jersey, July 23, 1836, and died at the home of his daughter in Searcy, Ark., December 21, 1915. He is survived by three children—Charles C., Jr., of Devine, Tex.; Mrs. Floyd Thompson, of Texarkana, Ark.; and Mrs. Emmett Snipes, of Searcy, Ark. His parents moved to Indiana, where he grew to young manhood. He had the advantage of the common country schools, and later

attended Crawfordsville College, at Crawfordsville, Ind. He came to Arkansas from Mississippi at the age of twenty-one. He began the practice of law in 1858 at De Witt, Ark., associated with Col. Jordan Gibson. During the War between the States he served four years for the Confederacy. After the war he returned to De Witt, formed a law partnership with Colonel Halliburton, and soon attained to a large and lucrative practice. He served as prosecuting attorney for a time, but he never sought official position again. In the midst of his successful legal career he was converted in a meeting conducted by Dr. Andrew Hunter, assisted by Dr. A. R. Winfield. The meeting was held in the courthouse at De Witt. His conversion was one of those marvelous triumphs of redeeming grace that have marked the progress of the gospel since the day of Paul's journey on the Damascus road. He was literally made a new creature in Christ. To him it was ever afterwards the most wonderful event of his life. He always spoke of it with humility and awe. His sense of sin was deep and pungent; his consciousness of sin forgiven was to him the crowning evidence of a living Christ. Henceforth he knew him and had sweet fellowship with him. He had been reared a Presbyterian, and always cherished the greatest respect for that Church; often he spoke of the saintliness of his Presbyterian mother, but he joined the Methodist Church. Feeling the call to preach, he conferred not with flesh and blood, but became obedient to the heavenly vision. He was admitted on trial in the Little Rock Conference in the fall of 1872, at Pine Bluff. Leaving a law practice that paid him thousands of dollars a year, he placed himself at the disposal of the Church for any appointment that might be given him. His first charge was De Witt Circuit, which he served for four years at a salary of four hundred and fifty dollars a year. For thirty-five years he received his appointments from the Church, serving on circuits, stations, districts, and as college president. He gave himself unreservedly to whatever came, with unstinted zeal, courageous faith, unselfish spirit, and loyal devotion. His ambition was to serve. His ability and worth were soon recognized, and early in his career he became one of our most loved and trusted leaders, so continuing to the end. He was regarded as one of our great preachers. He knew Christ as



his Saviour, and he knew men. Out of the depths of his own experience he appealed to man's deepest needs. His message was frequently attended with great unction and spiritual power. His audience would be swayed by a mystic presence, the power of God be felt, and men be born again. As a presiding elder Dr. Godden was ideal. A great constructive leader, he quickened the life of the Church in all its departments. He was a benediction to the preacher. He discovered and developed men. He had the gift of finding men who were called to preach. Encouraging, leading, and pushing them out, he brought many men into our Conference who but for his help might have been lost to us. The last ten years of his active ministry he was President of Galloway College. At the time he took charge of it Galloway College was one of the most difficult problems, and one of the heaviest burdens of our Church in this State. He was at that age of life when men begin to slacken up and lighten their responsibilities, but at the call of his Church he undertook this heavy task with that same unselfish spirit and heroic faith that had always characterized him. The college was burdened with debt, and its very existence was threatened. But he faced the task with confidence, and by God's help he succeeded. He gathered around him a corps of helpers, and with them he straightened out its affairs, lifted its debt, and made it one of the most popular schools of the State. When the buildings burned down he never faltered, but girded himself to renewed vigor and saw it rise from the ashes in greater strength and beauty. Just how much of toil and struggle and heartache there was in it for him and his noble wife, we can never know. They must have lived close to God, for the college life was always so beautiful. Brother and Sister Godden were always sunny-hearted, and everybody was happy. When he came to us he had large possessions, and his opportunities for accumulating were alluring. He could have become one of the richest men in this State, but he died poor. From a human standpoint there is an element of pathos in it all, but in the light of God's Word there is in it everything to strengthen our faith in God and men—God's men. As we review the past of the Little Rock Conference, C. C. Godden stands out on the plains of our history as a tower of strength, a chosen vessel, one of God's noblemen. But he never

knew he was great. To himself he was always a sinner saved by grace.—*T. D. Scott.*

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called, one by one, and their characters were passed.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### Arkadelphia District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Arkadelphia Station .....	3	622
Arkadelphia Circuit .....	1	218
Benton .....	2	591
Cedar Glades .....	...	109
Dalark .....	1	338
Friendship .....	5	276
Holly Springs .....	...	499
Hot Springs: Central Avenue....	1	982
Third Street .....	...	306
Park Avenue .....	1	201
Oaklawn .....	...	167
Hot Springs Circuit .....	...	351
Leola and Carthage .....	1	336
Lono .....	...	...
Malvern .....	1	688
Malvern Circuit .....	2	200
Princeton .....	...	300
Ussery .....	...	355
Traskwood .....	1	203
Willow .....	...	125
	19	6,977

#### Camden District.

Atlanta .....	...	330
Bearden and Millville .....	...	221
Buena Vista .....	...	376
Camden .....	1	445
Chidester .....	...	310
Eagle Mills .....	...	219
El Dorado .....	...	500
El Dorado Circuit .....	2	620
Fordyce .....	...	473
Hampton .....	...	295
Huttig .....	...	91
Junction City .....	...	166
Kingsland .....	1	282
Magnolia .....	1	464
Magnolia Circuit .....	3	392
Stephens .....	1	372
Strong .....	1	337
Thornton .....	...	367
Waldo .....	...	309
Wesson .....	...	124
	10	7,119

#### Little Rock District.

Austin .....	3	901
Benton Circuit .....	1	661
Bryant .....	2	579
Carlisle .....	1	229
Des Arc .....	...	200
DeVall's Bluff and Hazen .....	...	282
England .....	1	190
Hickory Plains .....	1	800
Keo .....	2	102
Little Rock: Asbury .....	1	570
Capitol View .....	...	370
First Church .....	5	978
Forest Park .....	2	36
Henderson Chapel .....	2	250

*Little Rock District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Little Rock: Highland .....	1	337
Hunter Memorial .....	1	304
Pulaski Heights .....	1	216
Twenty-eighth Street .....	..	155
Winfield Memorial .....	1	1,210
Lonoke .....	1	274
Mablevale .....	..	287
Oak Hill .....	..	525
Tomberlin .....	..	337
	26	9,843

*Monticello District.*

Arkansas City and Lake Village. ....	134
Crossett .....	524
Collins .....	115
Dermott .....	310
Eudora .....	161
Hamburg Station .....	307
Hamburg Circuit .....	1 308
Hermitage .....	3 730
Lacey .....	.. 322
McGehee .....	3 229
Monticello .....	1 504
Mount Pleasant .....	1 485
Parkdale and Willmot .....	.. 104
Portland and Blissville .....	.. 111
Snyder and Montrose .....	.. 272
Tillar and Dumas .....	.. 357
Warren .....	.. 535
Warren Mill Camps .....	.. 54
Watson .....	.. 129
Wilmar .....	.. 144
	9 5,835

*Pine Bluff District.*

Alzheimer and Wabbaseka .....	1	140
DeWitt .....	..	312
Grady .....	..	121
Gillette .....	1	356
Humphrey .....	..	144
New Edinburgh .....	..	319
Pine Bluff: Carr Memorial .....	..	230
First Church .....	..	574
Hawley Memorial .....	2	290
Lake Side .....	..	536
Pine Bluff Circuit .....	..	211
Redfield .....	1	307
Rison .....	..	417
Roe .....	..	302
Rowell .....	..	327
Saint Charles .....	..	353
Sheridan .....	1	531
Sherrill and Tucker .....	..	113
Star City .....	1	323
Stuttgart .....	..	220
Swan Lake .....	1	31
	8	6,157

*Prescott District.*

Amity and Glenwood .....	1	378
Bingen .....	4	451
Blevins .....	..	361
Caddo Gap and Womble .....	1	239
Center Point .....	..	298
Columbus .....	..	143
Emmett .....	1	295
Delight .....	1	387
Gurdon .....	1	522
Harmony .....	2	155
Hope .....	6	584
Fulton .....	..	109
Mineral Springs .....	1	479
Mount Ida .....	2	200
Murfreesboro .....	3	185

*Prescott District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Nashville .....	2	340
Okolona .....	1	485
Orchard View .....	..	245
Prescott .....	..	348
Shawmut .....	1	234
Washington .....	1	370
	28	6,808

*Texarkana District.*

Ashdown .....	..	214
Bradley and Walnut Hills .....	..	241
Bright Star .....	2	476
Cherry Hill .....	4	341
De Queen .....	1	330
Foreman .....	..	314
Fouke .....	3	330
Horatio and Wilton .....	2	346
Lewisville .....	..	380
Lockesburg .....	3	490
Mena .....	..	272
Paraloma .....	2	247
Patmos .....	2	434
Richmond .....	2	341
Stamps .....	1	199
Texarkana: College Hill .....	..	241
Fairview .....	1	421
First Church .....	3	725
Umpire .....	3	210
Vandervoort .....	2	403
	31	6,955

*Recapitulation.*

Arkadelphia District .....	19	6,977
Camden District .....	10	7,119
Little Rock District .....	26	9,843
Monticello District .....	9	5,835
Pine Bluff District .....	8	6,157
Prescott District .....	28	6,808
Texarkana District .....	31	6,955

Total this year .....	131	49,691
Total last year .....	122	49,385

Increase .....	9	306
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Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 17. Yes.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 13. Yes.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 652.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 2,354.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 114.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 3,086.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 425.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 3,736.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sun-

day-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 39,741.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$12,218.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$8,968. Paid to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$8,561; Home and Conference Missions, \$8,593. Total, \$17,154.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$4,960.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$5,331.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$638.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$17,177; preachers in charge, \$117,516.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$1,711.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 529; houses of worship, 460.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$1,079,124; indebtedness, \$116,105.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 145; parsonages, 128.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$197,400; indebtedness, \$13,674.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 7; district parsonages, 7.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$24,600; indebtedness, \$3,740.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 4; amount of damage, \$480.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$615,125; premiums paid, \$4,507; collections on losses, \$250.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Hendrix College: Value of property, \$168,635; endowment, \$287,515; professors, 12; pupils, not reported. Hender-

son-Brown College: Value of property, \$164,500; endowment, \$36,000; professors, 10; pupils, not reported. Galloway College: Value of property, \$147,500; endowment, \$35,000; professors, 20; pupils, not reported.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 381; Conference organ, 3,531.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? J. H. Waters, Lay Leader.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Arkadelphia, Ark.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### ARKADELPHIA DISTRICT.

*B. A. Few, P. E.*

Arkadelphia Station, W. R. Richardson.

Arkadelphia Circuit, L. M. Powell.

Benton Station, W. A. Steele.

Cedar Glades, G. M. Gentry, supply.

Delark Circuit, T. O. Rorie.

Friendship Circuit, J. F. Taylor.

Holly Springs, J. H. Glass.

Hot Springs Circuit, J. F. Townsend.

Hot Springs: Central Avenue, M. N. Waldrup.

Park Avenue, R. L. Duckworth.

Oaklawn, Percy Vaughan.

Third Street, W. M. Hayes.

Leola and Carthage, B. F. Fitzhugh.

Malvern Station, J. W. Harrell.

Malvern Circuit, Roy Jordan.

Pearcy Circuit, D. P. Forsythe, supply.

Princeton Circuit, J. H. McKelvey.

South Arkadelphia and Donaldson, Andrew Christy, supply.

Traskwood Circuit, R. E. L. Shearer, supply.

Willow Circuit, T. H. Crowder.

President of Henderson-Brown College, J. M. Workman.

Commissioner for Henderson-Brown College, A. O. Evans.

Agent for the Superannuate Home, T. F. Hughes.

#### CAMDEN DISTRICT.

*J. A. Sage, P. E.*

Atlanta, B. F. Roebuck.

Bearden and Millville, L. J. Ridling.

Buena Vista, C. F. Messer.

Camden Station, M. S. Monk.

Chidester, F. R. Canfield.

Eagle Mills, W. H. Hansford.  
 El Dorado Station, W. C. Hilliard.  
 El Dorado Circuit, J. E. Waddell.  
 Fordyce, S. R. Twitty.  
 Hampton, L. T. Rogers.  
 Huttig, A. Turrentine.  
 Junction City, W. D. Sharp.  
 Kingsland, R. L. Cabe.  
 Magnolia Station, M. K. Irvin.  
 Magnolia Circuit, A. G. Cason.  
 Stephens, D. C. Holman.  
 Strong, A. C. Rogers.  
 Thornton, J. L. Dedman.  
 Waldo, B. F. Scott.  
 Wesson, R. H. Cannon.  
 Professor in Hendrix College, C. J. Greene.  
 Conference Secretary of Education, S. R. Twitty.

#### LITTLE ROCK DISTRICT.

*Alonzo Monk, P. E.*

Austin Circuit, J. W. Nethercut.  
 Benton Circuit, to be supplied.  
 Bryant Circuit, to be supplied.  
 Carlisle, J. T. J. Fizer.  
 Des Arc, H. H. McGuyre.  
 England, R. R. Moore.  
 Hazen and De Vall's Bluff, J. B. Sims.  
 Hickory Plains Circuit, C. R. Mann, supply.  
 Keo Circuit, T. O. Rorie, Jr.  
 Little Rock: Asbury, W. P. Whaley.  
 Capitol View, B. F. Musser; E. B. Harwell, junior preacher.  
 First Church, Forney Hutchinson; A. C. Graham, Sup.  
 Forest Park, W. F. Wilson, supply.  
 Henderson, T. D. Spruce.  
 Highland, W. R. Harrison.  
 Hunter Memorial, P. Q. Rorie.  
 Pulaski Heights, L. E. N. Hundley.  
 Twenty-eighth Street, J. D. Baker.  
 Winfield Memorial, J. D. Hammons.  
 Lonoke, B. B. Thomas.  
 Maumelle Circuit, to be supplied.  
 Mablevale Circuit, M. K. Rogers.  
 Oakhill Circuit, H. A. F. Ault.  
 Tomberlin Circuit, W. T. Hopkins, supply.  
 Sunday School Field Secretary, C. N. Baker.  
 Conference Evangelist, T. P. Clark.  
 Field Agent of Publishing House, R. P. Wilson.  
 Chaplain to State Guards, F. W. Gee.  
 Editor of *Arkansas Methodist*, A. C. Millar.  
 General Secretary of Board of Education, Stonewall Anderson.  
 Student in Hendrix College, Jesse Gallo-way.

Conference Secretary of Missions, Forney Hutchinson.

#### MONTICELLO DISTRICT.

*W. C. Davidson, P. E.*

Arkansas City and Lake Village, N. G. Augustus.  
 Arkansas and Southern Camps, T. M. Applewhite, supply.  
 Collins, M. B. Corrigan.  
 Crossett, Moffett J. Rhodes.  
 Dermott, J. L. Cannon.  
 Eudora, W. C. Lewis.  
 Hamburg, S. C. Deane.  
 Hamburg Circuit, L. M. Harp.  
 Hermitage, J. C. Williams.  
 Lacy, Bede Pickering.  
 McGehee, J. L. Hoover.  
 Monticello, T. O. Owen.  
 Mount Pleasant Circuit, Frank Hopkins.  
 Palestine, R. Spann, supply.  
 Parkdale and Wilmot, H. E. Van Camp.  
 Portland and Blissville, Roy Farr.  
 Snyder and Montrose, H. L. Simpson.  
 Tillar and Dumas, J. H. Cummins.  
 Warren, R. W. McKay.  
 Watson, J. C. McElhenney.  
 Wilmar, A. T. Clanton.

#### PINE BLUFF DISTRICT.

*W. C. Watson, P. E.*

Altheimer and Wabbaseka, P. S. Herron.  
 De Witt, A. M. Shaw.  
 Gillette, W. F. Rogers.  
 Grady, J. R. Rhodes.  
 Humphrey, A. E. Jacobs; F. G. Roebuck, junior preacher.  
 New Edinburgh, A. O. Graydon.  
 Pine Bluff: Carr Memorial and Redfield, L. W. Evans.  
 First Church, E. R. Steele.  
 Hawley Memorial, J. R. Dickerson.  
 Lakeside, Theo. Copeland.  
 Pine Bluff Circuit, David Bolls.  
 Rison, J. J. Colson.  
 Roe, Don P. Clegg, supply.  
 Rowell, H. Herrington, supply.  
 Saint Charles, S. W. Rainey.  
 Sheridan Station, A. M. Robertson.  
 Sheridan Circuit, C. A. Fuller.  
 Sherrill and Tucker, R. A. McClintock.  
 Star City, M. O. Barnett.  
 Stuttgart, J. F. Simmons.  
 Swan Lake, A. J. Ewing.  
 Commissioners for Hendrix College, James Thomas and H. F. Buhler.  
 Student in Emory University, J. Abner Sage, Jr.

## PRESCOTT DISTRICT.

J. A. Henderson, P. E.

Alpine Circuit, S. L. Durham, supply.  
 Amity and Glenwood, F. P. Doak.  
 Bingen, C. E. Whitten.  
 Blevins, J. D. Dunn.  
 Center Point, Walter Scott.  
 Columbus, W. T. Menard.  
 Delight, G. M. Yearwood.  
 Emmett, F. C. Cannon; C. D. McSwain, Sup.  
 Fulton, A. W. Hamilton, supply.  
 Gurdon Station, F. F. Harrel.  
 Hope, T. D. Scott.  
 Little Missouri, Isaac Webb, supply.  
 Mineral Springs, W. W. Mills.  
 Mount Ida, W. H. Huguen.  
 Murfreesboro Station, W. W. Christie.  
 Nashville Station, Z. D. Lindsey.  
 Okolona Circuit, T. M. Armstrong; J. W. Berry, Sup.  
 Orchard View, E. C. Rule.  
 Pleasant Grove Circuit, Clarence Crow, supply.  
 Prescott Station, J. A. Parker.  
 Prescott Circuit, J. C. Johnson.  
 Washington Circuit, B. E. Mullens.  
 Whelen Circuit, Verna Savage, supply.  
 Womble Circuit, Gay Morrison.  
 Student in Hendrix College, W. C. Martin.

## TEXARKANA DISTRICT.

J. A. Biggs, P. E.

Ashdown, S. K. Burnett.  
 Bradley and Taylor, P. A. Flower, supply.  
 Bright Star, S. B. Mann.  
 Cherry Hill, J. V. Kelley.  
 De Queen, F. N. Brewer.  
 Dierks, A. L. Miller.  
 Foreman, R. G. Rowland.  
 Fouke, L. C. Gatlin.  
 Hatfield, W. B. Arnold, supply.  
 Horatio, J. L. Leonard.  
 Lewisville, J. W. Mann.  
 Lockesburg, J. T. Rodgers.  
 Mena, J. R. Rushing.  
 Paraloma, A. N. Youngblood, supply.  
 Patmos, W. F. Lasseter.  
 Richmond and Wilton, J. J. Mellard.  
 Stamps, L. C. Beasley.  
 Texarkana: College Hill, S. T. Baugh.  
 Fairview, R. M. Holland.  
 First Church, P. C. Fletcher.  
 Umpire, E. A. Brown, supply.  
 Vandervoort, A. S. Daniel.  
 Winthrop, J. H. Ross, supply.

*Transferred.*—W. J. Nease, to the Florida Conference.

## NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE.

EIGHTIETH SESSION.

HELD AT DURHAM, N. C., DECEMBER 6-11, 1916.

BISHOP KILGO, *President*; R. H. WILLIS, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. Benjamin Franklin Boone, Leon McGowan Hall, Daniel Edwin Earnhardt, William Lawrence Loy, Albert Harlo Andrew, John William Hoyle, Jr., Moses Eli Cotton, Ernest Ward Glass, Jacob Emmanuel Beuregard Hauser (transferred).  
 9. The following are in this class in their studies: Charles N. Phillips, Leland L. Smith, Clayton O. Armstrong, and Charles C. Carson.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Hiram Earl Myers, William Lewis Maness, Tasso Wirt Siler, Walter Cleveland Benson, Ivey Talmage Poole, William Bynum Humble, Robert Nicholson Fitts. 7. In this class in his studies, Milton F. Hodges.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? R. R. Jones. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Henry Iverson Glass, Harry

Belmont Hill, Ethelbert Lucius Hill, Albea Swindell Parker, Richard Floyd Munns, William Graham Lowe, John Armstrong Russell, Lauder Beaman Pattishall, William Jordan Covington, Marvin Bascom Cox. 10. In this class in their studies: Frederic Arthur Lupton, on trial, and Clarence R. Canipe.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? Stephen A. Nettles. 1.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? C. K. Proctor. 1.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? W. A. Hobstetter. 1.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? Leland L. Smith, Clayton O. Armstrong, Charles C. Carson. 3.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one



year? Hubbard Braxton Porter, Ernest Creasy Durham, William Albert Cade, William Floyd Trawick, Daniel Lane, Jr., James Herbert Miller, James Allen Morris, Neil Malloy McDonald, Creasy Kinion Proctor. 9.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? Harry Belmont Hill, Ethelbert Lucius Hill, Albea Swindell Parker, Richard Floyd Munns, William Graham Lowe, John Armstrong Russell, Lauder Beaman Pattishall, William Jordan Covington, Marvin Bascom Cox. 9.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? Harry Belmont Hill, Ethelbert Lucius Hill, Albea Swindell Parker, Richard Floyd Munns, William Graham Lowe, John Armstrong Russell, Lauder Beaman Pattishall, William Jordan Covington, Marvin Bascom Cox. 9.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? Jacob Emmanuel Beauregard Hauser. 1.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Jacob Emmanuel Beauregard Hauser. 1.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Thomas William Lee, Julian Lewark Midgett, Baxter Boone Slaughter, Harry Cleveland Smith, Nathan Martin Wright, George Washington Perry, Eff David Dodd, William Vogle McRae, Nathan Bradley Strickland, Marcus Walraven Dargan, John Edward Blalock. 11.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? Thomas William Lee, Julian Lewark Midgett, Baxter Boone Slaughter, Harry Cleveland Smith, Nathan Martin Wright, George Washington Perry, Eff David Dodd, William Vogle McRae, Nathan Bradley Strickland, Marcus Walraven Dargan, John Edward Blalock. 11.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? Fred Soule Aldridge, Robert Llewellyn Beasley. 2.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? Fred Soule Aldridge, Robert Llewellyn Beasley. 2.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? J. O. Guthrie, W. H. Townsend, R. W. Townsend, D. A. Watkins, F. E. Dixon. 5.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? A. D. Betts, T. J. Browning, G. D. Langston, T. P. Bonner, W. H. Moore, W. H. Kirton, W. A. Forbes, M. A. Smith, P. Greening, C. C. Brothers, T. J. Dailey, C. W. Smith, M. D. Giles, D. B. Parker, C. R. Canipe. 15.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? James Y. Old. 1.

JAMES YOUNG OLD.—“I cannot say, and I will not say, that he is dead; he is just away.” In this way I love to think of our departed friend and colaborer, the Rev. James Young Old, who in the twilight hour of the third day of last April in the home of his friend, Mr. F. P. Snowden, at Snowden, N. C., suddenly heard the “clear call from over the sea” and answered his first roll call of the Conference in heaven. He was born at Mount Pleasant, Norfolk County, Va., on February 5, 1844, the son of George T. and Frances Martin Old. For seventy and two years he lived this life, and “at the evening-time it was light” with him. At the age of eighteen he answered the call of his country, enlisting in the Confederate Army; and for four years he showed the heroism of a true soldier, enduring many hardships on more than one battlefield, and won for himself honorable distinction. On October 18, 1865, he was happily married to Miss Agenora Ives, of Berkeley, Va. To this union four children were born, three of whom, W. N., W. T., and L. E. Old, with the mother, survive him. In 1867 Brother Old was converted and joined the Methodist Church. For several years he devoted his energies with signal ability and success to a business career. As a layman he became very much interested in the work of the Church, having been elected several times as a delegate to the Virginia Conference. He took a prominent part in the affairs of the Church, and was recognized as one of its leading laymen. In 1896, in answer to the call of God, he gave up his lucrative business and entered the ministry, serving as a supply one year each on the Camden and South Camden charges. In 1898 he was admitted on trial into the Annual Conference, held that year in Elizabeth City, and was returned to the South Camden charge, where he completed with gratifying success his four years of service. After this he served the following charges: Pasquotank Circuit, 1902; Moyock Circuit, 1903-4; Currituck Circuit, 1905; Fairfield, 1906; Roper, 1907; Pasquotank, 1908-9; Currituck, 1910. At the session of the Conference held in Elizabeth City in 1910, owing to failing health, he took a superannuate relation. When Brother C. W. Smith's health failed last year, and he gave up his work on the Perquimans charge, Brother Old filled out the unexpired term; and at the Con-

ference in Wilmington last year he entered again the active ministry, and was appointed to the Perquimans Circuit. He began his work with systematic effort and holy zeal, but the task soon proved too great for his declining strength. On the first Sunday in April, after driving several miles and preaching with marked enthusiasm and unusual power at two of his churches, he returned to his home in Elizabeth City. After a restless night, he went early next morning to Snowden, a little village situated on the Norfolk Southern Railroad fifteen miles north of Elizabeth City, where he in the afternoon conducted the funeral of a very dear young friend. On returning from the cemetery to the home of Mr. F. P. Snowden he complained of feeling unwell and went to his room. A physician was summoned and medical aid rendered, but to no avail. Speaking to those about his bedside, he said: "I am feeling very well now, and wish to rest a while." The next moment he was breathing his last as sweetly as a little child going to sleep in its mother's arms. His remains were brought to his home in Elizabeth City, and were buried from the First Methodist Church in Hollywood Cemetery, the services being conducted by the writer and the Rev. J. L. Cuninggim, the pastor, in the presence of a large congregation, composed of citizens of the town, many friends from former charges, and the official board of the Perquimans Circuit. The grief-stricken widow mourns the loss of a thoughtful, devoted husband, and the sorrowing sons a true, noble father. Behind him is the brief night with its toils, tears, and struggles; before him the eternal day of rest, peace, and reward. In head and heart and hand Brother Old was every inch a man. Erect in form, upright in conduct, spotless in character, he stood four-square to all the world, and lived daily the white life of an inwardly and outwardly clean man among men. In every way Brother Old was qualified for the ministry. He knew God consciously as his loving Father, Jesus Christ as his personal Saviour, and the Holy Ghost as his abiding Comforter and Guide. His experience of the work of divine grace in his heart never grew old nor dim, but richer and sweeter with the passing years. Truly, he could say, as often he did: "For me to live is Christ; yet not I, but Christ liveth in me." His mind was trained to logical thinking, and all his pulpit discourses showed careful prepara-

tion and deep spirituality. He was a devout and diligent student of the Bible, and inquired constantly "for the old paths." With all his soul he believed in the old Methodist doctrines of faith, repentance, justification, regeneration, the witness of the Spirit, and holiness, a hell to shun and a heaven to gain. He had little use and scant sympathy for much of the so-called modern theology and many of the present-day religious fads. He lived in the realms of the fundamentals and constantly fed on eternal verities. With an earnestness born of deep conviction and his heart on fire with divine love, he frequently made sinners to tremble with fear and saints to shout with joy. One of his stewards told me that his last sermon preached at Oak Grove Church, in the afternoon of the day before his ascent to heaven, was one of remarkable power. Heaven opened, the Holy Ghost came down, and all were made "to sit together in heavenly places in Christ Jesus." So well did he know Christ and the power of his resurrection, that he desired to preach nothing but Christ. Many of the modern pulpit themes and much of the secular activities falsely styled Christian, while all good in their places, he could not reconcile with his call to "this one thing I do," the preaching of Christ and him crucified as the Saviour of men from sin unto life everlasting. As he had such a passion for Christ, he could not but have a like passion for souls. It was perhaps in revival meetings that Brother Old reached his best as a preacher. In all the charges he served he made the winning of souls to Christ his chief business, and, as a consequence, wherever he went as a pastor the churches grew and prospered. "Many whom he led to Christ will in that day rise up and call him blessed." As a pastor he was wise, faithful, sympathetic, and loving. He knew men and their needs, and without reserve gave himself in helpful, loving service to all his people. It was in the "school of Christ" that he learned the mission of life, and from the altar of his heart there arose continually the prayer:

"O Master, let me walk with thee  
In lonely paths of service free;  
Tell me thy secret; help me bear  
The strain of toil, the fret of care.

"Help me the slow of heart to move  
By some clear winning word of love;  
Teach me the wayward feet to stay,  
And guide them in the homeward way."

Pure as the naked heavens, he traveled in cherful godliness and undivided heart life's common way, having made his contribution to the world's wealth not by great inventions or works of genius, but by loving thoughts, noble deeds, and a personality made radiant and magnetic by the indwelling Christ. The light of his useful life nas not "gone out," but "gone on."

"Die? No; God's children never die;  
But after this brief life is spent  
They live 'mid possibilities  
Made perfect, and with power to grasp  
The infinite. . . .  
Nor is this all: when the green sod  
Hath hid from mortal eye the form  
Of clay, they still live by impress  
They have made on lives of others—  
Lives made purer by reflected  
Whiteness of their characters."

—G. T. Adams.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? One by one their names were called, and all passed the examination of character except R. R. Jones, who was discontinued.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Durham District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Burlington .....	1	558
Burlington Circuit .....	...	400
East Burlington .....	...	366
Chapel Hill .....	4	189
Durham; Branson .....	1	320
Carr Church .....	...	457
Lakewood .....	...	109
Calvary .....	...	232
Memorial .....	5	989
Trinity .....	2	840
West Durham .....	...	501
Durham Circuit .....	...	411
Graham .....	1	203
Hillsboro Circuit .....	1	937
Leasburg Circuit .....	...	428
Mebane Circuit .....	...	302
Milton Circuit .....	...	493
Mount Tirzah Circuit .....	1	730
Orange and Carrboro .....	...	294
Pearl Mill .....	2	234
Pelham Circuit .....	1	293
Person Circuit .....	...	537
Rougemont .....	...	642
Roxboro .....	...	379
South Alamance .....	2	467
Yanceyville Circuit .....	...	302
	21	11,613

*Elizabeth City District.*

Camden Circuit .....	1	963
Chowan Circuit .....	1	320
Columbia Circuit .....	...	569
Currituck Circuit .....	...	606

*Elizabeth City District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Dare Circuit .....	1	373
East Lake .....	...	160
Edenton .....	...	149
Elizabeth City; City Road .....	...	449
First Church .....	...	679
Gates Circuit .....	...	564
Hatteras Circuit .....	...	388
Hertford .....	...	306
Kennekeet Circuit .....	1	430
Kitty Hawk Circuit .....	1	236
Moyock Circuit .....	1	361
North Gates Circuit .....	...	638
Pantego and Belhaven .....	...	276
Pasquotank .....	...	528
Perquimans Circuit .....	...	670
Plymouth .....	...	317
Roanoke Island .....	1	719
Roper .....	1	401
	8	10,102

*Fayetteville District.*

Bladen Circuit .....	...	497
Buckhorn Circuit .....	2	515
Carthage Circuit .....	...	918
Duke .....	...	254
Dunn .....	1	369
Elise Circuit .....	...	780
Fayetteville; Hay Street .....	...	742
Person Street and Calvary .....	...	199
Fayetteville Circuit .....	...	585
Goldston Circuit .....	...	843
Haw River Circuit .....	...	683
Jonesboro .....	1	739
Lillington Circuit .....	1	850
Newton Grove Circuit .....	...	412
Parkton Circuit .....	1	528
Pittsboro Circuit .....	1	617
Roseboro Circuit .....	1	466
Sanford .....	...	420
Siler City Circuit .....	3	896
Stedman .....	...	440
	11	11,753

*New Bern District.*

Atlantic .....	...	131
Beaufort .....	...	385
Carteret Circuit .....	3	503
Craven Circuit .....	1	424
Dover Circuit .....	...	241
Elm Street and Princeton .....	1	410
Goldsboro; St. John .....	...	247
St. Paul .....	3	749
Goldsboro Circuit .....	1	593
Grifton Circuit .....	...	545
Hookerton Circuit .....	2	537
Jones Circuit .....	...	560
Kinston; Queen Street .....	1	602
Caswell Street .....	...	252
La Grange Circuit .....	...	627
Morehead City .....	1	461
Mount Olive and Faison .....	...	507
Mount Olive Circuit .....	...	615
New Bern; Centenary .....	...	1,093
Riverside and Bridgeton .....	...	183
Ocracoke and Portsmouth .....	1	171
Oriental Circuit .....	...	300
Pamlico Circuit .....	1	392
Snow Hill Circuit .....	...	414
Straits .....	2	384
Vandemere Circuit .....	...	143
	17	11,389

*Raleigh District.*

Benson Circuit .....	...	190
Cary Circuit .....	...	617
Clayton .....	...	211

## Raleigh District (Continued).

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Four Oaks Circuit .....		253
Franklinton Circuit .....		463
Garner Circuit .....	1	579
Granville Circuit .....		544
Johnston Circuit .....		52
Kenly Circuit .....	1	299
Louisburg .....	1	356
Millbrook Circuit .....		391
Oxford .....		474
Oxford Circuit .....		808
Raleigh: Central .....	3	602
Edenton Street .....	1	972
Epworth .....		189
Jenkins Memorial .....	1	458
Selma .....		457
Smithfield .....		317
Tar River Circuit .....	1	678
Youngsville .....		303
Zebulon Circuit .....		343
	9	9,556

## Rockingham District.

Aberdeen .....		221
Caledonia Circuit .....		400
Candor Circuit .....	2	534
Elizabeth Circuit .....	1	362
Ellerbe Circuit .....		369
Hamlet .....	2	450
Laurel Hill Circuit .....		310
Laurinburg .....		303
Lumberton .....	1	352
Lumberton Circuit .....		283
Maxton .....		266
Montgomery Circuit .....		314
Mount Gilead .....		312
Mount Gilead Circuit .....		319
Raeford Circuit .....		469
Red Springs .....	1	304
Richmond Circuit .....		780
Roberdel Circuit .....		741
Robeson Circuit .....		658
Rockingham .....	1	539
Rowland Circuit .....	1	348
St. John and Gibson .....		482
St. Paul Circuit .....		408
Troy and Biscoe .....		376
Vass Circuit .....	1	339
	10	10,259

## Warrenton District.

Battleboro and Whitaker's .....		265
Bertie Circuit .....		361
Conway Circuit .....		746
Enfield and Halifax .....		339
Garysburg Circuit .....		380
Harrellsville Circuit .....		368
Henderson: First Church .....		434
Littleton .....		274
Murfreesboro and Winton .....		180
Northampton Circuit .....	1	1,120
North and South Henderson .....		117
Rich Square Circuit .....		423
Ridgeway Circuit .....		850
Roanoke Circuit .....	1	654
Roanoke Rapids .....	1	325
Rosemary Circuit .....		405
Scotland Neck .....		195
Warren Circuit .....		844
Warrenton Circuit .....	1	655
Weldon .....		370
Williamston and Hamilton .....	2	296
	6	9,923

## Washington District.

Aurora Circuit .....	1	410
Ayden Circuit .....		490

## Washington District (Continued).

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Bath Circuit .....	1	522
Bethel Circuit .....		397
Elm City .....	1	273
Farmville Circuit .....		234
Fairfield .....		199
Fremont Circuit .....		477
Greenville: Jarvis Memorial .....		408
Mattamuskeet Circuit .....		395
McKendree Circuit .....		116
Mount Pleasant Circuit .....		588
Nashville Circuit .....		390
Rocky Mount: First Church .....	1	634
North Rocky Mount .....		124
South Rocky Mount and Clark Street .....		144
Stantonsburg Circuit .....		366
Stokes Circuit .....		86
Spring Hope Circuit .....		473
Swan Quarter Circuit .....		465
Tarboro .....		216
Vanceboro Circuit .....		192
Washington .....	1	509
Wilson .....	1	669
	6	8,767

## Wilmington District.

Burgaw Circuit .....		383
Carvers Creek Circuit .....		486
Chadbourn Circuit .....	2	415
Clinton Circuit .....	2	645
Hallsboro Circuit .....	1	434
Jacksonville and Richlands .....		425
Kenansville Circuit .....	1	494
Magnolia Circuit .....		482
Onslow Circuit .....	1	515
Scott's Hill Circuit .....		232
Shallotte Circuit .....		559
Southport .....		313
Swansboro .....	1	524
Tabor Circuit .....	3	481
Town Creek Circuit .....		306
Wallace and Rose Hill .....	1	401
Whiteville .....	1	307
Wilmington: Bladen Street .....	1	238
Fifth Avenue .....	1	734
Grace .....		863
Sea Gate .....	1	171
Trinity .....	1	264
	17	9,663

## Recapitulation.

Durham District .....	21	11,613
Elizabeth City District .....	8	10,102
Fayetteville District .....	11	11,753
New Bern District .....	17	11,389
Raleigh District .....	9	9,556
Rockingham District .....	10	10,259
Warrenton District .....	6	9,923
Washington District .....	6	8,767
Wilmington District .....	17	9,663

Total this year ..... 105 93,025  
Total last year ..... 96 89,704

Increase ..... 9 3,321

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? Licensed, 17; names and addresses of 13 furnished.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the

ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? 1 candidate; name and address furnished.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 921.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 3,427.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 132.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 5,402.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 745.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday school officers and teachers? 6,451.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 76,500

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$9,000.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$8,670. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$23,827; Home and Conference Missions, \$21,503. Total, \$45,330.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$11,104.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$13,963.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$834.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$20,706; preachers in charge, \$199,680.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$3,346.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 764; houses of worship, 749.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$2,877,611; indebtedness, \$116,361.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 208; parsonages, 184.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$465,137; indebtedness, \$32,945.

Ques. 45. What is the number of dis-

tricts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 9; district parsonages, 9.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$53,050; indebtedness, \$3,250.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Church damaged, 1; amount of damage, \$99.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$1,147,440; premiums paid, \$5,339; losses sustained, \$99; collections on losses, \$99.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Trinity College: Value of property, \$1,244,577; endowment, \$1,600,306; professors, 48; pupils, 700. Greensboro College for Women: Value of property, \$238,064; endowment, \$101,000; professors, 24; pupils, 245. Louisburg College: Value of property, \$75,000; professors, 11; pupils, 150. Carolina College: Value of property, \$150,551; professors, 12; pupils, 90.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 488; Conference organ, 7,613.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? Y. T. Ormond, Lay Leader.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Greenville, N. C.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### DURHAM DISTRICT.

*J. C. Wooten, P. E.*

Burlington, D. H. Tuttle.

Burlington Circuit, W. F. Galloway.

Carroboro, C. C. Alexander, supply.

Chapel Hill, Walter Patten.

Durham: Branson, O. I. Hinson.

Calvary, J. H. Frizzelle.

Carr Church, G. B. Starling.

Lakewood, D. E. Earnhardt.

Memorial, H. M. North.

Trinity, C. J. Harrell.

West Durham, W. C. Martin.

Durham Circuit, H. C. Smith.

East Burlington, R. E. Atkinson.

East Roxboro and Longhurst, J. L. Shaver, supply.

Graham, H. E. Myers.

Hillsboro Circuit, T. M. Grant.

Leasburg Circuit, J. A. Martin.

Mebane, B. F. Boone.



Milton Circuit, J. E. Blalock.  
 Mount Tirzah Circuit, J. J. Boone.  
 Orange and Massey, J. R. Edwards, supply.  
 Pearl and McMannen, B. C. Reavis, supply.  
 Pelham Circuit, L. L. Smith.  
 Person Circuit, J. A. Dailey.  
 Rougemont, L. M. Hall.  
 Roxboro, O. W. Dowd.  
 South Alamance Circuit, N. B. Strickland.  
 Yanceyville Circuit, S. F. Nicks.  
 Professor of Biblical Literature in Trinity College, W. W. Peele.  
 Conference Evangelist, E. C. Glenn.  
 Sunday School Field Secretary, H. E. Spence.  
 Chaplain in United States Army, A. McCullen.

## ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT.

*G. T. Adams, P. E.*

Camden Circuit, E. L. Stack.  
 Chowan Circuit, J. A. Russell.  
 Columbia Circuit, M. F. Hodges.  
 Currituck Circuit, D. A. Futrell.  
 Dare Circuit, M. B. Cox.  
 East Lake, W. R. Hardesty, supply.  
 Edentan, W. A. Cade.  
 Elizabeth City: City Road, C. B. Culbreth.  
 First Church, J. L. Cuninggim.  
 Gates Circuit, G. W. Fisher.  
 Gum Neck Circuit, to be supplied.  
 Hatteras Circuit, F. A. Lupton.  
 Hertford, J. M. Ormond.  
 Kennekeet Circuit, A. W. Price.  
 Kitty Hawk Circuit, J. F. Ustry.  
 Moyock Circuit, M. W. Hester.  
 North Gates Circuit, V. A. Royall.  
 Pantego and Belhaven, S. A. Nettles.  
 Pasquotank Circuit, Rufus Bradley.  
 Perquimans Circuit, W. L. Loy.  
 Plymouth, B. T. Hurley.  
 Roanoke Island, J. C. Humble.  
 Roper, N. L. Seabolt.

## FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

*J. T. Gibbs, P. E.*

Bladen Circuit, J. A. Tharpe.  
 Buckhorn Circuit, M. W. Dargan.  
 Carthage Circuit, N. E. Coltrane.  
 Duke, W. L. Maness.  
 Dunn, J. A. Hornaday.  
 Fayetteville: Hay Street, J. D. Bundy.  
 Person Street and Calvary, L. H. Joyner.  
 Fayetteville Circuit, W. F. Craven.  
 Goldston Circuit, N. M. McDonald.  
 Haw River Circuit, G. W. Perry.  
 Hemp Circuit, J. L. Midgett.

Jonesboro Circuit, T. H. Sutton.  
 Lillington Circuit, J. A. Morris.  
 Newton Grove Circuit, T. W. Siler.  
 Pakton Circuit, H. B. Porter.  
 Pittsboro Circuit, P. D. Woodall.  
 Roseboro Circuit, H. E. Lance.  
 Sanford, W. R. Royall.  
 Siler City Circuit, C. W. Robinson.  
 Stedman Circuit, W. E. Brown.

## NEW BERN DISTRICT.

*J. B. Hurley, P. E.*

Atlantic and Straits, W. E. Hocutt, supply.  
 Beaufort, Frank Culbreth.  
 Carteret Circuit, C. H. Caviness.  
 Craven Circuit, J. W. Autry.  
 Dover Circuit, F. B. Noblitt.  
 Elm Street and Princeton, J. C. A. Jones.  
 Goldsboro: St. John, R. G. L. Edwards.  
 St. Paul, A. D. Wilcox.  
 Goldsboro Circuit, W. A. Piland.  
 Grifton Circuit, H. M. Jackson.  
 Hookerton Circuit, J. W. Bradley.  
 Jones Circuit, C. T. Rogers.  
 Kinston: Queen Street, H. A. Humble.  
 Caswell Street, E. N. Harrison.  
 La Grange Circuit, K. F. Duval.  
 Morehead City, D. N. Caviness.  
 Mount Ouive and Faison, J. M. Wright.  
 Mount Olive Circuit, R. E. Pitman.  
 New Bern: Centenary, E. McWhorter.  
 Riverside, H. B. Hill.  
 Ocracoke and Portsmouth, John W. Hoyle, Jr.  
 Oriental Circuit, J. P. Bross.  
 Pamlico Circuit, R. L. Carraway.  
 Snow Hill Circuit, C. O. Du Rant.  
 Vandemere Circuit, E. C. Durham.

## RALEIGH DISTRICT.

*J. E. Underwood, P. E.*

Benson Circuit, J. T. Stanford.  
 Cary Circuit, B. P. Robinson.  
 Clayton, T. A. Sikes.  
 Four Oaks Circuit, T. E. Davis.  
 Franklinton Circuit, J. H. Buffaloe.  
 Garner Circuit, E. B. Craven.  
 Granville Circuit, B. H. Black.  
 Johnston Circuit, J. G. Johnson.  
 Kenly Circuit, C. P. Jerome.  
 Louisburg, N. H. D. Wilson.  
 Millbrook Circuit, L. E. Sawyer.  
 Oxford, R. H. Willis.  
 Oxford Circuit, B. C. Thompson.  
 Raleigh: Central, S. E. Mercer.  
 Edenton Street, M. Bradshaw; J. O. Guthrie, Sup.  
 Epworth, R. F. Taylor.  
 Jenkins Memorial, J. W. Potter.  
 Selma, C. K. Proctor.

Smithfield, S. A. Cotton.  
 Tar River Circuit, J. A. Lee.  
 Youngsville Circuit, B. C. Allred.  
 Zebulon Circuit, G. W. Starling.  
 Superintendent of Anti-Saloon League,  
 R. L. Davis.  
 Editor of *Raleigh Christian Advocate*, L.  
 S. Massey.  
 Superintendent of Methodist Orphanage,  
 A. S. Barnes.  
 Editor of *Nashville Christian Advocate*,  
 T. N. Ivey.  
 Conference Missionary Secretary, N. H.  
 D. Wilson.

# ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT.

*J. H. Hall, P. E.*

Aberdeen, F. S. Love.  
 Caledonia Circuit, J. B. Thompson.  
 Candor Circuit, S. J. McConnell, supply.  
 Elizabeth Circuit, W. B. Humble.  
 Ellerbe Circuit, M. E. Cotton.  
 Hamlet, M. H. Tuttle.  
 Laurel Hill Circuit, G. T. Simmons; D.  
 A. Watkins, Sup.  
 Laurinburg, R. F. Bumpas.  
 Lumberton, W. B. North; F. E. Dixon,  
 Sup.  
 Lumberton Circuit, G. H. Biggs.  
 Maxton, A. L. Ormond.  
 Montgomery Circuit, R. L. Beasley, supply.  
 Mount Gilead, N. C. Yearby.  
 Mount Gilead Circuit, W. F. Trawick.  
 Raeford Circuit, J. T. Draper; W. H.  
 Townsend, Sup.  
 Red Springs, A. J. Parker.  
 Richmond Circuit, B. B. Watson, supply.  
 Roberdel Circuit, E. L. Hill.  
 Robeson Circuit, B. E. Stanfield.  
 Rockingham, G. F. Smith.  
 Rowland Circuit, A. J. Groves; R. W.  
 Townsend, Sup.  
 St. John and Gibson, W. H. Brown.  
 St. Paul and Regan, A. S. Parker.  
 Troy and Biscoe, C. R. Ross.  
 Vass Circuit, J. M. Benson.  
 President of Carolina College, R. B. John.  
 Conference Evangelists, L. L. Nash and  
 J. J. Barker.

# WARRENTON DISTRICT.

*L. E. Thompson, P. E.*

Battleboro and Whitaker's, L. B. Patti-  
 shall.  
 Bertie Circuit, L. D. Hayman.  
 Conway Circuit, E. E. Rose.  
 Enfield and Halifax, E. D. Dodd.  
 Garysburg Circuit, R. W. Bailey.  
 Harrellsville Circuit, L. M. Chaffin.  
 Henderson: First Church, R. C. Beaman.

Littleton, A. P. Tyer.  
 Murfreesboro and Winton, N. M. Wright.  
 Northampton Circuit, E. H. Davis.  
 North and South Henderson, W. G. Lowe.  
 Rich Square Circuit, J. E. Holden.  
 Ridgeway Circuit, W. C. Merritt.  
 Roanoke Circuit, William Towe.  
 Roanoke Rapids, G. S. Bearden.  
 Rosemary Circuit, A. H. Andrews.  
 Scotland Neck, B. F. McCall.  
 Warren Circuit, Marvin Self; one to be  
 supplied.  
 Warrenton Circuit, R. H. Broom.  
 Weldon, F. M. Shamburger.  
 Williamston and Hamilton, H. M. Eure.  
 President of Littleton College, J. M.  
 Rhodes.  
 Missionary to Japan, J. W. Frank.

# WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

*C. L. Read, P. E.*

Aurora Circuit, W. E. Trotman.  
 Ayden Circuit, Daniel Lane, Jr.  
 Bath Circuit, J. J. Lewis.  
 Bethel Circuit, H. E. Tripp.  
 Elm City, L. T. Singleton.  
 Fairfield, C. C. Carson.  
 Farmville Circuit, S. T. Moyle.  
 Fremont Circuit, J. L. Rumley.  
 Greenville: Jarvis Memorial, J. M. Daniel.  
 Mattamuskeet Circuit, W. P. Constable.  
 McKendree Circuit, I. T. Poole.  
 Mount Pleasant Circuit, G. B. Perry.  
 Nashville Circuit, L. B. Jones.  
 Rocky Mount: First Church, R. C. Craven.  
 North Rocky Mount, to be supplied.  
 South Rocky Mount and Clark Street,  
 B. B. Slaughter.  
 Stantonsburg Circuit, C. O. Armstrong.  
 Stokes Circuit, to be supplied.  
 Spring Hope Circuit, W. T. Phipps.  
 Swan Quarter Circuit, R. P. Grant.  
 Tarboro, H. I. Glass.  
 Vanceboro Circuit, W. J. Covington.  
 Washington, E. M. Snipes.  
 Wilson, W. A. Stanbury.

# WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

*J. H. Shore, P. E.*

Burgaw Circuit, J. C. Whedbee.  
 Carver's Creek Circuit, W. J. Watson.  
 Chadbourn Circuit, G. M. Daniel.  
 Clinton Circuit, D. L. Earnhardt.  
 Hallsboro Circuit, W. C. Benson.  
 Jacksonville and Richlands, C. E. Vale.  
 Kenansville Circuit, J. P. Pate.  
 Magnolia Circuit, R. F. Munns.  
 Onslow Circuit, T. W. Lee.  
 Scott's Hill Circuit, C. N. Phillips.

Shallotte Circuit, R. M. Fitts.  
 Southport, T. G. Vickers.  
 Swanboro Circuit, J. M. Lowder.  
 Tabor Circuit, R. A. Bruton.  
 Town Creek Circuit, E. W. Glass.  
 Wallace and Rose Hill, M. D. Hicks.  
 Whiteville, C. M. Lance.  
 Wilmington: Bladen Street, E. C. Sell.

Wilmington: Fifth Avenue, J. H. McCracken.

Grace, M. T. Plyler.

Trinity, W. V. McRae.

Wilmington Circuit, J. H. Miller.

*Transferred.*—J. M. Culbreth, to the St. Louis Conference; J. E. B. Hauser, to the Western North Carolina Conference.

## FLORIDA CONFERENCE.

SEVENTY-THIRD SESSION.

HELD AT OCALA, FLA., DECEMBER 6-11, 1916.

BISHOP DENNY, *President*; FREDERICK PASCO, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. Homer Endon Owen, Jesse Blanton Reed, Ralph Lloyd Ramsey, Ansell Harry Hancock, John Joseph Bracco, Salvador P. Cunill, Ernesto Estevez, Fred B. Langford, Paul A. Fletcher, Thomas W. Carlton. 10.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? George Mason, James Legrand Hunter, William C. Rodgers, Eugene C. Calhoun, Oscar E. Rice, Charles E. Gutteridge. 6.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? Karl Graf, B. F. Russell, Charles M. Pullen. 3.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? John Evans Hartsfield, Rembert Arthur Guy, William Cuthbert Fountain, Eber Stanley Hobson, Amos Cheshire McCall, Sankey F. Stephens, O. C. Seevers, Desiderio Carrera, Nestor J. Castellanos, G. W. Stubbs. 10.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? None.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? None.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? Ira M. Belt, C. F. York, James A. Hendry, J. H. Daniel, Kinner Hollister, Hans Steenbock, Shelby A. Wilson, M. M. Lord, W. T. Brantley, R. L. Sumner, Ignatio Gonzales, Livingston Munro. 12.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? John Evans Hartsfield, Rembert Arthur Guy, Eber Stanley Hobson, Amos Cheshire McCall. 4.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? John Evans Hartsfield, Rembert Arthur Guy, Eber Stanley Hobson, Amos Cheshire McCall. 4.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? William Arnold Fischer, James Cesso Murray, James Everett Shepherd, Daniel Dulaney Dieffenwierth. 4.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? W. A. Fischer, J. D. Murray, J. E. Shepherd, D. D. Dieffenwierth. 4.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? H. C. Nance. 1.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? W. F. Allen. 1.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? T. S. Armstead, J. T. Coleman, J. S. Collier, M. Dominguez, H. B. Frazee, E. F. Gates, W. J. Gray, B. F. Mason, H. S. Miller, F. Pasco, S. Scott, W. F. Shoemaker, R. L. Sumner, D. L. Switzer, J. T. Waters, R. J. Wells, J. L. Yeats, J. S. Brooke, R. L. Honiker, W. H. Steinmeyer, G. P. Penny. 21.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? A. L. Woodward, J. R. Taylor. 2.

JOHN R. TAYLOR, son of John J. and Mary V. Taylor, was born in Westmoreland County, Va., on January 24, 1838, and peacefully "fell asleep in Jesus" on May 15, 1916. Between these two dates lies the history of a loyal, loving, and useful life, which only the records of eternity can fully portray. The family moved to Missouri while he was a child, and the lad grew up in a home where the itinerant Methodist preacher was a frequent guest, and which was often used

as a preaching place. In this home there was an atmosphere of genuine piety. His father is described as "a man of fine mind, broad wisdom, and lofty faith in God"; his mother as "a woman of intellectual gifts and serene piety." It is not surprising that the boy was taught in the Lord, and "soundly converted" at home when thirteen years old; nor that three of the sons became preachers. He joined the Methodist Church in 1851. He was licensed to preach in 1858, and in the fall of that year was admitted on trial into the Missouri Conference, where he labored until transferred to the Florida Conference in 1883. On August 9, 1865, he was married to Miss Andromache Porter, who linked her life, her labors, and her love with the faithful itinerant until called to her reward on March 5, 1891. To this union seven children were born, five of whom survive, holding most precious the memory of sainted presents and giving witness to their Christly influence. Later in life Brother Taylor married Mrs. Ellen Brantley. He was truly a man of God, and given to the one work of saving souls and building the kingdom. He loved the Bible, loved God, loved the Church, loved the brethren, and loved souls. He was patient, tender, uncomplaining, and untiring in his ministry. He did not have the easier places, but toiled faithfully and cheerfully in fields that demanded self-sacrifice, and often suffering. His service was a work and labor of love, his joy was in doing good, his reward was in the approval of his Master and the confidence of his brethren. It is not surprising that failing strength and declining years found him mellowing for the harvest time of life. For some years he was a superannuate, but still rejoiced in preaching and being with and helping the brethren. A beautiful sunset was granted him, full of patient waiting and cheering hopes of glory, while loving hands ministered to his comfort. During the morning of his last day on earth he exclaimed: "I feel so peaceful! 'Glory to God in the highest; on earth, peace, good will to men!'" That afternoon the end came. A little before three P.M. he said, "I feel better," smiled sweetly, repeated the words, then gently "fell on sleep." "Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth; yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors."—*H. E. Partridge.*

A. L. WOODWARD was born at Marianna, Fla., November 26, 1841, and died at Tallahassee, Fla., December 22, 1915. He moved

to Tallahassee in 1849, and there he grew up to manhood. When the Civil War broke out he entered the Confederate Army, and did faithful service as a soldier. In 1863 he was married to Miss Mary E. Scott, of Newport, Fla., with whom he lived happily until his death. After the war Brother Woodward engaged in railroad business. While living at Live Oak he was converted under the preaching of the presiding elder, Rev. H. B. Frazer. He soon felt the call to preach, and was licensed by the Quarterly Conference of Live Oak Station. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Galaway on December 18, 1896, and ordained elder by Bishop Wilson in 1903. Brother Woodward did good service as a local preacher and as a supply, and in December, 1905, he was admitted on trial by the Annual Conference held at Ocala. During his time in the pastorate he served the following charges: Waldo, Palatka, Kissimmee, Mayo, Perry, Waukeena, Aucilla, Boulware, and Cedar Keys. At the latter place, in August, 1912, his health broke down completely, and he returned to his home in Tallahassee, where he lived until God called him to his reward. Brother Woodward was a preacher and writer of more than ordinary ability. Many of his sermons were truly eloquent and powerful. He loved the Methodist Church and the Florida Conference with all his heart. During the last three years of his life he never failed to be in his place at the house of God, unless prevented by illness. Although too feeble to preach himself, he used every means to help his pastor in the Lord's work. His public prayers were gems of spiritual beauty, showing the earnest devotion of a man who walked with God. He sent a message of love to the bishop and the brethren at Tampa a year ago. Two days after the Conference adjourned the messenger came suddenly, and our brother departed to be with Christ. He leaves a wife and son, to whom we extend our sympathy and prayers.—*N. J. Nixon.*

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration. The names were called and the characters of all passed except H. P. Blocker, who had been suspended for one year; J. E. Wray, who was left in the hands of the presiding elder for further investigation; G. T. Butler, who had withdrawn from our Church and ministry.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several cir-

cuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

### Bartow District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Alva .....	1	74
Arcadia .....	1	464
Bartow .....	1	410
Bartow Circuit .....	1	111
Bermont .....	1	18
Boca Grande .....	1	45
Bowling Green .....	4	232
Dixie Land and Myrtle Street... 1	1	163
Fort Green Circuit .....	1	74
Fort Meade .....	1	444
Fort Myers .....	1	387
Homeland and Prospect .....	1	172
Kathleen .....	1	269
Lakeland .....	1	624
Mulberry .....	1	151
Nocatee .....	1	270
Punta Gorda .....	2	320
Ridgewood Park and La Belle.. 1	1	130
Wauchula .....	1	374
Zolfo .....	1	178
	14	4,910

### Gainesville District.

Alachua .....	1	268
Anthony Circuit .....	1	309
Bronson Circuit .....	1	214
Cedar Keys Circuit .....	1	78
Citra Circuit .....	1	116
Columbia Circuit .....	1	369
Fort White Circuit .....	1	303
Gainesville .....	1	641
High Springs Circuit .....	1	274
Jasper .....	1	160
Jennings Mission .....	1	144
Lake City .....	1	339
Live Oak .....	1	388
Live Oak Circuit .....	1	488
Melrose and Waldo .....	1	192
Micanopy Circuit .....	1	262
Reddick Circuit .....	2	276
Rochelle .....	1	213
Welborn Circuit .....	1	417
White Springs Circuit .....	1	253
Williston Circuit .....	1	293
	7	5,997

### Jacksonville District.

Bryceville and Hilliard .....	2	121
Callahan .....	2	207
Fernadina .....	2	137
Green Cove Springs .....	1	143
Jacksonville First Church .....	2	869
Logan Memorial and Parker Street .....	1	120
Springfield .....	2	602
St. Matthews and Brinkley... 1	1	100
Riverside Park .....	1	281
Marvin .....	1	123
Phoenix Park .....	1	267
Wesley Memorial .....	1	216
Jacksonville Circuit .....	2	143
Lake Butler .....	2	156
Lawtey .....	1	120
McClenny .....	1	203
Middleburg and Mandarin .....	3	143
New Augustine .....	1	140
South Jacksonville .....	1	204
St. Augustine .....	1	202
Starke and Hampton .....	1	202
	22	4,497

### Miami District.

Bunnell .....	98
Cocoa and City Point .....	53

### Miami District (Continued).

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Dania and Boynton .....	1	180
De Land .....	1	255
Delray .....	1	63
Fort Lauderdale .....	1	86
Fort Pierce .....	1	210
Hastings .....	1	117
Homestead and Princeton .....	1	108
Key West: First Church .....	2	350
Fleming Street .....	1	499
Memorial .....	1	262
Kingston and Port Orange... 1	1	81
Lemon City .....	2	99
Marathon .....	1	55
Miami: Trinity .....	2	700
South Side and Buena Vista.. 1	1	30
New Smyrna .....	2	101
Ojus and Deerfield .....	1	65
Sanford .....	1	490
Sebastian .....	1	122
Silver Palm and Peters... 1	1	97
Stuart and Jensen .....	1	136
Titusville .....	1	133
West Palm Beach .....	1	218
	16	4,608

### Ocala District.

Brooksville .....	1	345
Bushnell .....	2	263
Clearwater .....	5	252
Coleman .....	1	224
Crystal River .....	1	126
Dade City .....	1	253
Dunedin .....	1	193
Dunnellon .....	1	241
Gulfport .....	1	150
Inverness .....	1	304
Keystone .....	1	68
Largo .....	1	205
Ocala .....	1	477
Plant City .....	5	534
Safety Harbor .....	1	148
Spring Lake .....	1	138
St. Petersburg .....	1	596
Sutherland .....	9	152
Tarpon Springs .....	1	153
Trilby .....	1	276
Wildwood .....	2	246
	26	5,344

### Orlando District.

Altoona Circuit .....	1	175
Apopka Circuit .....	2	157
Crescent City Circuit .....	1	114
Enterprise Circuit .....	2	99
Frostproof and Lake Wales... 1	1	194
Haines City .....	1	83
Hawthorne Circuit .....	1	293
Interlachen Circuit .....	1	71
Kissimmee .....	1	423
Leesburg .....	2	195
Maitland Circuit .....	1	133
Okeechobee .....	1	52
Orlando .....	2	920
Oviedo and Geneva .....	1	172
Palatka .....	2	336
Rodman and Mission .....	1	112
Seville Circuit .....	1	146
Shingle Creek Circuit .....	1	33
Umatilla and Tavares .....	1	277
Webster .....	2	331
Welaka Circuit .....	1	51
Winter Garden Circuit .....	1	204
Winter Haven .....	1	180
	17	4,751



*Tallahassee District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Apalachicola .....	2	294
Aucilla and Greenville .....	2	316
Bristol Circuit .....	1	261
Chattahoochee and Mount Pleasant .....		202
Fenholloway and Springdale .....		212
Greensboro Circuit .....	1	415
Havana and Carrabelle .....	2	190
Hinson Circuit .....		250
Lafayette Circuit .....		65
Leon Circuit .....	1	331
Madison .....	1	258
Madison Circuit .....	1	534
Mayo Circuit .....	1	354
Midway Circuit .....	1	196
Monticello .....		273
Perry .....		230
Quincy .....		279
Sopchoppy Circuit .....		250
Tallahassee .....	3	641
Waukeenah .....		264
West Madison .....	1	254
	17	6,089

*Tampa District.*

Bloomington Circuit .....		132
Bradentown .....		526
Manatee .....		240
Miakka Circuit .....	5	141
Oneco Circuit .....	2	295
Palmetto .....	1	189
Parrish .....		76
Sarasota .....	1	173
Seffner Circuit .....	1	310
Tampa: First Church .....	2	709
Hyde Park .....		630
Tampa Heights .....		802
Gary and Oak Park .....		220
Port Tampa City .....		87
Selma Avenue and Oak Grove .....	1	238
Highland and City Mission .....		144
Wimauma .....		67
	13	4,979

*Florida Latin District.*

Tampa: San Mateo .....	1	55
San Marcos .....		42
San Lucas and San Juan .....		30
Italian Mission: San Pedro .....	2	
Key West: La Trinidad and El Salvador .....	2	85
	5	212

*Recapitulation.*

Bartow District .....	14	4,910
Gainesville District .....	7	5,997
Jacksonville District .....	22	4,497
Miami District .....	16	4,608
Ocala District .....	26	5,344
Orlando District .....	17	4,751
Tallahassee District .....	17	6,089
Tampa District .....	13	4,979
Florida Latin District .....	5	212
Total this year .....	137	41,387
Total last year .....	140	38,329
Increase .....		3,058
Decrease .....	3	

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? Not answered.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? Not answered.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 919.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,424.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 173.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 6,513.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 381.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 3,405.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 35,664.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$9,729.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$7,319. Paid to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$8,511; Home and Conference Missions, \$12,945. Total, \$21,456.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$4,216.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$7,872.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$298.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$19,049; preachers in charge, \$143,151.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$1,379.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 464; houses of worship, 400.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$1,410,000; indebtedness, \$150,242.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 181; parsonages, 151.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$374,700; indebtedness, \$35,249.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 9; district parsonages, 8.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Not answered.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 4; amount of damage, \$6,709.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$491,650; premiums paid, \$2,913.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Value of property, \$162,500; endowment, \$36,300; professors, 11; pupils, 178.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 265; Conference organ, 2,621.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? A. W. McLeran, Lay Leader.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Miami, Fla.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### BARTOW DISTRICT.

*M. H. Norton, P. E.*

Alva, O. E. Rice.  
Arcadia, G. F. Scott; one to be supplied.  
Bartow, F. R. Bridges.  
Bartow Mission, W. H. Wilcox, supply.  
Boca Grande Mission, T. W. Tomkies.  
Bowling Green, J. W. Austin.  
Charlotte Harbor, Joseph Barton, supply.  
Dixie Land and Myrtle Street Mission, J. D. Major.  
Fort Green Mission, W. O. Troutman, supply.  
Fort Meade, E. F. Ley.  
Fort Myers: First Church, J. P. Hilburn.  
Edgewood Mission, H. E. Owen.  
Homeland and Prospect, J. T. Mitchell.  
Kathleen Circuit, J. D. Murray.  
Labelle Mission, A. C. McCall.  
Lakeland, L. D. Lowe.  
Marco Mission, J. B. Reed, Jr.  
Mulberry, H. J. Haeffinger.  
Nocatee Circuit, C. F. York.  
Punta Gorda, G. S. Henderson.  
Wauchula, D. B. Sweat.  
Zolfo Circuit, D. A. Cole.  
Editor of *Florida Christian Advocate*, J. E. Wilson.

#### GAINESVILLE DISTRICT.

*A. E. Householder, P. E.*

Alachua Circuit, Kinner Hollister.  
Anthony Circuit, C. A. Saunders.

Bronson and Cedar Keys, E. K. Denton.  
Citra Mission, H. E. Partridge.  
Columbia, W. C. Rogers.  
Fort White Circuit, M. H. Outland.  
Gainesville, O. A. Thrower.  
High Springs and Archer, J. E. Woodward.  
Jasper, W. B. Tresca.  
Jennings Mission, E. A. Dupree, supply.  
Lake City, J. S. Chapman.  
Live Oak, L. W. Moore.  
Live Oak Mission, S. F. Weitman, supply.  
Melrose and Waldo, E. S. Hobson.  
Micanopy Circuit, Thomas Williams.  
Reddick Circuit, J. E. Shepherd.  
Rochelle Mission, M. T. Bell.  
Trenton Circuit, W. H. Smith.  
Wellborn Circuit, J. F. Clark.  
White Springs Circuit, T. H. Sistrunk.  
Williston Circuit, R. A. Guy.

#### JACKSONVILLE DISTRICT.

*I. C. Jenkins, P. E.*

Bryceville, E. J. Hardee.  
Callahan, D. D. Dieffenwierth.  
Crandall Mission, C. W. Cramer, supply.  
Fernandina, R. M. Williams.  
Green Cove Springs, W. F. Jones.  
Jacksonville: Marvin and Anderson Mission, J. J. Jones.  
First Church and Murray Hill, J. B. Mitchell.  
Phoenix Park Mission, J. C. Diggs.  
Riverside Park and Brooklyn, W. P. Buhrman.  
Springfield, J. F. Bell.  
St. Matthew's and Brinkley Memorial Mission, Fred Pixton.  
Wesley Memorial, J. B. Rooney.  
South Jacksonville and Parker Street Mission, H. T. Gaines.  
Lake Butler and Raiford, Paul Kendall.  
Lawtey and Ortega Mission, A. T. Gallo-way.  
McClenny Mission, G. A. Davis.  
Middleburg Circuit, S. I. Hendrix.  
New Augustine and Anastasia Mission, W. H. Newkirk.  
St. Augustine, J. C. Jones.  
Starke and Hampton, T. L. Z. Barr.  
Conference Missionary Evangelist, Ira S. Patterson.

#### MIAMI DISTRICT.

*J. D. Sibert, P. E.*

Bunnell, R. L. Ramsey.  
Cocoa and City Point Mission, F. J. Patterson.  
Dania and Ojus, James E. Gault.  
Delray and Boynton, L. Monro.  
De Land, C. W. Inman.

Espanola and Haw Creek Circuit, J. R. Walker, supply.  
 Fort Lauderdale Mission, George Mason.  
 Fort Pierce, L. F. Chapman.  
 Hastings, E. C. Calhoun.  
 Key West: First Church, J. L. Kilgore.  
 Fleming Street, J. L. Griffiths.  
 Memorial, to be supplied.  
 Kingston and Holly Hill, R. E. Mood.  
 Lemon City, E. A. Harrison.  
 Miami: Trinity and Buena Vista, J. R. Cason.  
 Southside and Peters Mission, O. C. SeEVERS.  
 Maticumbia, John Watkins, supply.  
 New Smyrna Mission, H. A. Spencer.  
 Sanford, F. E. Steinmeyer.  
 Sebastian, H. B. Boyd, supply.  
 Silver Palm and Homestead, W. G. Fletcher.  
 Stuart and Jansen, J. H. Daniel.  
 Titusville and Mims, D. B. Bourn.  
 West Palm Beach, W. J. Carpenter.  
 Secretary to the Conference Committee on Temperance, C. W. Crooke.  
 Secretary of Education, L. F. Chapman.

OCALA DISTRICT.

*R. Ira Barnett, P. E.*

Brooksville, C. W. Mathison.  
 Bushnell, R. A. Sowell.  
 Clearwater, R. H. Barnett.  
 Coleman, J. W. Palmer.  
 Crystal River, Josephus P. Durrance.  
 Dade City, W. M. Poage.  
 Dunedin Mission, B. T. Rape.  
 Dunnellon, S. F. Stephens.  
 Inverness, W. J. Nease.  
 Largo, W. R. Evans.  
 Ocala, J. M. Gross.  
 Odessa, J. W. Windham, supply.  
 Paint City, R. F. Hodnett.  
 Saffety Harbor, R. E. L. Folsom.  
 Seminole, J. E. Lewis, supply.  
 Spring Lake, to be supplied.  
 St. Petersburg, W. F. Dunkle.  
 Sutherland Mission, J. L. Moon.  
 Tarpon Springs and Elfers Mission, A. M. Daiger.  
 Trilby, B. F. Sheffer.  
 Wildwood, J. W. Taylor.  
 Conference Sunday School Secretary, A. H. Cole.  
 President of Southern College, R. H. Alderman.  
 Student in Emory University, G. E. Summers.

ORLANDO DISTRICT.

*Smith Hardin, P. E.*

Altoona Mission, I. B. Roberts.  
 Apopka Mission, Hans Steenbock.

Crescent City Mission, A. C. Selby, supply.  
 Enterprise Circuit, W. J. Bartlett, supply.  
 Frost Proof and Avon Park Mission, G. H. York.  
 Hawthorne Circuit, A. L. Hope.  
 Haines City and Lake Wales, J. E. Hartsfield.  
 Interlachen Mission, T. F. Roland.  
 Kissimmee, C. H. Summers.  
 Leesburg, W. H. Funk.  
 Loughman and Ocoee Circuit, G. D. Reeves, supply.  
 Maitland Mission, George C. Herndon, supply.  
 Okeechobee Mission, to be supplied.  
 Orlando, J. B. Ley.  
 Oveido and Geneva, C. E. Gutteridge.  
 Palatka, S. Grady.  
 Rodman Circuit, L. D. Haynes.  
 Seville Mission, John Joseph Bracco.  
 Umatilla and Tavares, Howard Dutill.  
 Webster Circuit, F. L. Crowson.  
 Welaka Mission, to be supplied.  
 Winter Garden, G. W. Stubbs.  
 Winter Haven, H. C. Hardin.

TALLAHASSEE DISTRICT.

*G. S. Roberts, P. E.*

Apalachicola, W. T. Brantley.  
 Aucilla and Greenville Circuit, James A. Hendry.  
 Bristol Mission, A. H. Hancock.  
 Chattahoochee and Mount Pleasant, W. A. Fischer.  
 Fenholloway Mission, M. M. Lord.  
 Greensboro Circuit, Paul A. Fletcher.  
 Havana Mission, Ira M. Belt.  
 Hinson Circuit, Holmes Logan.  
 La Fayette Mission, J. F. Bray.  
 Leon Circuit, W. G. Strickland.  
 Madison, C. F. Blackburn.  
 Madison Circuit, T. R. Adams.  
 Mayo Circuit, A. M. Mann.  
 Monticello, E. J. Gates.  
 Perry, W. C. Norton.  
 Quincy, H. G. Davis.  
 Sopchoppy, J. L. Hunter.  
 Tallahassee, S. W. Lawler.  
 Waukeenah Mission, George P. Hendry.  
 West Madison Mission, J. J. Thompson, supply.  
 Woodville Mission, F. B. Langford.

TAMPA DISTRICT.

*W. A. Myres, P. E.*

Bloomington Circuit, to be supplied.  
 Bradentown, C. W. White.  
 Ellenton Circuit, T. W. Carlton.  
 Manatee, H. F. Harris.  
 Myakka Circuit, F. M. C. Eads.

Palmetto, J. A. Hendry.  
 Parrish and Wimauma, C. C. Cecil.  
 Sarasota, I. W. Longacre.  
 Seffner Circuit, E. H. Lantz.  
 Tampa: First Church, W. A. Cooper.  
   Gary Mission, J. E. Mickler.  
   Highland Avenue and City Mission,  
   John Beers.  
   Hyde Park, L. M. Broyles.  
   Nebraska Avenue Mission, S. A. Wilson.  
   Port Tampa Mission, W. C. Fountain.  
   Tampa Heights, T. J. Nixon.  
 Agent of Preachers' Relief Fund, B. K.  
 Thrower.

#### FLORIDA LATIN MISSION.

*J. D. Lewis, P. E.*

Key West: El Salvador, Francisco Boan,  
 supply.

Key West: La Trinidad and Sibert-Gato  
 Mission, D. Carrera.  
 Tampa: San Juan, L. Oser.  
   San Marcos and San Lucas, S. P. Cunill,  
   Ernesto Estevez.  
   San Mateo, Guillermo Perez.  
   San Pedro, Juan Rosell, supply.  
   Sao Paulo, Italian Mission, I. T. Cam-  
   eron; A. Reina, supply.  
 Missionaries to Cuba, I. Gonzalez, N. J.  
 Castellanos, R. D. Barrios.

*Transferred.*—James B. Evans, to the  
 Little Rock Conference; W. O. Rencher,  
 deacon in class or fourth year, to the  
 Alabama Conference; J. D. Williams and  
 W. B. Duncan, Jr., to the South Carolina  
 Conference.

## MISSISSIPPI CONFERENCE.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD SESSION.

HELD AT JACKSON, MISS., DECEMBER 13-18, 1916.

BISHOP MURRAH, *President*; A. F. WATKINS, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. James B. Stringer, John L. Car-  
 ter, Victor C. Clifford, Charles C. Beasley.  
 4.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? W. D.  
 Barrett, J. B. Cain, J. C. Jackson, Claude  
 P. Jones, Robert A. Allums, Hugh C. Cas-  
 tles, J. H. Jolly. 7.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full con-  
 nection? Reginald H. Clegg, Murdock W.  
 David, Alvin A. Simms, David W. Ulmer,  
 Thomas B. Winstead, Martin W. Porter,  
 James T. Weems, Mounser F. Adams, Stu-  
 art C. Moody. 9.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer  
 from other Conferences? W. R. McPher-  
 son. 1.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other  
 Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other  
 Churches as traveling preachers? Charles  
 C. Beasley, Milton A. Massey. 2.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one  
 year? E. H. Cooley, H. M. Johnson, P. H.  
 Grice, C. H. Strait. 4.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are  
 elected deacons? R. H. Clegg, Murdock  
 W. David, Stuart C. Moody, Alvin A.  
 Simms, David W. Ulmer, Thomas B. Win-  
 stead, Martin W. Porter, James T. Weems.  
 8.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are  
 ordained deacons? Reginald H. Clegg,  
 Murdock W. David, Stuart C. Moody, Al-  
 vin A. Simms, David W. Ulmer, Thomas  
 B. Winstead, Martin W. Porter, James T.  
 Weems. 8.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elect-  
 ed deacons? Edgar Lafayette Hillman,  
 John Malcomb Alexander, Clarence An-  
 thony Massey. 3.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are or-  
 dained deacons? Edgar Lafayette Hill-  
 man, John Malcomb Alexander, Clarence  
 Anthony Massey. 3.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are  
 elected elders? William Baylis Alsworth,  
 Charles Equen Downer, Thomas Alexan-  
 der Ferguson, Samuel Ephraim Flurry,  
 Robert Falkland Harrell, Hugh Robert  
 McKee, Algernon Sydney Oliver. 7.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are  
 ordained elders? William Baylis Als-  
 worth, Charles Equen Downer, James Sel-  
 wyn Duke, Thomas Alexander Ferguson,  
 Samuel Ephraim Flurry, Robert Falkland  
 Harrell, Hugh Robert McKee, Algernon  
 Sydney Oliver. 8.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elect-  
 ed elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are or-  
 dained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? B.

F. Crook, W. E. Harrison, H. N. McKibben, C. J. Stapp. 4.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? W. B. Waldrop. 1.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? W. D. Dominick, C. T. Noble, J. M. Massey, Ira B. Robertson, W. W. Simmons, E. D. Phillips, R. L. Phillips, J. H. Evans, C. H. Ellis, H. P. Lewis, C. M. Martin, R. F. Witt, R. Bradley, J. W. Brown, J. T. Nicholson, L. J. Jones, W. W. Cammack, G. W. Huff, L. Carley, M. L. Burton, B. H. Rawls, Isaac L. Peebles. 22.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? George H. Galloway. 1.

GEORGE H. GALLOWAY was born in Madison County, near Canton, Miss., September 16, 1862. His parents, Dr. J. H. and Mrs. S. J. Galloway, were originally from North Carolina. He was one of four brothers and three sisters, all of whom survive him except one sister. His early education was received in the public schools of his county, after which he attended Centenary College, Jackson, La. He graduated with the honors of his class in 1886. His heart was given to God in early childhood, and while yet a boy the call of God to the ministry came to him. At the session of the Mississippi Conference in 1886 he was admitted on trial into the traveling connection, and gave to the Church thirty years of earnest, faithful service. The following gives the order of his pastorates: Columbia, three years; Magnolia, two years; Carthage and Walnut Grove, two years; Rose Hill, two years; Lauderdale, one year; Meridian, East End, two years; Pearlinton, four years; Gulfport, Twenty-fifth Avenue, four years; presiding elder of the Vicksburg District, four years; Conference Missionary Secretary, one year; President of the Mississippi Conference Training School, one year and six months; Hattiesburg, Court Street, two years; McComb, Centenary, one year and six months. He was married December 19, 1889, to Miss Emma Leavell, of Hinds County, Miss., who stood by him to the end of his itinerant career, proving herself a helpmeet indeed. Eight children blessed this union, six sons and two daughters, all of whom except one daughter survive him. On May 31, 1916, the summons came suddenly for him to lay his armor down and receive the crown of glory awaiting the faithful and the true. He was in the midst of one of his most joyous and successful pastorates. Only a few weeks before he had closed a very

gracious revival in his church, and the outlook was most encouraging. The devotion of his church was manifest in the profound sorrow which spread over the entire membership when the announcement of his death was made; yea, the entire community mourned the loss of this true servant of God. He had attended the closing exercises of the public school the evening before, and during the night the end came as he was rising from his knees at his bedside where he had knelt to pray. His body was laid to rest in the McComb cemetery after impressive services in Centenary Church, which was filled to its utmost capacity by sorrowing relatives and friends. The presence of a number of the ministers of the Conference was a source of great comfort to the hearts of the bereaved wife and children. The magnificent floral offerings were but a faint expression of the high esteem in which he was held and the deep sympathy felt by all; their silent message meant much to the sorrowing ones. Thus has been given in outline the life work of one of God's chosen servants, one who was not unmindful of the great responsibility of his high calling, one who studied "to show himself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth." God gave evidence of his divine approval in that many were led into a saving knowledge of Christ through his ministry, and many others were strengthened in their Christian experience by his words of counsel and admonition. In a letter from his wife is the following statement: "Scores of letters have come to me from the various appointments that Mr. Galloway has served telling me of what he had meant to this one and that one in their Christian experience." These letters are a great consolation to her in this hour of sorrow; and knowing the deep yearning of his heart for evidences that he had been a help to others, she adds: "Oh, if half of what has been written me of his work had been said to him, what an inspiration it would have been! He longed always for a fruitful ministry—to know that he was helping somebody in their struggle against evil." That Brother Galloway was a man of God who knew and loved the doctrines of Methodism was evident to all who knew him; it was only to his intimate friends, however, that he would speak of his deep heart-experiences. It was the privilege of the writer to be numbered among this inner circle of



friends. We came to know each other in this intimate way while he was presiding elder of the Vicksburg District. He loved to talk of those portions of Scripture which relate to the exceeding greatness of God's love and the rich experiences that rightly belong to those who accept Christ as their Saviour. He yearned to be filled with all the fullness of God, and many were the happy moments that came to him as he thus studied and talked of the teachings of God's Word. He was a man of strong conviction, and did not hesitate to contend for what he believed to be right. Often, in the midst of the discussion which followed, his utterances would have the ring of harshness and severity; but those who knew him best were well aware that there was no bitterness in his heart—only the kindest feeling for those who took the other side of the question. He loved God; he loved his brethren, and longed for their love in return. It can be said of him truthfully, "He was a good man, and full of the Holy Ghost and of faith"; and when the end came, he was doubtless met by his Lord with the glad welcome: "Well done, thou good and faithful servant; enter thou into the joy of thy Lord."—*W. H. Lewis.*

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called one by one, and their characters passed.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### Brookhaven District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Adams .....	2	374
Barlow .....	...	466
Bayou Pierre .....	...	465
Bogue Chitto and Norfield.....	1	320
Brookhaven .....	1	725
Buford .....	1	250
Crystal Springs .....	1	391
Fernwood .....	3	342
Gallman .....	...	540
Hazlehurst .....	...	287
Magnolia .....	...	252
McComb: Centenary .....	...	604
South McComb .....	2	400
Meadville .....	3	375
Monticello .....	...	485
Pleasant Grove .....	1	779
Scotland .....	7	402
Summit and East McComb.....	2	372
Topisaw .....	3	431
Tylertown .....	1	441
Wesson .....	...	385
	28	8,986

#### Hattiesburg District.

Blodgett .....	1	81
Collins .....	...	242

#### Hattiesburg District (Continued).

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Ellisville .....	5	440
Estabutchie .....	...	356
Eucutta .....	1	437
Hattiesburg: Broad Street .....	3	532
Court Street .....	1	449
Main Street .....	1	641
Heidelberg .....	...	412
Leakesville .....	1	216
Lucedale .....	...	290
Magee .....	...	333
McLain .....	...	620
Mount Olive .....	...	418
New Augusta .....	1	120
Olah .....	...	245
Prentiss .....	...	280
Purvis .....	...	405
Richton .....	...	165
Seminary .....	1	200
Silver Creek .....	...	366
Sumrall .....	1	316
Taylorville .....	...	317
Williamsburg .....	1	475
	17	8,356

#### Jackson District.

Benton .....	...	300
Bolton .....	1	302
Brandon and Pelahatchie .....	1	441
Camden .....	...	276
Canton .....	...	315
Eden .....	...	162
Edwards .....	...	172
Fannin .....	...	250
Flora .....	...	265
Florence .....	1	380
Harrisville .....	1	472
Jackson: Capitol Street .....	5	887
Galloway Memorial .....	10	1,530
Millsaps Memorial .....	1	62
Rankin Street .....	...	158
Lintonia .....	...	175
Madison .....	1	338
Mendenhall .....	3	458
Satartia .....	1	386
Sharon .....	...	132
Terry .....	1	237
Vaughan .....	1	346
Yazoo City .....	...	567
	27	8,611

#### Meridian District.

Bucatunna .....	...	323
Clark Mission .....	...	352
Daleville .....	...	410
De Kalb .....	...	578
De Soto .....	...	481
Enterprise and Stonewall .....	...	525
Lauderdale .....	...	254
Matherville .....	4	340
Meridian: Central .....	3	1,075
East End .....	1	503
Fifth Street .....	...	463
Poplar Springs .....	4	158
Seventh Avenue .....	1	348
South Side .....	...	386
Moscow .....	...	274
Pachuta and Quitman .....	2	394
Porterville .....	...	245
Scooba .....	...	436
Shubuta .....	...	244
Vimville .....	2	480
Waynesboro Station .....	...	253
Waynesboro Circuit .....	...	333
	17	8,855

## Newton District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Bay Springs and Montrose.....	7	437
Carthage .....	..	507
Chunky and Meehan .....	1	210
Clarksburg .....	1	404
Decatur and Union .....	..	520
Forest and Morton .....	..	555
Harperville and Lena .....	..	352
Homewood .....	5	583
Jasper County Mission .....	..	105
Lake .....	..	430
Laurel: First Church .....	1	639
Second Avenue .....	2	193
Fourteenth Avenue .....	..	190
McDonald .....	1	362
Newton and Hickory .....	..	486
Philadelphia .....	2	437
Philadelphia Circuit .....	..	528
Raleigh .....	1	372
Rose Hill .....	3	450
Shiloh .....	..	638
Trenton .....	..	386
Walnut Grove .....	1	350
	25	9,134

## Port Gibson District.

Anquilla .....	..	181
Centerville .....	..	437
Fayette .....	..	307
Gloster and Liberty .....	1	277
Harriston .....	..	288
Hermanville .....	..	320
Mayersville .....	..	80
Natchez .....	..	488
Nebo .....	3	384
Oak Ridge .....	..	364
Port Gibson .....	4	243
Rocky Springs .....	1	488
Rolling Fork .....	3	140
Roxie .....	..	131
Silver City .....	..	220
Utica .....	1	510
Vicksburg: Crawford Street.....	..	524
Gibson Memorial .....	..	407
Washington .....	1	110
Woodville .....	..	248
Woodville Circuit .....	1	327
	15	6,474

## Seashore District.

Americus .....	1	414
Bay St. Louis .....	..	165
Biloxi: Main Street .....	3	517
Brookland and Bond .....	..	385
Carriere and Picayune .....	..	279
Coalville .....	1	474
Columbia .....	..	454
Escatawpa .....	..	356
Gulfport: First Church .....	2	785
Gulfport and Lyman .....	2	322
Hub .....	..	174
Logtown .....	1	210
Lumberton .....	2	410
Mentorum .....	3	395
Moss Point .....	1	211
Oak Street and Mississippi City..	..	318
Pascagoula and Ocean Springs..	..	219
Poplarville .....	..	226
Saucier .....	1	244
Vancleave .....	4	351
Wiggins .....	..	254
Wolf River Mission .....	1	171
	22	7,580

## Recapitulation.

Brookhaven District .....	28	8,986
Hattiesburg District .....	17	8,356

## Recapitulation (Continued).

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Jackson District .....	27	8,611
Meridian District .....	17	8,855
Newton District .....	25	9,134
Port Gibson District .....	15	6,474
Seashore District .....	22	7,580
Total this year .....	151	57,996
Total last year .....	136	56,884
Increase .....	15	1,112

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? Licensed, 26; names furnished.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? Candidates, 17; names furnished.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,100.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,662.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 74.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 2,411.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 478.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 3,636.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 37,081.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$14,665.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$10,246. Paid to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$10,062; Home and Conference Missions, \$9,473. Total, \$19,536.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$5,025.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$4,351.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$750.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$14,720; preachers in charge, \$120,459.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$2,445.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by

them? Societies, 553; houses of worship, 503.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$1,033,850; indebtedness, \$73,611.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 156; parsonages, 149.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$255,100; indebtedness, \$23,969.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 7; district parsonages, 6.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$26,500; indebtedness, \$2,500.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Churches damaged, 15; amount of damage, \$5,728.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$565,495; premiums paid, \$3,339; losses sustained, \$5,728; collections on losses, \$2,067.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Millsaps College: Value of property, \$280,000; endowment, \$552,000; professors, 11; pupils, 249. Whitworth Female College: Value of property, \$88,000; professors, 19; pupils, 208. Port Gibson Female College: Value of property, \$55,000; professors, 14; pupils, 102. Mississippi Conference Training School: Value of property, \$8,000; professors, 8; pupils, 195. Seashore Camp Ground School: Value of property, \$100,000; professors, 4; pupils, 85.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 273; Conference organ, 2,302.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? George L. Harrell, Lay Leader.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Crawford Street, Vicksburg, Miss.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### BROOKHAVEN DISTRICT.

*J. T. Leggett, P. E.*

Adams, R. H. Barr.

Barlow, E. J. Coker.

Bayou Pierre, W. W. Murray.

Bogue Chitto and Norfield, W. W. Moore.

Brookhaven, C. W. Crisler.

Crystal Springs, H. L. Norton.

Fernwood, J. Decell.

Foxworth, H. K. McKee.

Gallman, C. A. Schultz.

Hazlehurst, L. L. Roberts.

Magnolia, N. B. Harmon.

McCall, J. M. Ainsworth, supply.

McComb: Centenary, W. H. Saunders.

South and East, F. B. Ormond.

Meadville and Bude, A. B. Barry.

Monticello, R. H. Kleiser.

Pleasant Grove, C. C. Beasley.

Scotland, W. W. Nelson.

Summit, W. N. Thomas.

Topisaw, J. C. Ellis.

Tylertown, H. A. Gatlin.

Wesson, J. W. Thompson.

Conference Evangelist, J. V. Bennett.

President of Whitworth College, I. W.

Cooper.

Field Secretary of Methodist Hospital,

H. M. Ellis.

#### HATTIESBURG DISTRICT.

*W. B. Jones, P. E.*

Blodgett, R. T. Nolen, supply.

Collins, W. M. Williams.

Ellisville, J. S. Purcell.

Ellisville Mission, T. W. Cooper, supply.

Eucutta, M. W. Porter.

Hattiesburg: Main Street, P. D. Hardin.

Court Street, T. W. Adams.

Broad Street, W. A. Terry.

Hattiesburg Circuit, C. E. Downer.

Heidelberg, H. J. Maddox.

Leakesville, M. W. David.

Lucedale, J. L. Greenway.

Magee, H. E. Carter.

Mount Olive, T. B. Cottrell.

New Augusta, J. W. Ramsey.

Oloh, S. C. Moody.

Prentiss, J. M. Lewis.

Purvis, H. Mellard.

Richton, W. B. Alsworth.

Seminary, J. H. Jolly.

Silver Creek, J. W. Chisholm.

Sumrall, J. E. Williams.

Taylorsville, A. S. Byrd.

Williamsburg, R. T. Pickett.

District Evangelist, P. H. Howse.

Conference Evangelist, D. E. Kelly.

#### JACKSON DISTRICT.

*J. M. Morse, P. E.*

Benton, J. F. Campbell.

Bolton, W. J. Dawson.

Brandon and Pelahatchie, R. P. Fikes.

Camden, T. A. Ferguson.  
 Canton, B. F. Lewis.  
 Eden, A. S. Oliver.  
 Edwards, G. P. McKeown.  
 Fannin, G. G. Yeager.  
 Flora, M. F. Adams.  
 Florence, J. B. King.  
 Harrisville, C. H. Herring.  
 Jackson: Capitol Street, W. H. Lewis.  
     Galloway Memorial, W. G. Henry.  
     Millsaps Street, H. M. Johnson.  
     Rankin Street, W. H. Lane.  
 Latonia, M. A. Massey.  
 Madison, H. P. Lewis, Jr.  
 Mendenhall and D'Lo, J. S. Duke; W. B. Waldrop, Sup.  
 Sataria, S. N. Young.  
 Sharon, F. L. Applewhite.  
 Terry, T. H. King.  
 Vaughan, R. E. Rutledge.  
 Yazoo City, W. H. Huntley.  
 President of Millsaps College, A. F. Watkins.  
 Sunday School Field Secretary, J. L. Neill.  
 Commissioner for Emory University, R. Selby.  
 Commissioner for Millsaps College, M. M. Black.

## MERIDIAN DISTRICT.

*G. H. Thompson, P. E.*

Bucatuna, D. E. Vickers.  
 Clarke Mission, H. E. Raley, supply.  
 Daleville, A. J. Davis.  
 De Kalb, J. F. McClellan.  
 De Soto, W. E. Dickens.  
 Enterprise, L. F. Alford.  
 Lauderdale, J. H. Moore.  
 Matherville, O. G. Halliburton.  
 Meridian: Central, H. B. Watkins.  
     East End, E. C. Gunn.  
     Fifth Street, W. J. Ferguson.  
     Poplar Springs, B. L. Sutherland.  
     Seventh Avenue, H. S. Westbrook.  
     Hawkins Memorial, A. M. Broadfoot.  
 Moscow, G. P. Fikes.  
 Pachuta, J. L. Smith.  
 Porterville, W. B. Barrett.  
 Scooba, J. T. Abney.  
 Shubuta, L. E. Alford.  
 Vimville, H. C. Castles.  
 Waynesboro Station, C. M. Chapman.  
 Waynesboro Circuit, W. J. Walters.

## NEWTON DISTRICT.

*W. L. Linfield, P. E.*

Bay Springs, J. H. Grice.  
 Carthage, A. A. Simms.  
 Chunky and Meehan, G. L. McNeese.

Clarksburg, M. K. Miller, supply.  
 Decatur and Union, W. A. Hays.  
 Forest and Morton, J. G. Galloway.  
 Harperville and Lena, W. B. McPherson.  
 Homewood, M. L. White.  
 Lake, J. M. Corley.  
 Laurel: First Church, W. B. Hogg.  
     Kingston, W. F. Baggett.  
     Fourteenth Avenue, R. H. Clegg.  
 McDonald, J. B. Stringer.  
 Montrose, H. J. Moore.  
 Neshoba, S. E. Flurry.  
 Newton, J. C. Chambers.  
 Philadelphia, C. M. Crossley.  
 Raleigh, M. R. Jones.  
 Rose Hill, H. R. McKee.  
 Shiloh, C. H. Strait.  
 Trenton, T. B. Winstead.  
 Walnut Grove, E. H. Cooley.

## PORT GIBSON DISTRICT.

*M. B. Sharbrough, P. E.*

Anguilla, J. E. J. Ferguson.  
 Centerville and Liberty, E. L. Alford.  
 Fayette, J. O. Ware.  
 Gloster, R. F. Harrell.  
 Harriston, W. W. Hopper.  
 Hermanville, J. W. Price.  
 Mayersville, J. T. McVey.  
 Natchez, C. F. Emery.  
 Nebo, N. S. Loftus, supply.  
 Oak Ridge, J. A. Wells.  
 Port Gibson, H. W. Featherstun.  
 Rocky Springs, to be supplied by J. W. O'Neill.  
 Rolling Fork, W. W. Graves.  
 Roxie, to be supplied.  
 Silver City, J. H. Forman.  
 Utica, B. W. Lewis.  
 Vicksburg: Crawford Street, T. B. Hollo-  
     man.  
     Gibson Memorial, O. S. Lewis.  
 Woodville Circuit, Clarence Massey, sup-  
     ply.  
 Woodville Station, J. D. Ellis.  
 Washington, J. B. Cain.  
 President of Port Gibson Female College,  
     T. J. O'Neill.

## SEASHORE DISTRICT.

*J. R. Jones, P. E.*

Americus, J. L. Carter.  
 Back Bay and Wolf River Mission, L. Fayard, supply.  
 Bay St. Louis, C. C. Evans.  
 Biloxi: Main Street, H. F. Tolle.  
 Brooklyn and Bond, D. W. Ulmer.  
 Carriere and Picayune, J. T. Weems.  
 Coalville, R. A. Allums.  
 Columbia, W. M. Sullivan.

Escatawba, R. A. Sibley.  
 Gulfport: First Church, W. H. La Prade.  
 Seaman's Bethel, W. T. Griffin.  
 Hub, J. C. Jackson.  
 Long Beach, Claude P. Jones.  
 Logtown, J. E. Gray.  
 Lumberton, J. A. Moore.  
 McHenry and Howison, V. G. Clifford.  
 Mentor, P. H. Grice.  
 Moss Point, B. F. Jones.

North Gulfport and Mississippi City, L. A. Darsey.  
 Pascagoula and Ocean Springs, W. G. Forsyth.  
 Poplarville, G. S. Harmon.  
 Saucier and Lyman, B. E. Meigs.  
 Vancleave, W. L. Blackwell.  
 Wiggins, J. L. Sells.  
 President of Seashore Camp Ground School, H. W. Van Hook.

## BRAZIL CONFERENCE.

THIRTY-FIRST SESSION.

HELD AT RIBEIRAO PRETO, BRAZIL, JULY 12-18, 1916.

REV. JOAO TAVARES, *President*; JOSE FERRAZ, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. Joao A. Costa, Oswaldo L. Silva, Frank Wiedrebeker, and Victorino Goncalves. 4. Continued in this class, Cesar Dacorso, Filho, and Manoel M. Moraes.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Juvenal S. Pereira. 1.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? H. F. Bailey. 1.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? None.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? None.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? None.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? Juvenal S. Pereira, Oswaldo L. Silva, Ozorio C. Caire, and Cesar Dacorso Filho. 4.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? Elias Escobar, Junior. 1.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? None.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? E. A. Tilly. 1.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? Antonio Cardoso Fonseca. 1. (Died in 1915; no memoir furnished.)

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called and their characters approved.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

### Rio de Janeiro District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Rio de Janeiro: Cattete .....	1	201
Jardim Botanico .....	1	35
Villa Isabel .....	1	146
Cascadura .....	4	51
Instituto Central .....	4	91
Barra Mansa and Campo Bello .....	1	90
Cabo Frio .....	1	149
Petropolis .....	1	176
Therezopolis and Mage .....	1	36
Entre Rios .....	1	74
Porto Novo .....	1	133
Anta .....	1	136
	7	1,318

### Sao Paulo District.

Piracicaba .....	448
Sao Paulo Italiana .....	55
Capivary and Porto Feliz Circuit .....	151
Sao Paulo: Central .....	472
Itapeerica .....	104
Sao Lourenco .....	37
Taubate and Norte de Sao Paulo .....	57
Cunha .....	184
Sao Roque and Laranjal .....	51
Ourinhos and Biriguy .....	69
Campinas .....	24
Amparo .....	61
	2 1,713



*Bello Horizonte District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Bello Horizonte .....	1	257
Quartel .....	1	41
Santa Maria .....	1	27
Palmyra and Barbacena .....	1	85
Lima Duarte .....	1	50
Mathias Barbosa .....	1	52
Juiz de Fora .....	2	310
	7	822

*Ribeirao Preto District.*

Ribeirao Preto .....	1	303
Cravinhos and Sertaozinho .....	1	58
Franca and Batataes .....	1	118
Igarapava and Jardinopolis .....	1	118
Uberaba and Araxa .....	1	75
Santa Rita .....	1	130
Pirassununga .....	1	113
Boa Esperanca and Dourado .....	1	66
Lagoas and Pocos de Caldas .....	1	107
Sierra Azul and Sao Simao .....	1	353
	3	1,141

*Carangola District.*

Cataguazes .....	1	214
Dr. Astolpho .....	1	137
Caparaho .....	1	200
Pomba and Uba .....	1	343
Faria Lemos .....	1	293
Miracema and Cambucy .....	1	131
Sao Paula Muriahe .....	1	141
Laranjeiras .....	1	127
	4	1,586

*Recapitulation.*

Rio de Janeiro District .....	7	1,318
Sao Paulo District .....	2	1,713
Bello Horizonte District .....	7	822
Ribeirao Preto District .....	3	1,141
Carangola District .....	4	1,586

Total this year .....	23	6,580
Total last year .....	28	6,117

Increase .....	5	463
Decrease .....		

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? None licensed.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? Candidates, 17.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 540.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 605.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 46.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 1,554.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 95.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 383.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 3,893.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$900.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$865. Paid to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$747; Home and Conference Missions, \$4,145. Total, \$4,892.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$745.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$808.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$152.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$2,119; preachers in charge, \$17,875.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$88.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 60; houses of worship, 33.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$351,587; indebtedness, \$6,725.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 55; parsonages, 8.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$40,750; indebtedness, \$21.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Districts, 5; district parsonages, none.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? None.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? None.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$84,000.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Value of property, \$537,500; teachers, 76; pupils, 1,082.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 25; Conference organ, 1,850.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay

Escatawba, R. A. Sibley.  
 Gulfport: First Church, W. H. La Prade.  
 Seaman's Bethel, W. T. Griffin.  
 Hub, J. C. Jackson.  
 Long Beach, Claude P. Jones.  
 Logtown, J. E. Gray.  
 Lumberton, J. A. Moore.  
 McHenry and Howison, V. G. Clifford.  
 Mentor, P. H. Grice.  
 Moss Point, B. F. Jones.

North Gulfport and Mississippi City, L. A. Darsey.  
 Pascagoula and Ocean Springs, W. G. Forsyth.  
 Poplarville, G. S. Harmon.  
 Saucier and Lyman, B. E. Meigs.  
 Vancleave, W. L. Blackwell.  
 Wiggins, J. L. Sells.  
 President of Seashore Camp Ground School, H. W. Van Hook.

## BRAZIL CONFERENCE.

THIRTY-FIRST SESSION.

HELD AT RIBEIRAO PRETO, BRAZIL, JULY 12-18, 1916.

REV. JOAO TAVARES, *President*; JOSE FERRAZ, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
 ANSWER. Joao A. Costa, Oswaldo L. Silva, Frank Wiedrebeker, and Victorino Gonçalves. 4. Continued in this class, Cesar Dacorso, Filho, and Manoel M. Moraes.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Juvenal S. Pereira. 1.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? H. F. Bailey. 1.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? None.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? None.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? None.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? Juvenal S. Pereira, Oswaldo L. Silva, Ozorio C. Caire, and Cesar Dacorso Filho. 4.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? Elias Escobar, Junior. 1.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? None.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? E. A. Tilly. 1.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? Antonio Cardoso Fonseca. 1. (Died in 1915; no memoir furnished.)

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called and their characters approved.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

### Rio de Janeiro District.

	Local Pr's.	Members.
Rio de Janeiro: Cattete .....	1	201
Jardim Botanico .....	1	35
Villa Isabel .....	1	146
Cascadura .....	1	51
Instituto Central .....	4	91
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Cunha .....	184
Sao Roque and Laranjal .....	51
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	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
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Uberaba and Araxa .....	1	75
Santa Rita .....	1	130
Pirassununga .....	1	113
Boa Esperanca and Dourado.....	1	66
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*Carangola District.*

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Dr. Astolpho .....	1	137
Caparaho .....	1	200
Pomba and Uba .....	1	343
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Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 25; Conference organ, 1,850.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay

Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? Arino F. Moraes, Juiz de Fora.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Instituto Central, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### RIO DE JANEIRO DISTRICT.

*J. E. Tavares, P. E.*

Rio de Janeiro: Cattete, J. W. Tarboux.

Villa Isabel, Hippolyto O. Campos.

Jardim Botanico, to be supplied.

Instituto Central, H. F. Bailey, superintendent; Cesar Dacorso, Filho, assistant.

Cascadura, Amancio C. Cardoso.

Barra Mansa and Campo Bello, Amancio C. Cardoso.

Cabo Frio, Messias C. Santos, supply.

Petropolis, J. M. Lander.

Therezopolis and Mage, J. E. Tavares.

Entre Rios, A. J. Araujo, Filho.

Anta, J. A. Guerra.

Porto Novo, A. Bevilacqua.

Dr. Astolpho, A. Bevilacqua.

Agent of the American Bible Society, H. C. Tucker.

Editor of the *Revista and Juvenil*, J. M. Lander.

Secretary of Missions, J. E. Tavares.

Treasurer of Missions, J. W. Tarboux.

#### SAO PAULO DISTRICT.

*J. L. Becker, P. E.*

Piracicaba, J. L. Becker; Guaracy Silveira, supply.

Capivary, Guaracy Silveira, supply.

Sao Paulo: Central, J. L. Kennedy.

Italiana and Bom Retiro, P. E. Buyers; Emilio Wagner, supply.

Sao Roque and Porto Feliz, P. E. Buyers.

Campinas, J. R. Carvalho.

Amparo, J. R. Carvalho.

Itapecerica, Juvenal Pereira.

Sao Lourenco, Juvenal Pereira.

Taubate and Norte, Joao da Costa.

Cunha, Manoel Monteiro, supply.

Ourinhos, C. B. Dawsey.

Bauru and Biriguy, C. B. Dawsey.

General Secretary of Sunday Schools and Epworth Leagues, C. B. Dawsey.

#### RIBEIRAO PRETO DISTRICT.

*J. C. Reis, P. E.*

Ribeirao Preto, J. C. Reis; M. M. Moraes, assistant.

Pirassununga, W. G. Borchers.

Santa Rita, W. G. Borchers.

Boa Esperanca and Dourado, W. G. Borchers; E. Escobar, Junior, supply.

Lagoa and Pocos de Caldas, S. A. Belcher.

Serra Azul and Sao Simao, S. A. Belcher;

J. B. Nunes, supply.

Sertaosinho and Pontal, M. M. Moraes.

Franca and Batataes, A. J. Mello.

Igarapava and Jardinopolis, J. L. Lopes.

Uberaba and Araxa, J. L. Lopes.

Cravinhos, S. A. Becker; J. B. Nunes, supply.

#### BELLO HORIZONTE DISTRICT.

*M. Dickie, P. E.*

Bello Horizonte: Central, Onofre Giacomo; Ozorio C. Caire, assistant.

Quartel, Onofre Giacomo; Ozorio C. Caire, assistant.

Bello Horizonte Circuit, Onofre Giacomo; Ozorio C. Caire, assistant.

Barbacena Circuit, Oswaldo L. Silva.

Palmyra Circuit, Oswaldo L. Silva.

Lima Duarte Circuit, C. A. Long.

Mathias Barbosa Circuit, Jose Ferraz.

Juiz de Fora, M. Dickie.

Editors of *Expositor Christao*, J. Ferraz and M. Dickie.

Editor of *Annuario*, M. Dickie.

President of Granbery College, C. A. Long.

Theological Seminary: C. A. Long and W. B. Lee, Professors; Jose Ferraz, Treasurer.

Assistant Secretary of Sunday Schools and Epworth Leagues, Oswaldo L. Silva.

Agent of Publishing House, J. W. Clay.

#### CARANGOLA DISTRICT.

*W. B. Lee, P. E.*

Cataguazes, A. M. Duarte.

Sao Joao, F. Wiedreheker.

Caparaho, F. Wiedreheker.

Faria Lemos, F. Wiedreheker.

Sao Paulo de Muriahe, A. J. Rodrigues.

Uba, V. Goncalves.

Pomba, V. Goncalves.

Miracema, A. J. Rodrigues.

Barra Branca, A. J. Rodrigues.

Laranjeiras, A. J. Rodrigues.

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NOTE.—The above report from the Brazil Conference, and the reports from the several Conferences following, were not received in time to appear in their chronological order in the body of these Minutes.

# DENVER CONFERENCE.

FORTY-THIRD SESSION.

HELD AT MANCOS, COLO., AUGUST 17-19, 1916.

BISHOP HENDRIX, *President*; R. U. WALDRAVEN, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. None.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Clabe Washington Hall. 1.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? W. H. Miller, J. H. Kern. 2.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? C. S. Coberly. 1.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? None.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? None.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? R. S. Chambers. 1.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? David Irving Slipher. 1.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? David Irving Slipher. 1.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? Clabe Washington Hall. 1.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? Clabe Washington Hall. 1.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? James A. Lewis. 1.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? None.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? None.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called, and their characters passed without objection.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Denver and Durango District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Denver: St. Paul's .....	5	349
Colorado Springs .....	1	295

*Denver and Durango District (Continued).*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Pueblo .....	...	177
Trinidad .....	1	326
Walsenburg .....	...	126
La Veta .....	...	118
Rye .....	...	73
Saguache .....	...	28
Beulah .....	1	28
Hoehne .....	1	33
Gardner .....	1	67
Aztec .....	...	126
Flora Vista .....	...	60
Farmington .....	...	173
Mancos .....	...	112
Red Mesa .....	1	50
Durango .....	1	128
Total this year .....	12	2,269
Total last year .....	7	2,271
Increase .....	5	...
Decrease .....	...	2

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? No report.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? No report.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 33.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 63.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 20.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 538.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 21.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 220.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 3,560.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$323.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$323. Applied to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$750;



Home and Conference Missions, \$850. Total, \$1,600.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$450.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$143.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$7.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$1,159; preachers in charge, \$9,789.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$128.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 20; houses of worship, 18.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$129,800; indebtedness, \$183.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 17; parsonages, 15.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$25,100; indebtedness, \$300.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? District, 1; district parsonages, none.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? None.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? None.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$35,250; premiums paid, \$333.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? None.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? General organ, 24; Conference organ, 76.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? William Deltrick, Lay Leader.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Pueblo, Colo.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### DENVER AND DURANGO DISTRICT.

*T. S. Wheeler, P. E.*

Denver: St. Paul's, A. N. Evans.

Colorado Springs, R. E. Dickenson.

Pueblo, J. A. McKee.

Trinidad, D. E. Bundy.

Hoehne, to be supplied.

Walsenburg, C. S. Coberly.

La Veta, G. W. Ellis.

Gardner, D. I. Slipher.

Rye, C. W. Hall.

Saguache, J. H. Kern.

Beulah, to be supplied.

Aztec, R. S. Chambers.

Flora Vista and Cedar Hill, W. H. Miller.

Durango, J. M. Glazier.

Mancos, John Cox.

Marvel Circuit, F. A. Bond.

Farmington, L. W. Gunby.

Conference Sunday School Secretary, R. E. Dickenson.

Conference Evangelist, R. U. Waldraven.

*Transferred.*—A. B. Pendleton, to the Missouri Conference; W. T. Morgan, to the St. Louis Conference.

### JAPAN MISSION.

TENTH SESSION.

HELD AT ARIMA, JAPAN, SEPTEMBER 2-10, 1916.

REV. J. T. MEYERS, *President*; W. K. MATTHEWS, *Secretary*.

No official report was received in time for this issue of the Minutes. The data for the Conference of 1915 are given in the Statistical Tables on pages 325-330.

## COLUMBIA CONFERENCE.

FIFTY-FIRST SESSION.

HELD AT CORVALLIS, OREGON, SEPTEMBER 7-10, 1916.

BISHOP LAMBUTH, *President*; H. MARVIN LAW, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?  
ANSWER. None.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? I. N. Hughes, J. B. Coan. 2.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? None.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? None.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? J. B. Coan, from the East Columbia Conference. 1.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? C. Mayne Knight, from the Methodist Episcopal Church. 1.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? None.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? I. N. Hughes. 1.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? I. N. Hughes. 1.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? None.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? None.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? None.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? W. N. Lyon. 1.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated? P. A. Moses, C. E. Kirk. 2.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? D. C. McFarland, W. L. Molloy. 2.

Plains, coming to Oregon and settling in Linn County, near Albany, in October, 1852. In a short life-sketch he wrote: "I was gloriously converted the eighth day of July, about 10 P.M., at a camp meeting near Lebanon. I joined the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in June, 1863, and was licensed to preach my first sermon at Coburg Schoolhouse in November, 1863." On the nineteenth of this same month he married Mary J. Hardin, and a few weeks later was appointed to Brownsville Circuit. Three years afterwards the Columbia Conference was organized, and Brother McFarland was received on trial into the traveling connection. He was ordained deacon on September 1, 1867, by Bishop Kavanaugh, and ordained elder by Bishop Marvin on September 6, 1868. For more than forty years this servant of God went up and down the land scattering sunshine and preaching the Word, thus helping people to a better life. He served as presiding elder and as pastor with the same acceptability, being loved by the people and by his brethren in the ministry. Perhaps the hardest appointment he ever received was the one he was filling at the time of his death—that of the superannuate relation; but age and failing health made it necessary for him to sustain this honored relation to the Conference for nearly twelve years.

"A holy quiet reigns around,

A calm which life nor death destroys;  
And naught disturbs that peace profound,  
Which his unfettered soul enjoys."

—Committee on Memoirs.

W. L. MOLLOY was born on September 26, 1832, in Kentucky, and died in Portland, Ore., on January 23, 1916. For sixty-two years he was a Methodist preacher, serving as presiding elder and pastor most of this time. He was a member of the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church which met in Philadelphia. For more than twenty-five years he had been a member of the Columbia Conference, and was always ready to go wherever he was sent; and although age and poor health made it necessary for him to retire to the superannuate relation, he

D. C. MCFARLAND's long and useful life that started on January 11, 1840, in Pettis County, Mo., ended peacefully at Tangent, Ore., on April 17, 1916. Born under pioneer conditions in the East, he lived and wrought as a pioneer in this great Northwest. With his parents, three brothers, and three sisters, at the age of twelve years he left Missouri and crossed the

never lost interest in his Church, nor his love for Methodist preachers. As long as he was able he made it his business to meet with the preachers and attend the Sunday morning preaching service. We all remember how he attended every session of the Annual Conference last year at Roseburg, being interested in everything that was done and said. Brother Mollay went away just before the break of day on Sunday morning.

"Servant of God, well done!

Rest from thy loved employ;

The battle fought, the victory won,

Enter thy Master's joy.

"The voice at midnight came;

He started up to hear;

A mortal arrow pierced his frame:

He fell, but felt no fear."

—The Committee.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called, one by one, and their characters passed.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

*Willamette District.*

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Alsea .....	1	22
Bandon and Myrtle Point .....	1	90
Coquille .....	1	263
Corvallis .....	1	169
Franklin and Yarnell .....	2	205
Grant's Pass .....	1	30
Harrisburg .....	1	56
Medford .....	1	116
Myrtle Creek .....	2	173
Peoria and McFarland .....	1	191
Portland .....	3	360
Roseburg .....	2	227
Roseburg Circuit .....	1	20
Seattle .....	1	123
Tangent .....	1	16
Teazle Creek .....	1	58
Williams .....	1	58
Total this year .....	11	2,119
Total last year .....	13	2,167
Decrease .....	2	48

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? Licensed, 1; name furnished.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? No candidates.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 17.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 90.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 15.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth League members? 430.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 21.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 174.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 1,951.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$660.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$502. Paid to claimants.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, \$374; Home and Conference Missions, \$447. Total, \$821.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$197.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? \$5,252.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$11.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$684; preachers in charge, \$5,794.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$81.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 13; houses of worship, 26.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$192,450; indebtedness, \$1,410.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 13; parsonages, 18.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$20,110; indebtedness, \$1,745.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? District, 1; district parsonages, 3.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$9,000; indebtedness, none.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during

the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? none.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$52,300; premiums paid, \$175.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Columbia Junior College: Value, \$75,000. (Property of three Conferences.)

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken. General organ, 21; Conference organ, 163.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report from the Committee on Lay Activities? George D. Garratt, Lay Leader.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Portland, Ore.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### WILLAMETTE DISTRICT.

*D. M. Cheek, P. E.*

Alsea, Frank Dutton, supply.

Bandon and Myrtle Point, A. J. Starmer.

Corvallis, C. H. Cleaves.

Coquille, H. Marvin Law; W. N. Lyon, Sup.

Franklin and Yarnell, I. N. Hughes.

Harrisburg, G. A. Taggart.

Medford and Grant's Pass, H. M. Branham.

Myrtle Creek, J. E. Walbeck.

Peoria Circuit, C. M. Knight.

Portland, W. J. Fenton.

Roseburg, J. B. Coan.

Tangent, W. T. Goulder.

Teazle Creek, to be supplied.

Williams, C. U. Cross.

Conference Missionary Secretary, C. A. Rexroad.

*Transferred.*—L. P. Law, to the East Oklahoma Conference; F. M. Canfield, to the East Columbia Conference.

NOTE.—A. J. Starmer, finding it impossible to go to Bandon because of climatic conditions, was released; and the work was supplied by E. F. Omann, of the Montana Conference.

## CHINA MISSION CONFERENCE.

THIRTY-FIRST SESSION.

HELD AT HUCHOW, CHINA, OCTOBER 18-23, 1916.

REV. A. P. PARKER, *President*; J. B. FEARN, *Secretary*.

QUESTION 1. Who are admitted on trial?

ANSWER. Loh Zong-yuin, Mao Nyung-zo, Yau Ming-tz, Zung Hwe-vung, Sung Tz-ziang. 4.

Ques. 2. Who remain on trial? Tseu Sz-Zung, S. G. Brinkley, Zien Kyih-Sung, Tsoh Zoen-Wan, Dzau Tse-Sung, Dzau Tsaung-Foo, Te Nyang-Kyung, Tsang Tsih-Foo, and Sung Foh-Sung. 9.

Ques. 3. Who are discontinued? Dzung Pao-Chung. 1.

Ques. 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Wang Sing-Zien, S. R. Anderson, Nien Loo-Fong, Woo Kia-Nung, Li Chi-Me. 5.

Ques. 5. Who are readmitted? None.

Ques. 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? None.

Ques. 7. Who are received from other Churches as local preachers? None.

Ques. 8. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? None.

Ques. 9. Who are the deacons of one year? R. D. Smart, Zi Vung-Zien. 2.

Ques. 10. What traveling preachers are

elected deacons? Wang Sing-Zien, S. R. Anderson, Nien Loo-Fong, Woo Kia-Nung, Li Chi-Me. 5.

Ques. 11. What traveling preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 12. What local preachers are elected deacons? Zung Me-Sung, Te Hong-tsung, Faung Nyoh-ling, Bang Kwe-yong. 4.

Ques. 13. What local preachers are ordained deacons? None.

Ques. 14. What traveling preachers are elected elders? Kaung Zang-Tse, Tsu Vi-Yui. 2.

Ques. 15. What traveling preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 16. What local preachers are elected elders? Zau Siang-zien. 1.

Ques. 17. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

Ques. 18. Who are located this year? Sung Vung-we. 1.

Ques. 19. Who are supernumerary? None.

Ques. 20. Who are superannuated?  
Dzung Zing-San. 1.

Ques. 21. What preachers have died during the past year? None.

Ques. 22. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called, one by one, and their characters were examined and passed.

Ques. 23. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations, and missions of the Conference?

#### Shanghai District.

	Local Pr's.	Mem- bers.
Moore Memorial .....	1	523
Hongkew .....	3	275
West Sungkiang .....	5	450
East Sungkiang .....	1	109
Pootoong .....	1	205
Poonen .....	...	217
Tsangien .....	1	121
Nanziang .....	1	154
Chukaikio .....	2	185
Taltsang .....	2	87
Liendaung .....	...	166
Shatow .....	2	93
Loonghwo .....	2	99
Zoongming .....	...	...
	21	2,684

#### Soochow District.

East Soochow .....	1	284
West Soochow .....	...	422
Konghong .....	1	220
Wusih .....	...	230
Changshu .....	1	152
East Changchow .....	3	122
North Changchow .....	2	250
Kunshan .....	3	126
Nyihyung .....	1	74
Lihyang .....	...	...
	12	1,880

#### Huchow District.

Haitau Church .....	2	223
Huchow Circuit .....	4	188
West Huchow .....	2	183
Zanghyung .....	3	280
Dedeu .....	...	94
Mohkanshan .....	3	318
Saungling .....	1	279
Nanzing .....	3	499
Zangzak .....	1	62
Hutsung .....	2	354
Lienz .....	3	258
Taihoo .....	1	101
	25	2,839

#### Recapitulation.

Shanghai District .....	21	2,684
Soochow District .....	12	1,880
Huchow District .....	25	2,839
Total this year .....	58	7,403
Total last year .....	59	6,026
Increase .....	...	1,377
Decrease .....	1	...

Ques. 24. How many have been licensed to preach during the year, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? No answer.

Ques. 25. How many candidates for the ministry are there, and have their names and addresses been furnished to the Department of Ministerial Supply and Training? No answer.

Ques. 26. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 305.

Ques. 27. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,326.

Ques. 28. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 78.

Ques. 29. What is the number of Epworth Leagues members? 3,292.

Ques. 30. What is the number of Sunday schools? 151.

Ques. 31. What is the number of Sunday-school officers and teachers? 985.

Ques. 32. What is the number of Sunday-school scholars enrolled during the Conference year? 9,887.

Ques. 33. What amount was assessed by the last Conference for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? An amount equal to one-twentieth of the sum assessed for pastors' salaries.

Ques. 34. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? Collections, \$154. Appropriated for claimants, \$192.

Ques. 35. What has been contributed for Missions? Foreign Missions, nothing; Home and Conference Missions, \$481. Total, \$481.

Ques. 36. What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$1,695.

Ques. 37. What has been contributed for Education? No report.

Ques. 38. What has been contributed for the American Bible Society? \$146.

Ques. 39. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding elders, \$587; preachers in charge, \$7,518.

Ques. 40. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$15.

Ques. 41. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Societies, 72; houses of worship, 38.

Ques. 42. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$101,601; indebtedness, \$2,977.

Ques. 43. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned



by them? Pastoral charges, 36; parsonages, 30.

Ques. 44. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$45,406; indebtedness, \$4,300.

Ques. 45. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? District, 3; district parsonages, none.

Ques. 46. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? None.

Ques. 47. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? None.

Ques. 48. What are the insurance statistics? None.

Ques. 49. What are the educational statistics? Boarding schools and colleges, 12; teachers, 127; pupils, 1,453. Bible schools, 3; teachers, 15; pupils, 100. Day schools, 49; teachers, 160; pupils, 2,180. Kindergartens, 7; teachers, 18; pupils, 277. Industrial school, 1; teachers, 8; workers, 150. In all schools, pupils, 4,160; Christians, 1,072.

Ques. 50. How many copies of the General organ and of the Conference organ are taken? No report.

Ques. 51. Who is elected Conference Leader? S. K. Tsao.

Ques. 52. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Shanghai, China.

Ques. 53. Where are the preachers stationed this year?

#### SHANGHAI DISTRICT.

*T. A. Hearn, P. E.*

Moore Memorial Circuit—Kaung Zang-tse, J. B. Fearn; Waung Zu-sung, supply, and three to be supplied; Zung Zing-san, Moore Memorial Quarterly Conference.

Hongkew Circuit—Yoen Sz-oen, A. P. Parker; Van Tz-me, Tseu Me-tsung, supplies, and two to be supplied.

West Sungkiang Circuit—W. B. Burke, Faung Yoen-foo; Lieu Zong-zu, supply at Lohdauwan; Zung Me-sung, Shihutang; Zung Oo-zung, Chuking; Fengking, one to be supplied and three supplies.

East Sungkiang Circuit—R. A. Parker, Zau Tsang-foo, at Szeking; Waung Zung-oen, at Tienungdaung; Ling Zeuzung, at Sinchwang; three to be supplied.

Pootung Circuit—Tseu Vung-ming Sing-

zang; Tsok Kwe-sung, Lookawan; Chenweiau, one to be supplied, and three supplies.

Poonen Circuit—Sz Yeu-lan; Nenjau and Sanlingdaung to be supplied; three to be supplied.

Tsangien Circuit—Lok Zong-ing, Nyoenhaung; Tsangien, Zung Pao-chung, supply; two to be supplied.

Nanziang Circuit—Kaung Mong-kyeu, Zau Yah-jih, Kading; Tseu Sz-zung, Hwangtu; two to be supplied.

Chukiakio Circuit—Sid R. Anderson, Zien Kyih-sung, Chukaikio; Te Nyangchung, Tsaungliendaung, supply; Dau Koën-foo, supply at Zaudungjau; Yang Vi-sing, supply at Kyungkatsaung; Tsingpoo, one to be supplied; and two to be supplied.

Taitsang Circuit—Woo Tsong-ji; Lien Zoen-sz, supply at Saungvong; one to be supplied at Lokdojau; two to be supplied.

Shatow Circuit—Yui Sz-tsok at Ngua-waungz; Loh Sing-san, supply at Shatow; Tseu Ong-zu, at Wangkyung; two to be supplied.

Longhwo Circuit—Koo Nyan-jui; one to be supplied.

Zoongming Circuit—Yui Sz-tsok; one to be supplied.

Soochow University Bible School, 1: W. B. Burke, Principal.

Soochow University Middle School, 2: Charles W. Rankin, Principal.

Law Department of the Soochow University: Charles W. Rankin, Dean.

Book Editor and Editor *Chinese Christian Advocate*, A. P. Parker.

Shanghai Orphanage: Koo Nyan-jui, Superintendent.

Financial Secretary, T. A. Hearn.

Mission Treasurer, John B. Fearn.

Absent on leave, John A. Gere Shipley.

#### SOOCHOW DISTRICT.

*Li Dzong-doën, P. E.*

East Soochow Circuit—W. B. Nance, Woo Kya-noong; Hospital Chaplain, S. G. Brinkley, Tsu Vi-yui; three to be supplied.

West Soochow District—Li Yoeh-fong, J. Whiteside; two to be supplied.

Koonghong Circuit—L. D. Patterson, Sz Nioh-kaung, R. D. Smart; supply, Lieu Nyang-tsaung; one to be supplied.

Wusih Circuit—Yang Kwe-tsang, R. D. Smart, Zau Tse-sung; three to be supplied.

Changshu Circuit—Wesley M. Smith, Yui

- Yuin-ts; Tsang-Kwe-faung, supply at South Gate; four to be supplied.
- East Changchow Circuit—J. C. Hawk, Ling Ts-ien, Sung Ts-ziang, Mau Nyung-zo, stationed at Tshizien; two to be supplied.
- North Changchow Circuit—A. C. Bowen, Nien Loo-fong; three to be supplied.
- Zaktsaung Circuit—A. C. Bowen, Ling Yui-yong, supply at Zaktsaung; Dih Teon-sung, supply at Wetsung; two to be supplied.
- Kunshan Circuit—Woo Sau-san, supply at Pokliaung; Te Oong-tsung, supply at Kunshan; Tseu Ts-tsung, supply at Lokzuh; four to be supplied.
- Nyihyung Circuit—Tsiaw Ts-faung, Wang Sing-zien; one to be supplied at Woo-jau; three to be supplied.
- Lihyang Circuit—Ling Ts-ien, J. C. Hawk; Zau Kyi-fah, supply at Tsangtsu; one to be supplied.
- Soochow Hospital: W. H. Park, Surgeon in charge; John A. Snell, Assistant Surgeon in charge; W. B. Russell, Physician, Business Manager, and Superintendent of Changchow Medical Work; Miss Eva Forman, Head Nurse.
- Soochow University: J. W. Cline, President; W. B. Nance, J. Whiteside, N. Gist Gee, R. D. Smart, Wesley M. Smith, S. G. Brinkley, E. V. Jones, Professors.
- Chairman Conference Primary Schools, J. W. Cline.
- Conference Sunday School Secretary, Kyung Ts-zung.
- Financial Secretary, J. C. Hawk.
- HUCHOW DISTRICT.**  
*Tsa Suh-ts, P. E.*
- Huchow Haitau Daung—Yui Ts-tsa, George R. Loehr, W. A. Estes; Union Hospital, Yau Ming-ts.
- Huchow Circuit—J. L. Hendry; Zau Siang-zien, supply at Danzienka; Ling Chi-ziang, supply at Nenkaujau; Yoh Boo-tsing, supply at Gahtsung; four to be supplied.
- West Huchow Circuit—E. Pilley, Li Chi-me at Woobing; Zung Hwe-vung, at Izangka; Zau Yong-daung, Mechi; two to be supplied.
- Zanghyung Circuit—Tsang Ih-ling; Bang Kwé-yong, supply at Szkoen; Yang Kuh-hsiang, supply at Lingzungjau; Oen Sieu-tsang, supply at Szoen; Huh-chi to be supplied; two to be supplied.
- Dedeu Circuit—Sung Foh-sung; Tsing-san, to be supplied; three to be supplied.
- Mohkanshan Circuit—Vi Tsing-foo, supply at Badeu; Zung Vong-sung, supply at Sanjauboo; Chi Yuin-zien, supply at Wookaung; two to be supplied.
- Saungling Circuit—Hau Z-tse, Tsaung Tsih-foo, at Zenlien; Moyau, to be supplied; two to be supplied.
- Nanzing Circuit—Tsa Suh-ts, Loh Ts-tsaung, at Nanzing; Li Yoen-zak, supply at Tsingzak; Zung Ong-foo, supply at Ngleu; Damiaukaung, to be supplied; two to be supplied.
- Zangzak Circuit—Zung Tsung-chung, supply; two to be supplied.
- Loochui Circuit—Zi Vung-zien; Kyung S-ming, supply at Tien-nyungtsaung; two to be supplied.
- Hutsung Circuit—Bang Meu-ji; Loh Tsung-Oo, supply at Leudeu; Ng Metsung, supply at Tefaungjau; Tsaung San-foo, supply at Sisak; four to be supplied.
- Lienz Circuit—Faung Nyoh-ling, supply; Sung Koen-tsing, supply at Zakmengwan; Haung Boong-ien, supply at Tsing-fong; two to be supplied.
- Taihoo Circuit—Loh Be-au at Dosjau; Sung Vung-foo, supply at Tongzakoo; Zung Yong-poo, supply at Tongtsa; Yangwan, to be supplied.
- Soochow University School, 3: W. A. Estes, Principal; George R. Loehr, Professor.
- Huchow Union Hospital: O. G. Nelson, Physician.
- Financial Secretary, J. L. Hendry.

## TEXAS MEXICAN MISSION.

### THIRD SESSION.

APPOINTED TO BE HELD AT SAN ANTONIO, TEX., OCTOBER 11, 1916.

BISHOP MORRISON, *President*; L. F. CASTRO, *Secretary*.

A report from this session was not received. The statistics for 1914, the latest available, are given in the Tables following.

# KOREA MISSION.

TWENTIETH SESSION.

HELD AT SEOUL, KOREA, SEPTEMBER 13-22, 1916.

REV. W. G. CRAM, *President*; JAMES W. HITCH, *Secretary*.

## GENERAL STATISTICS.

Ordained preachers—foreign, 13; native, 13. Local preachers, 23. Exhorters, 145.

Members, 5,884; probationers, 1,049; adherents, 3,260; total connected with the Church, 9,395.

Baptisms—adults, 443; children, 246. Societies, 241; church buildings, 193; parsonages, 44.

Sunday schools, 147; teachers, 484; pupils, 6,758.

Epworth Leagues, 3; members, not reported.

Primary schools for girls, 35; teachers, 69; pupils, 1,229; buildings, 17.

Primary schools for boys, 32; teachers, 54; pupils, 1,159; buildings, 16.

## NATIVE CONTRIBUTIONS.

Support of ministry, \$1,729; education, \$1,265; building churches, \$404; missions, \$89; other purposes, \$2,022. Total, \$11,028.

Value of church buildings, \$33,808; of native parsonages, \$2,812; of Mission property, \$241,757; of school buildings, \$3,101.

## APPOINTMENTS.

### SEOUL DISTRICT.

*J. R. Moose, Superintendent.*

Chong Kyo, J. L. Gerdine, O Wha Yung. Water Mark, J. W. Hitch, Pak Hak Myun. Water Gate, J. R. Moose, Kim Yong Hak. Cha Kyo, R. A. Hardie, Chun Cha Poong. Suk Kyo, R. A. Hardie, Yi Hi Pak, Yu Kyung Sang.

West Circuit, R. A. Hardie, one to be supplied.

East Circuit, J. R. Moose, Pak Pum Oo. Union Theological Seminary: R. A. Hardie, J. R. Moose, J. W. Hitch.

Pierson Memorial Bible School, J. L. Gerdine.

Chosen Christian College, J. L. Gerdine. Translation Work with R. A. Hardie, Yu Kyung Sang.

Teacher in Pierson Memorial Bible School, Hong Pyung Sun.

### CHULWON DISTRICT.

*J. W. Hitch, Superintendent.*

Chulwon Circuit, J. W. Hitch, Yu Chul Soo.

Pyeng Kang Circuit, J. W. Hitch, No Moon Kyung.

Kim Wha Circuit, J. W. Hitch, Kim Kei Soon.

Chang Do Circuit, J. W. Hitch, Kim Chi Whan.

Kim Sung Circuit, J. W. Hitch, one to be supplied.

### SONGDO DISTRICT.

*W. G. Cram, Superintendent.*

North Ward, W. G. Cram, Hong Chong Sook.

South Ward, A. W. Wasson, Yu Han Ik.

Yun Chun Circuit, L. P. Anderson, Kim Cheung Meuk.

Chang Dan Circuit, L. P. Anderson, Sin Kong Sook.

Songdo South Circuit, L. P. Anderson, Yi Wha Choon.

Kwang Duk Circuit, W. G. Cram, one to be supplied.

Songdo West Circuit, Hong Chong Sook.

Kum Chun Circuit, L. P. Anderson, Choi Tai Gon.

Pyeng San Circuit, L. P. Anderson, Pai Seung Won.

Principal of Anglo-Korean School, A. W. Wasson.

Anglo-Korean School, C. H. Deal.

Teacher in Anglo-Korean School, Ryang Ju Sam.

Ivey Hospital, W. T. Reid.

### SONGDO EAST DISTRICT.

*V. R. Turner, Superintendent.*

Songdo East Circuit, V. R. Turner, Yun Sang Eun.

To San East Circuit, V. R. Turner, You Suk Hong.

To San West Circuit, V. R. Turner, Choi Su Yung.

Sak Yung Circuit, V. R. Turner, Ye Suk Won.

E. Chun South Circuit, Chung Chai Duk.

E. Chun North District, V. R. Turner, one to be supplied.

Missionary Evangelist, Kang Cho Won.

### CHOON CHUN DISTRICT.

*M. B. Stokes, Superintendent.*

Choon Chun Circuit, M. B. Stokes, Han In Soo.

Ka Pyung Circuit, M. B. Stokes, Pak Chin Ha.

In Jay Circuit, F. G. Vesey, Oh Hyung Yun.

Yang Koo Circuit, F. G. Vesey, Han Suk Choon.

Hong Chun District, M. B. Stokes, Kim Yung Mo.

Wha Chun Circuit, F. G. Vesey, Hong Seung Yun.

Missionary Evangelist, Sinn Suk Koo.  
Medical Work, E. W. Anderson.

#### WONSAN EAST DISTRICT.

*L. C. Brannan, Superintendent.*

Sang Ni and Mission, L. C. Brannan, Chung Choon Soo.

Tong Chun Circuit, L. C. Brannan, Kim Sang Ha.

Ko Sung Circuit, L. C. Brannan, Kim Tong Gun.

Kang Sung South Circuit, L. C. Brannan, Kim Hyung Suk.

Yang Yang Circuit, L. C. Brannan, one to be supplied.

District Evangelist, Yu Si Kook.

Medical Work, J. B. Ross (on furlough).

#### WONSAN WEST DISTRICT.

*C. T. Collyer, Superintendent.*

Choong Ni and Mission, C. T. Collyer, Kim Hung Soon.

An Byen Circuit, C. T. Collyer, one to be supplied.

Ko Mi Tan Circuit, C. T. Collyer, one to be supplied.

Hwoi Yang Circuit, C. T. Collyer, one to be supplied.

Missionary Evangelist, Pak Yur Sam.

Sunday School Work in the Mission, C. T. Collyer.

## CONGO MISSION.

### BISHOP LAMBUTH IN EPISCOPAL CHARGE.

*No Annual Session for 1916.*

D. L. Mumpower, M.D., Superintendent; Revs. H. P. Anker, Thomas E. Reeve, and Mr. E. B. Stilz, Missionaries; with Mrs. Mumpower, Mrs. Anker, and Mrs. Reeve, assisting. Address of all, "Wembo Niama, Africa."

Membership at last report, 33.

Rev. and Mrs. John A. Stockwell, of the Mission, are now on furlough at Lake Charles, La.

# I. MINISTERIAL RELATIONS.

CONFERENCE	TRAVELING PREACHERS							PRESENT NUMBERS				ORDINATIONS								
	Admitted on Trial	Admitted into Full Connection	Readmitted	Received by Transfer*	Discontinued	Locate	Suspended, Withdrawn, or Expelled	Died	Effective	Superannuated	Superannuated <sup>o</sup>	Total Traveling Preachers†	Traveling Preachers			Local Preachers			Total Ordinations	
													Deacons	Elders	Total	Deacons	Elders	Total		
Alabama.....	5	5	...	3	...	1	...	6	210	1	31	242	4	7	11	2	1	3	14	
Baltimore.....	3	8	...	4	...	1	...	9	222	4	37	263	5	5	10	4	...	4	14	
Brazil.....	4	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	45	...	1	46	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Central Mexico (1914).....	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	...	1	28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Central Texas.....	14	8	1	3	...	2	...	5	253	8	38	299	6	7	13	9	3	12	25	
China Mission.....	4	5	...	...	1	1	...	...	68	...	1	69	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Columbia.....	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	15	1	2	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Congo Mission.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Cuba Mission.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	...	...	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Denver.....	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	17	1	...	18	...	1	1	1	...	1	2	
East Columbia.....	1	...	2	6	...	1	...	...	31	1	3	35	...	3	3	...	...	...	3	
East Oklahoma.....	1	9	1	9	2	1	1	1	174	5	14	193	4	6	10	...	...	...	10	
Florida.....	10	10	...	...	3	1	3	2	189	1	21	211	4	4	8	...	...	...	8	
German Mission.....	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	21	1	1	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Holston.....	11	11	1	2	1	2	...	1	264	11	38	313	7	9	16	5	...	5	21	
Illinois.....	5	3	...	...	...	1	...	2	47	1	3	51	2	2	4	2	...	2	6	
Japan Mission (1915).....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	...	1	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Kentucky.....	4	5	...	10	...	1	1	3	152	8	21	181	4	10	14	3	...	3	17	
Korea Mission.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	...	...	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Little Rock.....	11	9	...	1	...	3	...	1	174	3	24	201	10	4	14	5	...	5	19	
Los Angeles.....	2	1	...	6	1	3	...	1	36	2	3	41	1	1	2	...	...	...	2	
Louisiana.....	4	3	...	5	...	5	2	1	163	2	13	178	3	3	6	1	1	2	8	
Louisville.....	1	6	1	1	1	...	...	4	191	2	22	215	6	13	19	...	1	1	20	
Memphis.....	10	8	...	4	...	1	1	6	199	4	19	222	7	7	14	4	...	4	18	
Mexican Border.....	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	12	2	3	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Mississippi.....	4	9	...	3	...	4	...	1	177	1	22	209	8	8	16	3	...	3	19	
Missouri.....	7	2	...	5	1	2	1	4	199	5	32	236	2	2	4	...	...	...	4	
Montana.....	...	...	...	4	1	...	...	...	17	2	1	20	...	2	2	...	...	...	2	
New Mexico.....	4	3	1	7	...	...	1	...	58	1	3	62	2	2	4	1	...	1	5	
North Alabama.....	11	22	1	6	2	4	...	5	323	5	28	356	20	13	33	5	1	6	39	
North Arkansas.....	9	10	2	4	...	2	...	4	222	9	29	260	6	16	22	11	1	12	34	
North Carolina.....	9	10	1	5	1	...	1	1	229	5	15	249	9	11	20	1	2	3	23	
North Georgia.....	13	13	...	3	...	3	...	1	313	2	50	365	8	11	19	10	2	12	31	
North Mississippi.....	8	9	...	1	2	2	2	5	165	2	21	188	8	12	20	1	...	1	21	
North Texas.....	9	5	...	12	...	2	2	4	215	4	44	263	3	10	13	5	...	5	18	
Northwest Texas.....	10	11	1	13	2	...	2	...	177	9	26	212	6	11	17	1	2	3	20	
Pacific.....	...	1	...	4	2	2	...	1	82	4	10	96	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Pacific Mex. Miss. (1914).....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	10	...	1	1	1	...	1	2	
St. Louis.....	9	5	...	14	2	2	...	2	161	1	17	179	5	4	9	4	1	5	14	
South Brazil.....	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	...	...	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
South Carolina.....	2	6	...	6	...	...	...	2	145	6	15	166	5	4	9	1	1	2	11	
South Georgia.....	10	7	...	2	5	2	...	5	272	5	21	298	6	12	18	8	...	8	26	
Southwest Missouri.....	8	4	...	5	1	...	...	4	159	10	26	195	4	1	5	3	1	4	9	
Tennessee.....	11	8	...	3	...	4	...	7	229	9	27	265	6	7	13	2	1	3	16	
Texas.....	11	9	...	9	3	...	2	5	249	2	31	282	8	10	18	3	...	3	21	
Texas Mex. Miss. (1914).....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	...	...	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Upper South Carolina.....	9	6	2	6	1	1	...	2	146	7	34	187	6	6	12	...	...	...	12	
Virginia.....	8	19	...	3	1	...	1	5	318	7	34	359	13	6	19	6	1	7	26	
West Oklahoma.....	5	12	1	5	...	3	...	1	148	3	16	167	9	7	16	1	2	3	19	
West Texas.....	6	6	...	15	1	2	2	...	158	6	21	185	2	7	9	5	1	6	15	
Western N. Carolina.....	11	11	1	3	2	2	...	1	5	279	8	22	309	7	9	16	3	1	4	20
Western Virginia.....	9	5	...	3	...	3	...	1	126	1	12	139	4	1	5	1	...	1	6	
Bishops.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	11	1	1	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total this year.....	276	288	17	198	37	65	24	112	7,215	173	855	8,243	210	255	464	112	23	135	599	
Total last year.....	272	246	17	260	56	70	19	121	7,199	158	855	8,212	185	249	434	114	24	138	572	
Increase.....	4	42	...	...	...	...	5	...	16	15	...	31	25	6	30	...	...	...	27	
Decrease.....	...	...	...	62	19	5	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	3	...	

\*Including those from other Churches. †Including some supplies and some foreign missionaries counted twice.



## II. MEMBERS, BAPTISMS, SOCIETIES, CHARGES, ETC.

CONFERENCE	Traveling Preachers	Local Preachers	Members	Total Preachers and Mem- bers	Increase	Decrease	Licensed	Candidates	Infants Baptized	Adults Baptized	Societies	Charges
Alabama.....	242	155	74,905	75,302	.....	61	16	.....	973	2,109	745	196
Baltimore.....	263	97	69,195	69,555	2,616	.....	22	15	1,389	2,810	692	204
Brazil .....	46	23	6,580	6,649	461	.....	.....	17	540	605	60	55
Central Mex. Miss. (1914)...	28	19	2,534	2,581	.....	156	.....	.....	102	56	48	24
Central Texas .....	299	266	81,432	81,997	2,147	.....	36	5	1,063	3,640	610	220
China Mission. ....	69	58	7,403	7,530	1,391	.....	.....	.....	305	1,326	72	36
Columbia .....	18	11	2,119	2,148	.....	54	1	.....	17	90	13	13
Congo Mission.....	5	.....	33	38	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cuba Mission .....	35	18	4,048	4,101	170	.....	.....	.....	292	193	51	26
Denver.....	18	12	2,269	2,299	2	.....	.....	.....	33	63	20	17
East Columbia.....	35	20	2,029	2,084	.....	173	1	.....	54	103	34	25
East Oklahoma.....	193	217	30,444	30,854	1,093	.....	16	10	499	1,365	406	159
Florida .....	211	137	41,387	41,735	3,036	.....	.....	.....	919	1,424	464	181
German Mission.....	23	14	1,796	1,833	.....	18	2	.....	112	25	27	18
Holston .....	313	202	82,371	82,886	896	.....	.....	.....	996	4,065	856	221
Illinois .....	51	60	7,301	7,412	111	.....	.....	.....	147	422	109	41
Japan Mission (1915).....	13	32	923	973	113	.....	.....	.....	21	179	32	57
Kentucky.....	181	146	32,759	33,086	604	.....	.....	.....	326	1,334	319	129
Korea Mission .....	26	23	5,884	5,933	.....	335	.....	.....	246	443	241	193
Little Rock .....	201	131	49,691	50,023	331	.....	17	13	652	2,354	529	145
Los Angeles.....	41	12	5,134	5,187	.....	161	2	1	55	140	41	36
Louisiana.....	178	85	37,420	37,683	737	.....	7	9	949	1,338	406	145
Louisville.....	215	160	58,864	59,239	.....	962	.....	.....	606	2,163	547	178
Memphis.....	232	185	76,956	77,363	440	.....	27	12	815	2,384	618	184
Mexican Border.....	17	13	2,150	2,180	1,404	.....	3	12	59	79	36	17
Mississippi.....	200	151	57,996	58,347	1,126	.....	26	17	1,100	1,662	553	156
Missouri.....	236	94	52,091	52,421	1,538	.....	.....	.....	300	2,728	443	177
Montana .....	20	6	1,350	1,376	.....	33	.....	.....	42	53	13	13
New Mexico .....	62	46	9,006	9,114	885	.....	3	.....	265	538	118	49
North Alabama.....	356	294	104,494	105,144	3,103	.....	26	6	847	3,957	887	285
North Arkansas.....	260	212	59,944	60,416	1,095	.....	.....	.....	825	3,832	668	208
North Carolina.....	249	105	93,025	93,379	3,286	.....	17	1	921	3,427	764	208
North Georgia.....	365	236	124,885	125,536	2,364	.....	17	14	1,026	3,591	851	266
North Mississippi.....	188	79	58,799	59,066	.....	370	12	9	414	2,244	618	166
North Texas.....	263	209	70,504	70,976	.....	1,141	36	14	815	2,874	526	196
Northwest Texas.....	212	154	38,356	38,722	1,647	.....	7	10	541	1,979	438	157
Pacific.....	96	38	8,755	8,889	111	.....	1	.....	237	239	91	73
Pacific Mex. Miss. (1914)...	10	10	565	585	.....	.....	.....	2	20	14	12	11
St. Louis.....	179	112	42,831	43,122	2,350	.....	14	.....	757	2,033	353	150
South Brazil .....	21	11	1,493	1,525	22	.....	.....	2	233	85	19	14
South Carolina.....	166	60	51,569	51,795	385	.....	10	10	1,521	2,820	428	130
South Georgia.....	298	192	95,717	96,207	2,621	.....	17	2	1,250	3,530	818	243
Southwest Missouri.....	195	87	40,697	40,979	2,030	.....	.....	.....	333	2,175	339	148
Tennessee.*.....	265	161	79,451	79,877	3,645	.....	32	5	691	3,831	702	202
Texas.....	282	204	76,115	76,601	.....	1,344	.....	.....	1,090	2,813	718	223
Texas Mexican Miss. (1914)...	13	5	1,759	1,777	.....	.....	.....	.....	105	126	53	23
Upper South Carolina.....	187	45	54,096	54,328	3,094	.....	7	7	928	1,598	422	135
Virginia.....	359	91	126,595	127,045	3,048	.....	10	5	1,050	5,158	837	267
West Oklahoma.....	167	129	29,347	29,643	1,071	.....	.....	.....	385	1,648	333	130
West Texas.....	185	107	41,363	41,655	1,580	.....	19	15	685	2,248	406	149
Western North Carolina..	309	198	108,230	108,737	1,923	.....	5	4	1,806	3,153	911	243
Western Virginia.....	139	132	30,649	30,920	.....	698	15	.....	359	1,601	433	114
Bishops .....	13	.....	.....	13	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total this year.....	8,243	5,314	2,145,309	2,158,866	52,476	5,497	424	217	29,716	88,847	19,730	6,646
Total last year.....	8,212	5,320	2,097,676	2,111,208	70,606	4,626	483	223	31,490	98,912	19,748	6,436
Increase.....	31	.....	47,633	47,658	.....	871	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	180
Decrease.....	.....	6	.....	.....	18,130	.....	59	6	1,774	10,065	18	.....

\*In the Tennessee Conference figures of last year the total of members was misprinted 75,305 instead of 75,395, a reduction of 90. Correction is made in this Table.

### III. EPWORTH LEAGUES, SUNDAY SCHOOLS, CHURCH PROPERTY.

CONFERENCE	Epworth Leagues	Epworth League Members	Sunday Schools	Sunday School Officers and Teachers	Sunday School Scholars	Houses of Worship	Value	Indebtedness	Personages	Value	Indebtedness
Alabama.....	95	2,739	618	4,822	52,847	669	\$ 2,007,224	\$ 77,686	186	\$ 379,350	\$ 20,251
Baltimore.....	219	10,124	635	6,510	68,127	636	2,642,383	269,333	183	526,225	40,389
Brazil.....	46	1,554	95	383	3,893	33	351,587	6,725	8	40,750	21
Cent. Mexico (1914)	13	486	29	110	1,300	26	139,828	.....	13	43,000	.....
Central Texas.....	110	3,986	524	5,663	68,810	506	2,031,225	134,563	214	453,950	24,463
China Mission.....	78	3,292	151	985	9,887	38	101,601	2,977	30	45,406	4,300
Columbia.....	15	430	21	174	1,951	26	192,450	1,410	18	20,110	1,745
Congo Mission.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cuba Mission.....	17	494	57	253	2,157	39	140,394	.....	22	49,291	.....
Denver.....	20	538	21	220	3,560	18	129,800	183	15	25,100	300
East Columbia.....	17	419	30	270	2,476	29	78,575	654	17	17,195	400
East Oklahoma.....	124	3,928	285	2,471	26,669	277	734,917	39,778	135	167,787	11,798
Florida.....	173	6,513	381	3,405	35,664	400	1,410,000	150,242	151	374,700	35,249
German Mission.....	12	394	30	249	2,344	27	56,950	800	17	23,050	.....
Holston.....	128	4,569	809	5,996	85,801	745	2,119,890	95,752	173	500,190	27,109
Illinois.....	36	973	105	881	7,541	101	135,900	5,814	36	37,750	935
Japan Miss. (1915)	.....	.....	57	165	3,427	57	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Kentucky.....	79	2,464	276	2,300	26,683	305	1,176,500	14,522	96	225,704	11,186
Korea Mission.....	3	.....	147	484	6,758	193	33,808	.....	44	2,812	.....
Little Rock.....	114	3,086	425	3,736	39,741	460	1,079,124	116,105	128	197,450	13,674
Los Angeles.....	27	783	40	493	6,236	35	1,544,900	1,132,622	25	50,200	5,900
Louisiana.....	81	2,219	343	3,026	32,647	357	1,419,310	63,357	128	272,070	21,037
Louisville.....	119	4,592	476	3,735	46,131	525	1,774,040	119,983	157	286,417	23,431
Memphis.....	79	2,540	584	5,078	56,823	586	1,894,325	169,080	166	358,299	28,795
Mexican Border...	5	250	18	111	1,146	23	117,650	.....	9	.....	.....
Mississippi.....	74	2,411	478	3,636	37,081	503	1,033,850	73,611	149	255,100	23,969
Missouri.....	144	5,642	403	3,933	44,571	430	1,686,205	44,198	148	305,550	7,885
Montana.....	7	229	13	109	1,183	22	91,200	3,550	18	29,000	3,300
New Mexico.....	26	776	66	614	7,626	58	342,600	38,389	46	76,150	5,923
North Alabama....	123	4,105	719	6,059	71,683	787	2,027,920	157,732	227	456,225	40,052
North Arkansas...	141	4,637	522	4,474	49,511	517	1,233,376	98,902	192	266,800	19,605
North Carolina....	132	5,402	745	6,451	76,500	749	2,877,611	116,361	184	465,137	32,945
North Georgia.....	74	3,214	789	7,368	92,656	838	3,375,518	164,176	231	558,166	30,712
North Mississippi.	36	1,084	547	3,553	42,294	570	1,249,935	59,189	154	315,260	14,734
North Texas.....	157	5,719	448	4,737	58,745	451	2,025,235	147,201	187	354,075	26,252
Northwest Texas..	95	3,390	261	2,666	33,677	224	1,005,830	87,958	141	228,235	8,043
Pacific.....	53	1,760	82	780	8,000	81	620,678	16,133	62	124,510	4,075
Pacific Mex. (1914).	5	101	8	41	346	10	25,000	.....	4	20,000	.....
St. Louis.....	87	3,176	295	2,865	42,854	313	1,639,204	74,334	110	209,355	10,784
South Brazil.....	14	596	22	109	1,607	13	57,580	4,250	8	12,854	450
South Carolina....	45	1,800	407	3,518	41,657	413	1,427,960	149,126	120	323,295	29,052
South Georgia.....	143	5,331	714	5,411	65,296	780	2,198,111	15,225	209	469,990	15,225
S. W. Missouri.....	130	4,695	304	3,276	39,707	327	1,508,375	27,744	126	256,250	9,689
Tennessee.....	85	3,184	625	5,259	58,372	629	1,913,739	63,509	170	329,105	24,332
Texas.....	101	3,828	556	4,946	57,997	588	2,249,550	176,595	196	409,400	24,972
Texas Mex. (1914)..	8	245	41	169	1,925	23	.....	.....	9	5,125	.....
Upper S. Carolina.	50	1,989	861	8,273	44,127	388	1,472,070	81,743	110	300,240	14,230
Virginia.....	94	4,304	847	10,065	105,022	835	3,869,915	340,458	228	668,400	50,696
West Oklahoma—	92	2,676	243	2,214	26,840	200	617,849	86,050	116	124,660	8,666
West Texas.....	153	4,726	322	3,518	40,509	303	1,413,505	173,925	149	279,585	18,514
W. N. Carolina....	84	2,871	850	6,424	97,812	864	2,706,810	192,263	204	509,340	33,754
Western Virginia.	78	3,069	421	3,303	37,463	378	989,509	66,364	93	213,800	11,988
Total this year...	3,841	137,333	17,246	150,291	1,777,757	17,405	\$60,971,516	\$ 4,860,572	5,562	\$11,661,663	\$741,330
Total last year...	3,745	133,044	17,117	146,230	1,700,969	17,283	58,705,322	3,896,956	5,436	11,696,611	781,443
Increase.....	96	4,289	129	4,061	76,788	122	\$ 2,266,194	\$936,616	126	.....	.....
Decrease.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$ 34,948	\$ 40,113

# IV. BENEVOLENT CONTRIBUTIONS AND MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.

CONFERENCE	Conference Claimants	Foreign Missions	Home and Conference Missions	Total Missions	Church Extension	Education	American Bible Society	Paid Presiding Elders	Paid Preachers in Charge	Paid Bishops
Alabama.....	\$ 12,255	\$ 15,898	\$ 11,969	\$ 27,867	\$ 7,306	\$ 10,458	\$ 277	\$ 28,042	\$ 153,839	\$ 2,485
Baltimore.....	17,919	17,725	21,757	39,482	7,000	6,936	1,233	15,623	174,112	2,706
Brazil.....	865	747	4,145	4,892	745	808	152	2,119	17,875	88
Central Mexico (1914).....	37		567	567			22		810	23
Central Texas.....	12,554	17,011	22,064	39,075	12,574	18,410	970	35,685	214,208	3,112
China Mission.....	192		481	481	1,695		146	587	7,518	15
Columbia.....	502	374	447	821	197	5,252	11	684	5,794	81
Congo Mission.....										
Cuba Mission.....	86		1,220	1,220	721	167	59		2,083	
Denver.....	323	750	850	1,600	450	143	7	1,159	9,789	128
East Columbia.....	241	368	498	866	241	306	21	1,174	10,058	84
East Oklahoma.....	3,342	3,807	7,093	10,900	2,488	1,699	242	15,559	93,798	865
Florida.....	7,319	8,511	12,945	21,456	4,216	7,872	298	19,049	143,151	1,379
German Mission.....	463	823	938	1,761	303	236	86	649	7,403	98
Holston.....	12,609	14,856	30,463	45,319	8,270	7,832	856	26,098	163,747	2,559
Illinois.....	624	775	737	1,512	492	181	41	2,400	17,109	220
Japan Mission (1915).....									1,337	186
Kentucky.....	4,882	8,156	7,547	15,703	4,238	5,163	281	10,638	91,391	1,184
Korea Mission.....		89		89	404	1,265			1,729	
Little Rock.....	8,968	8,561	8,593	17,154	4,960	5,331	638	17,177	117,516	1,711
Los Angeles.....	1,137	1,250	2,263	3,513	784	350	71	3,133	26,715	240
Louisiana.....	4,508	5,894	6,568	12,462	3,251	12,813	423	17,751	119,047	1,061
Louisville.....	5,918	10,681	11,612	22,293	6,250	6,440	645	14,200	120,853	1,933
Memphis.....	12,497	12,998	16,641	29,639	7,543	6,828	622	17,186	163,187	3,042
Mexican Border.....	16		146	146	82	56	5		636	6
Mississippi.....	10,246	10,062	9,473	19,535	5,025	4,351	750	14,720	120,459	2,445
Missouri.....	8,245	10,661	13,646	24,307	5,557	4,840	334	16,639	142,543	1,840
Montana.....		346	654	1,000	300	61	17	879	6,265	
New Mexico.....	1,040	1,960	2,472	4,432	3,530	938	106	5,746	36,701	355
North Alabama.....	8,859	13,845	12,536	26,381	8,009	15,153	332	29,962	204,733	2,641
North Arkansas.....	8,862	7,940	8,160	16,140	4,654	5,491	554	21,602	140,771	1,687
North Carolina.....	8,670	23,827	21,503	45,330	11,104	13,963	834	20,706	199,680	3,346
North Georgia.....	20,580	24,062	32,188	56,250	10,850	13,379	588	33,603	239,771	4,035
North Mississippi.....	6,628	9,788	9,814	19,602	5,836	6,594	838	17,686	137,885	1,947
North Texas.....	12,679	15,062	13,472	28,534	8,302	15,795	1,154	31,082	182,657	2,486
Northwest Texas.....	6,449	9,378	13,069	22,447	5,158	7,757	448	24,256	130,185	1,570
Pacific.....	1,872	2,413	2,578	4,991	1,284	642	125	4,767	46,393	394
Pacific Mexican (1914).....	13		236	236	23	45	8		109	6
St. Louis.....	6,682	7,395	7,291	14,686	4,635	4,307	182	14,396	111,306	1,426
South Brazil.....	36	365		365	170		13		2,079	
South Carolina.....	6,163	16,022	18,102	34,124	5,860	9,402	380	15,026	131,885	1,694
South Georgia.....	17,802	28,861	25,600	54,461	12,530	15,762	1,007	27,020	229,019	3,876
Southwest Missouri.....	6,644	7,254	9,520	16,774	3,986	3,180	229	11,576	122,831	1,353
Tennessee.....	10,298	15,571	13,723	29,294	8,922	11,157	1,340	18,914	143,930	2,847
Texas.....	10,293	12,208	16,418	28,626	9,054	12,203	844	28,858	203,663	2,867
Texas Mex. Miss. (1914).....	67		95	95	53	56	18	12	990	21
Upper South Carolina.....	6,744	10,723	15,174	25,897	5,573	8,741	511	14,108	119,360	1,670
Virginia.....	23,603	35,117	90,902	126,019	16,921	16,001	1,871	24,419	267,490	4,286
West Oklahoma.....	4,800	5,967	7,380	13,347	3,529	1,722	248	14,710	86,390	1,130
West Texas.....	6,622	10,758	15,239	25,997	6,438	9,086	715	22,555	155,584	1,894
Western N. Carolina.....	11,679	26,120	25,187	51,307	9,584	13,667	922	21,849	202,952	2,829
Western Virginia.....	3,019	3,720	4,085	7,805	2,339	6,209	186	9,164	82,933	759
Total this year.....	\$315,852	\$438,739	\$558,061	\$996,800	\$233,436	\$299,048	\$21,660	\$673,168	\$5,112,275	\$72,610
Total last year.....	295,261	407,961	445,840	853,801	209,428	260,265	19,138	636,577	4,938,922	70,234
Increase.....	\$ 20,591	\$ 30,778	\$112,221	\$142,999	\$ 24,008	\$ 38,783	\$ 2,522	\$ 36,591	\$ 173,353	\$ 2,376

NOTE.—In the main, only collections on regular assessments for Missions are reported in these Minutes. All "special" contributions for the cause are credited in the Report of the General Board of Missions. This will account for any discrepancy between the figures of the two reports.

# V. DISTRICTS, DISTRICT PARSONAGES, LOSSES, INSURANCE, ORGANS.

CONFERENCE	Districts	District Parsonages	Value	Indebtedness	Churches Damaged	Amount of Damage	Insurance Carried	Premiums Paid	Collected on Losses	ORGANS	
										General	Conference
Alabama.....	11	10	\$ 46,000	\$ 8,900	30	\$ 8,113	\$ 685,500	\$ 4,064	\$ 8,313	541	4,032
Baltimore.....	8	6	37,500	4,000			1,345,065	6,083		410	6,516
Brazil.....	5						84,000			25	1,850
Central Mexico (1914).....	3										
Central Texas.....	12	12	47,500	4,650	13	2,435	1,191,180	6,882	1,531	324	4,777
China Mission.....	3										
Columbia.....	1	3	9,000				52,300	175		21	163
Congo Mission.....											
Cuba Mission.....	3										
Denver.....	1						35,250	333		24	76
East Columbia.....	2						33,450	173		25	135
East Okiahoma.....	9	4	16,000	37,00	12	1,254	454,325	2,784	696	151	967
Florida.....	9	8			4	6,709	491,650	2,913		265	2,621
German Mission.....	2	1	3,200				43,787	126		11	416
Holston.....	10	11	46,000		1	3,000	756,850	5,353		726	3,747
Illinois.....	3	3	5,200	657	1	360	63,940	317	181	44	205
Japan Mission (1915).....	3										
Kentucky.....	7	3	15,000		5	1,592	475,553	2,971	427	236	2,012
Korea Mission.....	7										
Little Rock.....	7	7	24,600	3,740	4	480	615,125	4,507	250	381	3,531
Los Angeles.....	2	2	10,000	4,000	1	800	701,780	527		82	281
Louisiana.....	7	6	29,000	6,050	6	457	650,725	4,690	1,023	282	1,697
Louisville.....	7	7	32,000	4,150	3	3,179	804,625	3,309	1,084	453	2,686
Memphis.....	8	8	41,500	2,940	5	1,003	858,885	4,754	946	1,420	3,152
Mexican Border.....	2						2,510	11			
Mississippi.....	7	6	26,500	2,500	15	5,723	565,495	3,339	2,067	273	2,302
Missouri.....	9	4			10	4,457	994,534	4,673	2,280	259	2,809
Montana.....	2	1	2,500				38,200	250		20	70
New Mexico.....	3	1	4,500	100	1	24	160,325	917	24	187	336
North Alabama.....	12	12	60,000		7	1,932	787,804	4,874	477	551	5,150
North Arkansas.....	9	9	34,000	2,500	9	2,526	508,849	4,599	4,876	425	4,032
North Carolina.....	9	9	53,050	3,250	1	99	1,147,440	5,339	99	488	7,613
North Georgia.....	11	7	38,000	5,275	2	2,012	1,758,825	6,544	1,037	357	5,299
North Mississippi.....	8	8	25,000	1,350	6	7,330	477,575	4,668	3,681	549	2,731
North Texas.....	11	11	45,000	4,250	4	6,762	910,435	5,346	5,254	287	4,174
Northwest Texas.....	9	6	24,300	1,700	5	985	649,220	4,949	985	188	3,392
Pacific.....	4	1	4,500	2,900	1	1,365	264,300	1,822	250	86	976
Pacific Mex. Miss. (1914).....	1									4	
St. Louis.....	6	3	8,700	787	5	4,913	886,831	3,946	3,776	142	1,499
South Brazil.....	2						42,000	75			
South Carolina.....	6	6	42,500	8,775	2	6,964	721,370	3,605	6,464	302	2,902
South Georgia.....	10	10	27,000	2,390	3	7,410	959,035	7,246	3,040	272	5,078
Southwest Missouri.....	6				6	4,535	840,650	3,948	160	123	1,782
Tennessee.....	10	7	23,800		2	595	839,265	4,917	595	1,164	3,301
Texas.....	10	9			1	1,200	927,005	8,450		277	3,796
Texas Mex. Miss. (1914).....	2	1	2,000				1,650				
Upper South Carolina.....	6	6	50,000	5,625	2	1,625	658,375	3,503		213	2,862
Virginia.....	10	5	28,000	6,500	2	145	2,052,057	6,865	95	297	4,197
West Oklahoma.....	6	5			15	4,380	420,618	2,811	4,045	250	1,323
West Texas.....	8	8	39,500	8,778	22	4,416	613,347	6,162	1,004	268	2,933
Western North Carolina.....	11	10	50,200	6,515	4	2,652	910,808	5,917	552	399	4,981
Western Virginia.....	5	5	25,000	8,206	3	1,025	371,350	2,963	811	95	3,400
Total this year.....	325	241	\$ 881,550	\$ 114,188	213	\$ 107,462	\$ 27,853,853	\$ 157,700	\$ 56,023	12,897	115,832
Total last year.....	324	239	1,018,400	118,900	178	148,946	25,480,445	134,397	77,100	13,372	118,063
Increase.....	1	2			35		\$ 2,373,408	\$ 23,303			
Decrease.....			\$ 136,850	\$ 4,712		\$ 41,484			\$ 21,077	475	2,231

# VI. EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS.

CONFERENCE REPORTING	NAME OF INSTITUTION	Teachers	Pupils	Endowment	Value of Property
Alabama, North Alabama.....	Southern University.....	16	174	\$115,000	\$ 225,000
Alabama.....	Woman's College of Alabama.....	25	225	25,000	416,516
Alabama.....	Downing Industrial School.....	10	130		49,190
Alabama.....	Thomas Industrial Institute.....	10	118	35,000	84,000
Baltimore, Virginia.....	Randolph-Macon College, Ashland, Va.....	17	184	405,445	149,130
Baltimore, Virginia.....	Randolph-Macon Woman's College, Lynchburg, Va.....	47	624	382,732	460,232
Baltimore, Virginia.....	Randolph-Macon Academy, Front Royal, Va.....	7	109		100,000
Baltimore, Virginia.....	Randolph-Macon Academy, Bedford, Va.....	4	195		125,000
Baltimore, Virginia.....	Randolph-Macon Institute, Danville, Va.....	21	288		119,000
Baltimore, Virginia.....	Alleghany Collegiate Institute, Alderson, W. Va.....	8	50		15,000
Baltimore, Virginia.....	Southern Seminary, Buena Vista, Va.....	12	105		75,000
Brazil.....	Twenty-two colleges and schools.....	76	1,082		537,500
Central Mexico (1914).....	Colegio Ingles, San Luis, Potosi.....	9	218		63,000
Central Mexico.....	Instituto Colon, Guadalajara.....	7	82		75,000
Central Mexico.....	Juarez School, El Ora.....	2	41		
Central Mexico.....	Benito Juarez School, Atoyac.....	3	52		
Central Texas.....	Southwestern University.....				
Central Texas.....	Polytechnic College.....				
Central Texas.....	Central Texas College.....	9	101		37,250
Central Texas.....	Meridian College.....	8	156		55,000
Central Texas.....	Granbury College.....	6	75		27,000
Central Texas.....	Weatherford Training School.....	7	103		46,000
China Mission.....	Twelve boarding schools and colleges.....	127	1,453		
China Mission.....	Fifty-nine day schools.....	160	2,180		
China Mission.....	Seven Kindergartens.....	18	277		
China Mission.....	One Industrial School.....	8	150		
Columbia.....	Columbia Junior College.....			20,000	75,000
Congo Mission.....	Three schools.....	5	240		
Cuba Mission.....	Five schools.....	41	591		150,306
East Columbia.....	Columbia Junior College.....	12	139	8,489	75,000
East Oklahoma.....	Oklahoma Woman's College.....				100,000
Florida, N. Ga., S. Ga.....	Emory College.....				
Florida, N. Ga., S. Ga.....	Wesleyan Female College.....				
Florida.....	Southern College.....	11	178	36,300	162,500
German Mission, Texas, N. Tex., N. W. Tex., W. Tex.....	Southwestern University.....				
Holston.....	Emory and Henry College.....	15	238	60,000	260,000
Holston.....	Martha Washington College.....	19	197		210,527
Holston.....	Centenary College.....	19	148		150,000
Holston.....	Hiwassee College.....	9	178		25,000
Japan Mission (1915).....	Kwansei Gakuin.....	37	710		104,796
Japan Mission.....	Lambuth Bible Training School.....	3	10		1,950
Japan Mission.....	Palmore Institute.....	3	725		8,500
Japan Mission.....	Hiroshima Girls' School.....	41	745		30,193
Kentucky.....	Kentucky Wesleyan College.....	10	100	82,195	121,500
Korea Mission.....	Anglo-Korean School (1915).....	10	225		
Korea Mission.....	Thirty-five primary schools for girls.....	69	1,229		
Korea Mission.....	Thirty-two primary schools for boys.....	54	1,159		
Little Rock.....	Hendrix College.....	12		287,515	168,135
Little Rock.....	Henderson-Brown College.....	10		36,000	164,500
Little Rock.....	Galloway College.....	20		35,000	147,500
Little Rock.....	Three colleges.....				
Louisiana.....	Centenary College.....	6	60		130,000
Louisiana.....	Mansfield College.....	12	147		75,000
Louisville.....	Logan College.....	15	105		80,000
Louisville.....	Elkton Training School for Boys.....	4	50		65,000
Louisville.....	Lindsay-Wilson Training School.....	9	136		52,000
Memphis.....	McFerrin School.....	5	145	10,000	50,000
Memphis.....	Marvin University School.....	4	80		50,000
Memphis.....	McTyeire School.....	3	80		17,000
Memphis.....	Female Institute.....	9	151		55,000
Mexican Border.....	Lydia Patterson Institute.....	13	180		55,000
Mexican Border.....	Seth Ward College.....				5,000
Mexican Border.....	Palmore College.....	12	631		50,000
Mexican Border.....	McDowell Institute.....	3			28,000
Mexican Border.....	Effie Edington School.....	5	146		8,000
Mexican Border.....	Normal School, Saltillo.....	14			40,500
Mexican Border.....	Laredo Institute.....	13	258		60,000
Mississippi, North Mississippi.....	Millsaps College.....	11	249	552,000	280,000
Mississippi.....	Whitworth Female College.....	19	208		88,000
Mississippi.....	Port Gibson Female College.....	12	102		55,000
Mississippi.....	Conference Training School.....	8	195		8,000
Mississippi.....	Seashore Camp Ground School.....	4	85		100,000
Missouri, S. W. Mo., St. Louis.....	Central College.....	13	252	280,000	290,000
Missouri, S. W. Mo., St. Louis.....	Central College for Women.....	20	129	72,000	101,500
Missouri.....	Howard-Payne College.....	20	204	23,400	132,500
Montana.....	Stevensville Training School.....				20,000
North Alabama, Alabama.....	Southern University.....				
North Alabama.....	Athens College.....	22	144		220,000
North Alabama.....	Birmingham College.....	10	161		218,000



# EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS (CONTINUED).

CONFERENCE REPORTING	NAME OF INSTITUTION	Teachers	Pupils	Endowment	Value of Property
North Arkansas.....	Galloway College.....				
North Arkansas.....	Hendrix College.....				
North Arkansas.....	Sloan-Hendrix Academy.....				
North Carolina, Western N.C.	Trinity College.....	48	700	\$1,600,306	\$ 1,244,577
North Carolina.....	Carolina College.....	12	90		150,551
North Carolina.....	Greensboro College for Women.....	24	245	101,000	238,064
North Carolina.....	Louisburg Female College.....	11	150		75,000
North Georgia, S. Ga., Fla.	Emory College.....				
North Georgia, S. Ga., Fla.	Wesleyan Female College.....				
North Georgia.....	La Grange Female College.....	21	140		208,000
North Georgia.....	Young Harris College.....	7	475		50,000
North Georgia.....	Reinhardt Normal College.....	12	175		70,000
North Mississippi, Mississippi	Millsaps College.....				
North Mississippi.....	Grenada Female College.....	15	115		100,000
North Texas.....	Texas Woman's College.....				
North Texas (1914).....	Wesley College.....	10	277		100,000
North Texas.....	North Texas Female College.....		185		175,000
North Texas, Tex., N. W. Tex.					
W. Tex., German Mission.....	Southern Methodist University.....	43	698	212,147	2,294,735
Northwest Texas.....	Southwestern University.....				
Northwest Texas.....	Texas Woman's College.....	9	346		333,394
Northwest Texas.....	Stamford College.....	14	224		150,000
Northwest Texas.....	Clarendon College.....	15	287		103,300
Northwest Texas.....	Seth Ward College.....	10	208	53,000	75,000
Pacific (1914).....	Pacific Methodist College.....			6,000	15,000
South Brazil.....	Six schools.....	39	624		20,000
South Carolina, Upper S. C.	Wofford College.....				
South Carolina, Upper S. C.	Columbia Female College.....				
South Carolina, Upper S. C.	Cokesbury Conference School.....				
South Carolina, Upper S. C.	Carlisle Fitting School.....				
South Carolina, Upper S. C.	Lander College.....				
South Carolina, Upper S. C.	Sextile Industrial Institute.....				
South Georgia, N. Ga., Fla.	Emory College.....				
South Georgia, N. Ga., Fla.	Wesleyan Female College.....	32	468	136,858	483,826
South Georgia.....	Andrew Female College.....	13	101	8,000	90,000
South Georgia.....	South Georgia College.....	12	154		93,480
South Georgia.....	Sparks Collegiate Institute.....	10	155		52,000
South Georgia.....	Warthen College.....	12	218		45,000
South Georgia.....	Pierce Collegiate Institute.....	10	303		75,000
Southwest Missouri, Mo., St.					
Louis.....	Central College.....				
Southwest Missouri, Mo., St.					
Louis.....	Central Female College.....				
St. Louis, Missouri, S. W. Mo.	Central College.....				
St. Louis, Missouri, S. W. Mo.	Central College for Women.....				
St. Louis, Missouri, S. W. Mo.	Marvin College (1915).....	14	232		90,000
Tennessee.....	Martin College.....	18	208	30,000	96,000
Tennessee.....	W. T. Thomas School.....	3	135		10,000
Texas, North Tex., N. W. Tex.					
W. Tex., German Mission.....	Southwestern University.....				
Texas.....	Southern Methodist University.....				
Texas.....	Alexander Collegiate Institute.....	13	162		100,000
Upper South Carolina.....	Wofford College and Fitting School.....	17	381	204,438	399,550
Upper South Carolina.....	Lander College.....	22	248	8,200	174,450
Upper South Carolina.....	Columbia College.....	21	235	12,000	245,000
Upper South Carolina.....	Carlisle Fitting School.....	11	128	5,000	85,000
Upper South Carolina.....	Cokesbury Conference School.....	2	42	1,000	6,000
Upper South Carolina.....	Textile Industrial Institute.....	4	105		85,000
Upper South Carolina.....	Horry Industrial School.....	4	132		20,000
Virginia, Baltimore(see Balt.)	Randolph-Macon College.....				
Virginia, Baltimore(see Balt.)	Randolph-Macon Woman's College.....				
Virginia, Baltimore(see Balt.)	Randolph-Macon Academy.....				
Virginia, Baltimore(see Balt.)	Randolph-Macon Institute.....				
Virginia.....	Blackstone College for Girls.....	33	386		170,000
Virginia.....	Ferrum Training School.....	10	108		50,000
West Texas.....	Coronal Institute.....	14	150		125,000
West Texas.....	San Antonio Female College.....	16	140		165,000
West Texas, Texas, N. Texas,					
N. W. Tex., German Mis. ....	Southwestern University.....	23	927	272,890	560,000
Western North Carolina, N.C.	Trinity College.....				
Western North Carolina.....	Weaverville College.....		92		49,000
Western North Carolina.....	Rutherford College.....		120		25,000
Western North Carolina.....	Davenport College.....		128		91,602
Western North Carolina.....	Jefferson School.....		166		12,000
Western Virginia (1915).....	Morris Harvey College.....	15	200	11,000	102,100
Western Virginia.....	Sandy Valley Seminary.....	8	192	15,000	45,000
Total: 45 Conferences.	283 schools and colleges.....	1,902	29,837	\$5,142,915	\$15,755,354

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# DEATH OF BISHOP A. W. WILSON.

## HONORS TO HIS MEMORY.

The death of BISHOP ALPHEUS WATERS WILSON, the distinguished and beloved Chief Pastor of our Church, which sad event occurred in his native city of Baltimore on Tuesday morning, November 21, 1916, has profoundly affected the hosts of Southern Methodism, and is felt as a grievous loss to the rest of the Methodist world. Indeed, the passing of this great and good and holy servant of God cannot but be realized as a distinct loss to our common Christianity itself.

From the *Baltimore Southern Methodist* is taken the following account of the funeral services, held in Trinity Church, Baltimore, on the afternoon of Thursday, November 23:

"Notwithstanding the falling rain, Trinity Church was crowded with a vast concourse of people, including a delegation from the Virginia Conference; our preachers of Washington; a large company from Mount Vernon Place Church, Washington; and many ministers of the three Methodisms, from Baltimore and elsewhere, on Thursday afternoon, at two o'clock, as a mark of their respect and love to the memory of Bishop Wilson. The three Methodisms united in the services to honor his life and character. Dr. F. T. Tagg, of the Methodist Protestant Church, made a tender prayer at the home before the funeral cortege went to the church. Rev. John Paul Tyler, a former pastor and intimate friend, occupied a seat with the family in the brief service at the home and the public service in the church. Rev. W. H. Best, the pastor of Trinity, read the solemn words of the ritual, beginning with 'I know that my Redeemer liveth,' as the funeral procession moved down the aisle of the historic church.

"After the organ prelude, 'Flee as a Bird,' Bishop Hendrix took charge of the services. Mr. Everett Blake sang Bishop Wilson's favorite hymn, 'The God of Abraham Praise.' The first Scripture lesson was read by Rev. E. V. Regester, a former pastor; and the second by Dr. F. J. Prettyman, Chaplain of the United States Senate. 'Rock of Ages' was announced by Bishop James Atkins, and prayer was offered by Dr. T. H. Lewis,

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President of the Western Maryland College. Addresses were made by Bishop E. R. Hendrix; by Bishops Earl Cranston and Luther B. Wilson, of the Methodist Episcopal Church; by Rev. B. W. Bond, D.D., presiding elder of the Alexandria District; and by Rev. John O. Willson, D.D., President of Lander College, Greenwood, S. C. After 'Asleep in Jesus' was sung, the benediction was pronounced by Bishop John W. Hamilton, of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

"The services at Loudoun Park Cemetery were conducted by Rev. D. H. Kern, D.D., presiding elder of the Baltimore District, assisted by Rev. John A. Anderson, presiding elder of the Winchester District, by Rev. W. H. Best, and by Rev. Carlton D. Harris. The active pallbearers were Revs. T. J. Lambert, C. M. Hesser, W. P. Johnston, J. W. Smith, G. G. Oliver, and W. C. Boswell. The honorary pallbearers were Rev. Drs. B. W. Bond, J. A. Anderson, I. W. Canter, Charles W. Baldwin, J. St. Clair Neal, H. L. Hout, J. J. Ringer, E. K. Hardin, F. T. Tagg, H. M. Willson; Messrs. E. B. Magruder, R. G. Mowbray, L. W. Davis, F. E. Bond, J. E. Norwood, C. E. Muller, and C. M. Armstrong.

"Many handsome designs of palms, smilax, chrysanthemums, lilies, and roses were sent with the sympathy and love of the churches of Baltimore; of the General Board of Missions at Nashville; of the Baltimore Conference Board of Missions; of Randolph-Macon College; of Mount Vernon Place Church, Washington; of the preachers of Washington; of the Woman's Missionary Society of Trinity Church; of the Maryland Lodge, No. 120, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, of which Bishop Wilson was the last charter member; of the American University of Washington; and of a number of personal friends.

"Telegrams of sympathy were received by Bishop Wilson's family from Mr. Fairfax Harrison, President of the Southern Railway; Hon. Josephus Daniels, Secretary of the Navy; Hon. Asa G. Candler, Mayor of Atlanta; Bishops E. R. Hendrix, W. A. Candler, Collins Denny, and J. C. Kilgo, of our Church; Bishops Cran-

ston, Wilson, McDowell, and Hamilton, of the Methodist Episcopal Church; Dr. Thomas N. Ivey, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hamilton, and Smith and Lamar, Nashville; Dr. J. O. Willson, Greenwood, S. C.; Dr. Frank M. Thomas, Louisville, Ky.; Dr. Asbury Christian, Richmond, Va.; Rev. and Mrs. T. T. Fishburne, St. Augustine, Fla.; Dr. B. W. Bond, Alexandria, Va.; Dr. F. J. Prettyman, Washington, D. C.; Rev. J. B. Balthis, Roanoke, Va.; and from many other friends. A large number of letters also were received.

THE ADDRESS BY BISHOP HENDRIX.

Most fittingly, the chief address on this notable occasion was delivered by Bishop Eugene Russell Hendrix. He now succeeds his departed senior colleague as the head of the Episcopal College, with which honorable body he has served for thirty years. This report of the Bishop's address was taken stenographically:

"A devout man was Stephen, and when he died his followers made great lamentation over him. It was because his life had been cut prematurely short. It had been concentrated into only one great sermon. It was like the century plant. It spent itself in one noble effort, in which the whole life is given. The Church well felt that there was more back of that, more of preaching, more of service, and no doubt the lamentations were deep and widespread and sincere because the young life had been cut short. Our Lord never raised an old man from the dead, always young men and young women. When they had rounded out their life—three-score and ten, or fourscore—he was not going to bring them back to life to take up their duties again. They rest in peace. But the little girl of twelve, the widow's son, the young man whom the mother needed, and the noble brother of those two precious sisters of Bethany, were called back to live, to take up their work, and to do more in their later life than ever before; for it was said of Lazarus that many came to see Lazarus whom Jesus had raised from the dead, and to hear the testimony of his life and of his words all through his life whose eyes had twice looked on death.

"There was another man of whom it was said, 'having served his generation, by the will of God, he had fallen on sleep.' David in the fullness of his years was laid to rest, and that sleep was unbroken, for he had rounded out his life as a man after God's own heart. So, to-day, we

do not make great lamentation over our sainted brother. He has served his generation—nay, two generations—by the will of God, and he has fallen on sleep after sixty-four years as a record of his wonderful ministry. Two generations are indebted to him for his marvelous preaching. He deserves to rest in peace. We would not call him back if we could, for his weary years are ended and he is in the bosom of God. We know where to find him.

"The other day, in the morning of Tuesday, at about the same hour fell asleep the Emperor of Austria and Alpheus Waters Wilson. Whose is the crown, whose is the kingdom? Not the great Emperor, born just four years preceding our beloved Bishop, permitted to reign a little longer, he having entered upon his imperial throne one year before our dear Bishop began his work. He has fallen amid wars and tumults and strife, and his kingdom is unstable. Bishop Wilson has fallen also in a war in which there is no surcease, but whose outcome cannot be questioned; and his is the crown, and his is the throne, for he shared it with his Lord. The Church is the only thing that endureth. In this hour of peculiar serenity and peace, we rejoice in Him in whom he believed and in whom we believe—the Captain of our salvation, the Lord of our conduct, our faith, our life.

"Alpheus Waters Wilson was a child of Baltimore, born in this city eighty-two years ago. He gave much of his great life to this city. This church where we meet to-day is the fruit of his labor. Many other churches in this city and in this Conference shared his activities, and it is in a peculiar sense the privilege of Baltimore to receive to-day his hallowed dust. May I venture to say this day that there is but one place in this city as the permanent resting place of that sacred dust? And I venture the hope that it will not be long before Alpheus Waters Wilson and his devoted wife, who contributed so largely to his great services, shall sleep side by side with Bishop Asbury, with Bishop George, with Robert Strawbridge, in the sacred grounds of Mount Olivet. It would seem there was an element of fitness that that place of sacred dust should receive Baltimore's great son, side by side with these true men of God, side by side with a host of Methodist saints; and I humbly express the hope that in a short while from now you may



witness the Church of this great city welcoming to that hallowed place this sacred dust.

"Alpheus Waters Wilson was a fourfold man. It was said of Michael Angelo that he was four men in one—a great architect, a great sculptor, a great painter, and a great poet. It is said that great men are not so different from ordinary men, except that there is so much more of them. John Wesley was one of those known as a fourfold man, insomuch that you can make a life of him as a traveler, you can make a life of him as a preacher, you can make a life of him as an organizer alone, and you could make a life of him as a wonderful writer of books alone—author, preacher, organizer, traveler—what a fourfold life was there! Alpheus Waters Wilson led such a life as that—first of all, a humble, devoted, convinced believer in our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, he might well say: 'For me to live is Christ.' The genuineness of his faith, the devoutness of his spirit, his well-grounded trust in God, everywhere showed him a true believer whose life ran out into marvelous activities, whose faith abounded unto life everlasting. We knew him as such. We had communion with him in the private places of worship, in the sweet fellowship of council. We honored him as a brother beloved of the Lord.

"Now, this devoted Christian fed his faith; he added to it. Was there ever a more devoted student of the Word of God than Alpheus W. Wilson? Prepared by his scholarly training in early life, he formed the habit of reading God's Word in the original language, especially the New Testament. It is said that he read it through entirely every few weeks. He thought in terms of the Greek Testament; especially did he explore the life of Paul. Was there ever such a Pauline preacher, such an interpreter of the Pauline mind? Was there ever one who expounded more fully Paul's great teachings? What a delight to hear him! He preached as some one has vitally described: 'It is not in circles that he preached, but in spirals; higher and higher he rose, until he brought us to the cross and made us feel with him "For me to live is Christ."' He was a reader of many books, but his chief study was God's Word, and men everywhere accepted from his lips great expositions of God's truth. I doubt whether Methodism has ever had but one such preacher—Stephen Olin. Bishop Wilson

was more particularly known as an expositor, noted as a preacher of the gospel. Especially was he known for his sermon on 'The Church in the Mind of God,' a wonderful line of thought. It was published after a careful stenographic report.

"Alpheus Waters Wilson was a wonderful organizer. He became known to the Church by his great Missionary Secretaryship. There was a time in our history when we faltered in the march, when we hesitated about going forward. The War had involved us in serious difficulties. Alpheus W. Wilson was chosen the Missionary Secretary, the great Secretary of the Foreign Board of Missions, in 1878; and from that time until to-day a new era in our missionary life has existed. How delighted he was to study the field! How intensely active he was in organizing new fields. Aided by his good wife as his private secretary, he often burned the midnight oil in his efforts. Six times at least he went abroad in this great mission, three times of the number around the world. A favorite visitor in great mission fields, it was his joy to found the great mission in Japan; and it was his joy to visit all the great fields except Mexico; and his works abound, founded in great wisdom, in great scholarship, with a depth of mercy. He inspired men with confidence. They would put into his hands sums amounting to fifteen or twenty thousand dollars and say: 'Sir, do what you think best with that; found a school, or do what you think best.' A friend of mine said to him in my presence: 'Bishop, if you go to China, I authorize you to draw on me for five thousand dollars for such work as you deem most needed there.' Out of that came the great Moore Memorial Church, founded by a townsman of mine in Kansas City, recognized by all as the best equipped plant for missionary work ever known in China. So in all his work he had the confidence of men; they believed in him.

"The Church will never cease to honor the memory of the man who laid the foundation of our great missionary work. Alpheus Waters Wilson for thirty and four years made a great Missionary Secretary. Fitted for this work by long experience, by his great power of intellect, the great riches of his heart and his will, he led the hosts of Israel. And for the last sixteen years, as our Senior Bishop, he was honored and loved and revered by the whole Church. With the knowledge

of men, with the courage to do his duty, with a singleness of purpose, with a conception of the needs of the Church, he wrought faithfully and well, and like Moses he could well pray: 'Establish thou the work of our hands upon us; yea, the work of our hands establish thou it.' We lay him to rest to-day, one of the great citizens of this commonwealth, of which he was a native; and of this country, of which he was an honored citizen.

"Bishop Wilson is widely known as a man of God, as a great preacher, as a wonderful organizer—a commanding Bishop of the Church. He sleeps to-day honored of his brethren, loved of all men. We recognized the mellowing influence of time on his character. He grew more and more tender as he grew older. His colleague for thirty years, I have known him well, and I have many dear memories of his love. Just three weeks ago, in parting from me, he said affectionately: 'I pray for you every day. I will probably never see you again. The sands are running out. My time is well-nigh come.' And so to-day we lay him to rest, amid our tears. Thank God for Alpheus Wilson; thank God for his honored father; thank God for his noble wife, who helped so much to make him what he was to God and to the Church!

#### A SHORT BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH.

Extract from a memoir by Rev. Watson B. Duncan, of the South Carolina Conference:

"Alpheus Waters Wilson was born in the city of Baltimore, Maryland, on February 5, 1834. He was the son of Rev. Norval Wilson and Mrs. Cornelia Laurence Howland Wilson. After his preparatory training in the schools of the community, he received his college education at Columbian University, now George Washington University. Having completed his college course, he studied medicine with a view of entering the medical profession. 'Man proposes, but God disposes.' At this time Mr. Wilson felt divinely called to the Christian ministry. Without hesitation he yielded to the supernatural impression, and joined the Baltimore Conference in 1853. When the Baltimore Conference of the Methodist

Episcopal Church, South, was organized, he identified himself with the Southern branch of Methodism. During his early ministry he was sometimes appointed to difficult and undesirable fields of labor, but to these he gladly went with the spirit of consecration that brought joy to his own heart and spiritual enrichment to the people whom he served. His aim seems to have been, when receiving an undesirable appointment, so to labor as to make it a desirable one. In this respect he set an example worthy of emulation by every young preacher.

"A peculiar providence led to Mr. Wilson's withdrawal for a time from the active ministry, during which period he studied and practiced law in the city of Baltimore. He was naturally endowed with the legal mind, and his early experience enabled him to render great service to the Church in after years. Had he remained in the legal profession, he would, no doubt, have been a leading practitioner at the bar or a commanding occupant of the bench. Resuming his ministerial duties, he passed through all the official relations of the Church until he reached the Episcopacy. In 1878 he was elected Missionary Secretary of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. He was a delegate to each General Conference of his Church from 1870 to 1882, distinguishing himself as a wise counselor and able parliamentarian. In 1882 he was elevated to the Episcopacy, and for nearly thirty-five years he maintained an untarnished record in this high and holy office. Altogether he gave more than half a century to the Christian ministry. He was a delegate to the Ecumenical Conference in London in 1881. He made episcopal tours around the world in 1886, 1888, and 1890. He visited the missions in the Orient in 1898, 1900, and 1907. For many years prior to his superannuation in 1914, he was the Senior Bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

Returning from a trip to South Carolina (during which he preached with great power and effectiveness), and spending a while at the Virginia Conference in Richmond, he reached his home and soon became ill. On November 21, 1916, he ceased his earthly activities and passed beyond the shadows.

# CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL OF BISHOPS, 1846-1916.

NAME.	BORN.	ENTERED MINISTRY.	ORDAINED BISHOP.	REMARKS.
Joshua Soule.....	August 1, 1781	1799	1824	Died March 6, 1867.
James Osgood Andrew.....	May 3, 1794	1812	1832	Died March 2, 1871.
William Capers.....	January 26, 1790	1808	1846	Died January 29, 1855.
Robert Paine.....	November 12, 1799	1818	1846	Died October 19, 1882.
Henry Biddleman Bascom.....	May 27, 1796	1813	1850	Died September 8, 1850.
George Foster Pierce.....	February 3, 1811	1831	1854	Died September 3, 1884.
John Early.....	January 1, 1786	1807	1854	Died November 5, 1873.
Hubbard Hinde Kavanaugh.....	January 14, 1802	1823	1854	Died March 19, 1884.
William May Wightman.....	January 8, 1808	1828	1866	Died February 3, 1882.
Enoch Mather Marvin.....	June 12, 1823	1841	1866	Died November 26, 1877.
David Seth Doggett.....	January 23, 1810	1829	1866	Died October 27, 1880.
Holland Nimmons McTyeire.....	July 24, 1824	1845	1866	Died February 15, 1889.
John Christian Keener.....	February 7, 1819	1843	1870	Died January 19, 1906.
Alpheus Waters Wilson.....	February 5, 1834	1853	1882	Died November 21, 1916.
Linus Parker.....	April 23, 1829	1849	1882	Died March 6, 1885.
John Cowper Granbery.....	December 5, 1829	1848	1882	Died April 1, 1907.
Robert Kennon Hargrove.....	September 18, 1829	1857	1882	Died August 3, 1905.
William Wallace Duncan.....	December 20, 1839	1859	1886	Died March 2, 1908.
Charles Betts Galloway.....	September 15, 1849	1868	1886	Died May 12, 1909.
Eugene Russell Hendrix.....	May 17, 1847	1869	1886	Residence, Kansas City, Mo.
Joseph Staunton Key.....	July 18, 1829	1849	1886	Residence, Sherman, Tex.
Atticus Greene Haygood.....	November 19, 1839	1859	1890	Died January 19, 1896.
Oscar Penn Fitzgerald.....	August 24, 1829	1854	1890	Died August 5, 1911.
Warren Akin Candler.....	August 23, 1857	1875	1898	Residence, Atlanta, Ga.
Henry Clay Morrison.....	May 30, 1842	1865	1898	Residence, Leesburg, Fla.
Elijah Embree Hoss.....	April 14, 1849	1866	1902	Residence, Nashville, Tenn.
Alexander Coke Smith.....	September 16, 1849	1872	1902	Died December 27, 1906.
John James Tigert.....	November 25, 1856	1877	1906	Died November 21, 1906.
Seth Ward.....	November 1, 1858	1881	1906	Died September 20, 1909.
James Atkins.....	April 18, 1850	1870	1906	Residence, Waynesville, N. C.
Collins Denny.....	May 28, 1854	1880	1910	Residence, Richmond, Va.
John Carlisle Kilgo.....	July 22, 1861	1882	1910	Residence, Charlotte, N. C.
William Belton Murrah.....	May 19, 1852	1874	1910	Residence, Memphis, Tenn.
Walter Russell Lambuth.....	November 10, 1854	1876	1910	Residence, Nashville, Tenn.
Richard Green Waterhouse.....	December 25, 1855	1878	1910	Residence, Emory, Va.
Edwin DuBose Mouzon.....	May 19, 1869	1889	1910	Residence, Dallas, Tex.
James Henry McCoy.....	August 6, 1868	1889	1910	Residence, Birmingham, Ala.

## DIRECTORY OF TRAVELING MINISTERS.

### Alabama Conference.

Abernethy, T. Y.....Camden, Ala.  
 Adams, T. L.....Midway, Ala.  
 Albright, T. D.....Pinckard, Ala.  
 Andrews, H. M.....Clayton, Ala.  
 Arnold, W. F.....Rutledge, Ala.  
 Atchison, F. M.....Whistler, Ala.  
 Atkinson, C. P.....Greensboro, Ala.  
 Avinger, C. E.....Banks, Ala.  
 Bancroft, W.....Louisville, Ala.  
 Barrow, T. B.....Madrid, Ala.  
 Bates, C.....Centerville, Ala.  
 Bickerstaff, W. R.....Troy, Ala.  
 Bilbro, I. F.....Hurley, N. Mex.  
 Bilbro, J. F.....Pittsview, Ala.  
 Bouterse, M. J.....Selma, Ala.  
 Boyd, S. G.....Wetumpka, Ala.  
 Bradley, C. W.....Plantersville, Ala.  
 Brannon, L. C.....Choon Chun, Korea  
 Breedlove, J. W.....Ramer, Ala.  
 Brown, A. B.....Crichton, Ala.  
 Brown, B. F.....Millville, Fla.  
 Bryant, W. E.....Gonzales, Fla.  
 Budd, J. W.....Headland, Ala.  
 Buttram, C. J.....Titus, Ala.  
 Calhoun, L. C.....R. 6, Birmingham, Ala.  
 Calhoun, O. V.....Mobile, Ala.  
 Cameron, J. T.....Elba, Ala.  
 Carpenter, G. W.....Butler, Ala.  
 Chalker, I. W.....Demopolis, Ala.  
 Chappelle, L. H. S., Jr.....Perote, Ala.  
 Chappelle, L. H. S., Sr.....Mobile, Ala.  
 Childs, E. A.....Greensboro, Ala.  
 Clendennin, J.....Greenwood, Fla.  
 Cochran, R. P.....Repton, Ala.  
 Coleman, E. W.....La Pine, Ala.  
 Connor, W. L.....Jay, Fla.  
 Cornell, C. A.....Union Springs, Ala.  
 Coulliette, J. T.....York, Ala.  
 Cowan, E. E.....Andalusia, Ala.  
 Cowan, H. G.....Missionary to Cuba  
 Cox, W. M.....Selma, Ala.  
 Coxwell, R. J.....Daleville, Ala.  
 Crawford, E. L.....De Funiak Springs, Fla.  
 Crew, J. A.....R. F. D., Clayton, Ala.  
 Curtis, W. M.....Tuskegee, Ala.  
 Daily, J. F.....Enterprise, Ala.  
 Daniels, C. C.....Brewton, Ala.  
 Dannelly, E. A.....Montgomery, Ala.  
 Dannelly, J. M.....Mobile, Ala.  
 Daughtry, J. P.....Bay Minette, Ala.  
 Davis, T. F.....Opelika, Ala.  
 De Bardeleben, J. T.....Citronelle, Ala.  
 Dickinson, W. P.....Eufaula, Ala.  
 Dismukes, D. B.....Cottondale, Fla.  
 Duncan, L. C.....Samson, Ala.  
 Eckford, J. T.....Pine Hill, Ala.  
 Ellison, H. S.....Midway, Ala.  
 Ellison, R. R.....Auburn, Ala.  
 Ellisor, A. G.....Noma, Fla.  
 Ellisor, D. F.....Jackson, Ala.  
 Ellisor, W. T.....Brundidge, Ala.  
 Feagin, B. E.....Pine Apple, Ala.  
 Feagin, J. F.....Pollard, Ala.  
 Fisher, G. F.....Hartford, Ala.  
 Floyd, W. F.....Lower Peach Tree, Ala.  
 Folsom, D. L.....Autaugaville, Ala.  
 Fontaine, G.....Gastonburg, Ala.  
 Foster, R. A.....Eclectic, Ala.  
 Frazer, I. S.....Montgomery, Ala.  
 Gibson, S. J.....Crichton, Ala.  
 Gibson, S. E.....Coffee Springs, Ala.  
 Gilmer, L. S.....Mobile, Ala.  
 Glenn, B. C., Jr.....Abbeville, Ala.  
 Glenn, B. C., Sr.....Greenville, Ala.  
 Glenn, J. M.....Marion, Ala.

Goodman, O. J.....Grove Hill, Ala.  
 Grant, M. E.....Vernon, Fla.  
 Green, L. B.....Augusta, Ga.  
 Green, R. W.....Moundville, Ala.  
 Griffin, J. M.....Columbia, Ala.  
 Grogan, J. O.....Opelika, Ala.  
 Guice, W. S.....Deatsville, Ala.  
 Guthrie, P. M.....Munson, Fla.  
 Hamer, N. R.....Hurtsboro, Ala.  
 Hamner, J. W.....Suggsville, Ala.  
 Hardy, J. J.....Taylor, Ala.  
 Hartzog, D. J.....Crichton, Ala.  
 Hartzog, J. D.....St. Stephens, Ala.  
 Haskew, D. W.....Evergreen, Ala.  
 Haskew, R. J.....Pine Apple, Ala.  
 Hastings, F. G.....Linden, Ala.  
 Heath, W. D.....Prattville, Ala.  
 Henson, J. W.....Newbern, Ala.  
 Herlong, B. M.....Georgiana, Ala.  
 Holt, M. H.....Selma, Ala.  
 Horn, James W.....Greensboro, Ala.  
 Howington, A. F.....Wausau, Fla.  
 Hudson, H. V.....Uniontown, Ala.  
 Hurt, W. P.....Eufaula, Ala.  
 Isaacs, W. G.....New York, N. Y.  
 James, J. C.....Greensboro, Ala.  
 Johnston, H. T.....Ozark, Ala.  
 Jones, G. W.....Fort Deposit, Ala.  
 Jones, H. E.....Florala, Ala.  
 Jones, J. L.....Eutaw, Ala.  
 Jones, T. G.....Clanton, Ala.  
 Jones, T. H.....Montgomery, Ala.  
 Joyner, E. B.....Atlanta, Ga.  
 Kersh, J. D.....Smith's Station, Ala.  
 Killough, J. W.....Union Springs, Ala.  
 Lamar, A. J.....Nashville, Tenn.  
 Latham, L. P.....Luverne, Ala.  
 Lawrence, J. O.....Lowndesboro, Ala.  
 Lazenby, M. E.....Dothan, Ala.  
 Lee, A. C.....Girard, Ala.  
 Lisenby, H.....Phoenix City, Ala.  
 Lowrey, F. M.....Gainesville, Ala.  
 Lumpkin, A. L.....Coffee Springs, Ala.  
 Marshall, B. F.....Marianna, Fla.  
 Martin, C. T.....Cypress, Fla.  
 Martin, J. C.....Notasulga, Ala.  
 Mathison, J. L.....Ozark, Ala.  
 Maye, E. C.....Girard, Ala.  
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		Hall, N. N.	Front Royal, Va.
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		Hammond, L.	Waynesboro, Va.
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		Hanna, W. I.	Seebert, W. Va.
		Hardesty, W. R.	Ridgeway, W. Va.

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 Hasel, George. . . . . Warrenton, Va.  
 Hawk, J. C. . . . . Fredericksburg, Va.  
 Hawley, J. M. . . . . Hamilton, Va.  
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 Keene, J. S. . . . . Goldsboro, Md.  
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 McNeer, R. D. . . . . Brucetown, Va.  
 McNeil, J. W. . . . . West Augusta, Va.  
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 Melville, William. . . . . Rome, Ga.  
 Meyers, J. T. . . . . Japan  
 Michael, I. G. . . . . White Sul, Springs, W. Va.  
 Miller, W. E. . . . . Mount Airy, Md.  
 Millican, C. K. . . . . Gainesville, Va.  
 Mitchell, J. W. . . . . Colesville, Md.  
 Mitchell, M. D. . . . . Staunton, Va.  
 Mix, H. L. . . . . Roanoke, Va.  
 Moore, G. Wesley. . . . . Goldsboro, Md.  
 Morgan, Thomas. . . . . Goshen, Va.  
 Murmill, H. A. . . . . Lewisburg, W. Va.  
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 Oliver, G. G. . . . . Raspeburg, Md.

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 Pope, G. E. . . . . Millboro Springs, Va.  
 Pope, J. D. . . . . Lewisburg, W. Va.  
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 Reeves, J. W. . . . . Flintstone, Md.  
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 Sherman, H. H. . . . . Staunton, Va.  
 Shipley, J. L. . . . . Baltimore, Md.  
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 Smith, W. L. . . . . Brunswick, Md.  
 Snead, S. R. . . . . Romney, W. Va.  
 Sponaugle, W. C. . . . . Eagle Rock, Va.  
 Spindler, J. C. . . . . Greenville, W. Va.  
 Staples, G. W. . . . . Mount Crawford, Va.  
 Stephens, H. I. . . . . Staunton, Va.  
 Stevens, William. . . . . Bridgewater, Va.  
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 Strother, F. A. . . . . Edinburg, Va.  
 Stump, C. W. . . . . Levels, W. Va.  
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 Swecker, K. D. . . . . Peterstown, W. Va.  
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 Talbert, W. O. . . . . Winchester, Va.  
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 Van Horne, J. R. . . . . Woodstock, Va.  
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 Weikel, M. P. . . . . Franklin, W. Va.  
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 Willey, H. S. . . . . Stafford, Va.  
 Williams, B. C. . . . . Elk Garden, Va.  
 Wilson, B. C. . . . . White Post, Va.  
 Wilson, H. A. . . . . Sterling, Va.  
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     R. do Monte, Casa 5, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil  
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 Silva, Oswaldo.....Barbacena, Brazil  
 Silveira, Guaracy.....Piracicaba, Brazil  
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 Armstrong, T. S.....Ennis, Tex.  
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 Bailey, R. O.....Gordon, Tex.  
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 Baldridge, J. H.....Fort Worth, Tex.  
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 Berry, J. B.....Arlington, Tex.  
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 Bishop, Horace.....Waxahachie, Tex.  
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 Boone, E. F.....Fort Worth, Tex.  
 Booth, C. H.....Georgetown, Tex.  
 Boulware, W. T.....Emmett, Tex.  
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 Campbell, James.....Rising Star, Tex.  
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 Crawford, W. H.....Midlothian, Tex.  
 Crabtree, Elmer.....Bristol, Tex.  
 Creed, J. J.....Winters, Tex.  
 Crosby, R. A.....Frost, Tex.  
 Crow, B. S.....R. F. D., Alvarado, Tex.  
 Culver, F. P.....Waco, Tex.  
 Curry, J. B.....Ballinger, Tex.  
 Curry, W. N.....Morgan, Tex.  
 Daniel, C. W.....Kennedale, Tex.  
 Dickenson, J. W.....Polytechnic, Tex.  
 Diltz, C. B.....Hamilton, Tex.  
 Dobbs, H. M.....Dallas, Tex.  
 Dodson, J. B.....Thurber, Tex.  
 Doss, W. H.....De Leon, Tex.  
 Dozier, J. A.....Ranger, Tex.  
 Ellis, D. C.....Italy, Tex.  
 Ellis, T. D.....Novice, Tex.  
 Ellis, T. W.....Polytechnic, Tex.  
 Evans, B. A.....Porterville, Tex.  
 Evans, C. A.....Fort Worth, Tex.  
 Evens, L. L.....Waco, Tex.  
 Felder, L. L.....Blanket, Tex.  
 Fields, C. S.....Polytechnic, Tex.  
 Ford, J. W.....Corsicana, Tex.  
 Francis, Henry.....Indian Creek, Tex.  
 Gallagher, C. E.....Carlton, Tex.  
 Gardner, N. E.....Harmony, Tex.  
 Gaskins, W. D.....Florence, Tex.  
 Gates, P. H.....Wingate, Tex.  
 Gilleland, W. A.....Georgetown, Tex.  
 Gilleland, W. B.....Meridian, Tex.  
 Gillette, H. W.....Aquila, Tex.  
 Gilmore, S. P.....Sipe Springs, Tex.  
 Glass, H. M.....San Antonio, Tex.  
 Gore, J. O.....Desdamona, Tex.  
 Graves, W. F.....Meridian, Tex.  
 Gray, W. T.....Polytechnic, Tex.  
 Griffith, Walter.....Itasca, Tex.  
 Gwaltney, W. G.....Coryell, Tex.

Hall, J. R. B.	Polytechnic,	Tex.	Nelms, W. L.	Cleburne,	Tex.
Haralson, Jerome	Jacksonville,	Tex.	Nelson, J. R.	Fort Worth,	Tex.
Harris, G. W.	Bangs,	Tex.	Nevill, S. P.	Cleburne,	Tex.
Harris, I. F.	Waxahachie,	Tex.	Noble, W. W.	Weatherford,	Tex.
Harris, W. H.	Red Oak,	Tex.	Oswalt, C. V.	Fort Worth,	Tex.
Hawk, E. B.	Polytechnic,	Tex.	Odum, J. D.	Dallas,	Tex.
Hawkins, W. E.	Corsicana,	Tex.	Owens, G. W.	Dallas,	Tex.
Hays, J. M.	Munger,	Tex.	Patison, J. W.	Fort Worth,	Tex.
Head, J. W.	Venus,	Tex.	Patterson, E. R.	Palmer,	Tex.
Hearon, W. J.	Corsicana,	Tex.	Patterson, J. Fred	Weatherford,	Tex.
Helzer, R. H.	Turnersville,	Tex.	Peeples, N. J.	Peoria,	Tex.
Hendrickson, J. D.	Bangs,	Tex.	Pollard, J. G.	Strawn,	Tex.
Henry, H. B.	Polytechnic,	Tex.	Porter, A. D.	Cleburne,	Tex.
Hester, J. N.	Rockwood,	Tex.	Poteet, Horace	Evant,	Tex.
Hightower, C. C.	Fort Worth,	Tex.	Ramsey, J. D.	Norton,	Tex.
Hightower, C. O.	Staff,	Tex.	Rape, J. J.	Santo,	Tex.
Hightower, E.	Georgetown,	Tex.	Ray, F. A.	China Springs,	Tex.
Hightower, I. E.	Dawson,	Tex.	Reese, R. L.	Cross Cut,	Tex.
Hilburne, W. C.	Hico,	Tex.	Richardson, R.	Walnut Springs,	Tex.
Holt, J. W.	Jonesboro,	Tex.	Riley, P. E.	Itasca,	Tex.
Hooper, R. B.	Corsicana,	Tex.	Riley, P. M.	Granbury,	Tex.
Hotchkiss, M. S.	Fort Worth,	Tex.	Rowland, C.	Polytechnic,	Tex.
Howard, W. H.	Belton,	Tex.	Rucker, S. J.	Gatesville,	Tex.
Howell, Z. L.	Foreston,	Tex.	Ruffner, J. A.	Santa Anna,	Tex.
Huddleston, H. D.	Coolidge,	Tex.	Sawyer, L. B.	Glen Rose,	Tex.
Hudgens, E. F.	Ferris,	Tex.	Sawyer, S. B.	Hewitt,	Tex.
Hughen, Frank	Winchell,	Tex.	Sharp, T. W.	Godley,	Tex.
Irvin, C. W.	Bartlett,	Tex.	Shrader, H. P.	Corsicana,	Tex.
Isbell, J. F.	Kerrens,	Tex.	Shuler, J. W. W.	Hubbard,	Tex.
Jones, W. T.	Handley,	Tex.	Shutt, C. G.	Lawn,	Tex.
Jones, W. V.	Iredell,	Tex.	Simpson, C. E.	Fort Worth,	Tex.
Keener, W. H.	R. 6, Temple,	Tex.	Simpson, W. K.	Robert Lee,	Tex.
Kimbrow, B. E.	Chatfield,	Tex.	Singleton, F. E.	Mexia,	Tex.
Kincheloe, G. W.	Bardwell,	Tex.	Singley, W. T.	Smithfield,	Tex.
Kinslow, W. T.	Mount Calm,	Tex.	Smith, A. C.	Bronte,	Tex.
Kirkpatrick, Seba	New Castle,	Tex.	Smith, E. A.	Groesbeck,	Tex.
Knowles, S. B.	Stephenville,	Tex.	Smith, M. M.	Copperas Cove,	Tex.
Kornegay, G. F.	Troy,	Tex.	Smoot, J. D.	Carlton,	Tex.
Lackey, A. C.	Crawford,	Tex.	Snoddy, B. A.	Graham,	Tex.
Landrum, H. B.	Wortham,	Tex.	Sorrells, T. L.	Irene,	Tex.
Lane, P. W.	Eolian,	Tex.	Sory, R. O.	Brandon,	Tex.
Langston, Roy A.	Fort Worth,	Tex.	Stanford, E. R.	Fort Worth,	Tex.
Lathan, M. L.	Lillian,	Tex.	Stanford, Henry	Taylor,	Tex.
Lee, Josephus	Mansfield,	Tex.	Stark, D. C.	Polytechnic,	Tex.
Lemons, W. J.	R. 2, Lenden,	Tex.	Statham, C. E.	Oklahoma City,	Okla.
Lindsey, C. E.	Mart,	Tex.	Stewart, J. H.	Hillsboro,	Tex.
Lipscomb, A. P.	Bryson,	Tex.	Story, M. L.	Abott,	Tex.
Little, M. K.	Coleman,	Tex.	Story, T. G.	Bluffdale,	Tex.
Long, Abe	Zephyr,	Tex.	Sweet, E. M.	San Angelo,	Tex.
Lloyd, E. L.	Cisco,	Tex.	Swinney, O. C.	Grapevine,	Tex.
Luker, J. F.	Valley Mills,	Tex.	Thompson, Sam G.	Brownwood,	Tex.
Macune, C. W.	Hillsboro,	Tex.	Tooley, R. J.	Weatherford,	Tex.
Major, M. H.	Polytechnic,	Tex.	Turner, M. A.	Granger,	Tex.
Matthews, W. H.	Corsicana,	Tex.	Turner, O. B.	Thornton,	Tex.
Maxwell, E. J.	Kennedale,	Tex.	Turney, A. E.	Hutto,	Tex.
Mayhew, J. C.	Bradshaw,	Tex.	Tyson, J. F.	Salado,	Tex.
Mayhew, W. J.	Lorena,	Tex.	Van Zandt, K. S.	Gordon,	Tex.
McAfee, J. U.	Barry,	Tex.	Vaughan, M. J.	Tolar,	Tex.
McCain, J. N.	Weatherford,	Tex.	Vaughan, S. J.	Dublin,	Tex.
McCarter, J. M.	Waco,	Tex.	Vaughan, W. H.	San Antonio,	Tex.
McCullough, W. S. P.	Moody,	Tex.	Vaughn, W. B.	Olney,	Tex.
McGehee, F. L.	Weatherford,	Tex.	Vincent, H. L.	Clifton,	Tex.
McGuire, D. A.	Waco,	Tex.	Vincent, J. N.	Burleson,	Tex.
McSwain, R. B.	San Angelo,	Tex.	Vinsant, W.	Bosqueville,	Tex.
Meadow, F. L.	Glen Rose,	Tex.	Waddill, F. O.	Oglesby,	Tex.
Millis, V. J.	Houston,	Tex.	Wagner, B. R.	Waxahachie,	Tex.
Mimms, J. C.	Midlothian,	Tex.	Walker, J. E.	Groman,	Tex.
Mitchell, G. G.	Britton,	Tex.	Walker, J. H.	Whitney,	Tex.
Monk, Alonzo, Jr.	Gatesville,	Tex.	Walker, R. A.	Temple,	Tex.
Moore, Franklin	Italy,	Tex.	Watford, A. E.	Joshua,	Tex.
Moore, Warner	Waxahachie,	Tex.	Webb, Atticus	Fort Worth,	Tex.
Morphis, M. M.	R. 4, West,	Tex.	Webb, L. A.	Weatherford,	Tex.
Morris, W. J.	Kirk,	Tex.	Wellborne, R. W.	Novice,	Tex.
Morris, J. R.	Waco,	Tex.	White, L. G.	Comanche,	Tex.
Morton, C. N.	Blooming Grove,	Tex.	Whitehurst, J. A.	Waco,	Tex.
Morton, O. A.	Graford,	Tex.	Whitley, W. J.	Fairy,	Tex.
Moss, W. W.	Weatherford,	Tex.	Wilkins, C. E.	Eastland,	Tex.
Munger, H. L.	Waco,	Tex.	Williams, C. V.	May,	Tex.
Mussett, J. P.	Polytechnic,	Tex.	Williams, E. P.	Cisco,	Tex.
Nation, R. W.	Rice,	Tex.	Wilson, Guy H.	Gustine,	Tex.
Neal, John F.	Con Can,	Tex.	Wilson, W. B.	Dallas,	Tex.
Neal, J. M.	McGregor,	Tex.	Winburn, F. M.	San Antonio,	Tex.
Neil, W. A.	Bunyan,	Tex.	Winfield, G. F.	Meridian,	Tex.

Wisdom, E. M..... Rising Star, Tex.  
 Wright, C. R..... Fort Worth, Tex.  
 Wynne, J. M..... Meridian, Tex.  
 Young, J. D..... Polytechnic, Tex.  
 Young, R. B..... Comanche, Tex.

## ON TRIAL—FIRST YEAR.

Adams, Silas Walter..... Robert Lee, Tex.  
 Anderson, William Edward..Romney, Tex.  
 Chisholm, D. A..... Huckabay, Tex.  
 Chunn, Fred L..... Millsap, Tex.  
 Chunn, Joseph L..... Eliasville, Tex.  
 Cole, William Hugh..... Riesel, Tex.  
 Dow, Victor D..... Loving, Tex.  
 Lundy, Albert Richard..... Horn Hill, Tex.  
 Nichols, H. Arthur..... Iredell, Tex.  
 Reed, Edgar Alfred..... Granbury, Tex.  
 Scarlett, Edgar M..... Olney, Tex.  
 Smith, Cluster Q..... Fort Worth, Tex.  
 Stamps, Thomas Gordon... Meridian, Tex.  
 Watkins, James Throop..... Carbon, Tex.

## SECOND YEAR.

Boone, M. L..... Breckenridge, Tex.  
 Connell, W. L..... Nolanville, Tex.  
 Davis, C. O..... Fort Worth, Tex.  
 Leach, L. P..... Kirvin, Tex.  
 Oliver, J. L..... Graham, Tex.  
 Whitley, W. J..... Fairy, Tex.

## THIRD YEAR.

Cosgrove, A. D..... Gatesville, Tex.  
 Evans, L. L..... Lufkin, Tex.  
 Gates, P. H..... Wingate, Tex.  
 Gilleland, W. B..... Meridian, Tex.  
 Gilmore, S. P..... Sipe Springs, Tex.  
 Hays, J. M..... Munger, Tex.  
 Hooper, R. B..... Corsicana, Tex.  
 Mayhew, J. C..... Bradshaw, Tex.  
 Mitchell, G. G..... Britton, Tex.

## FOURTH YEAR.

Bell, C. F..... Springtown, Tex.  
 Boulware, W. T..... Emmett, Tex.  
 Brockett, C. T..... Meridian, Tex.  
 Burton, T. H..... Big Hill, Tex.  
 Crabtree, Elmer..... Bristol, Tex.  
 Ellis, T. D..... Novice, Tex.  
 Gwaltney, W. G..... Coryell, Tex.  
 Hightower, C. O..... Staff, Tex.  
 Layne, P. W..... Eolian, Tex.  
 Patterson, J. Fred..... Weatherford, Tex.  
 Poteet, Horace..... Evant, Tex.  
 Ramsey, J. D..... Norton, Tex.  
 Sorrells, T. L..... Irene, Tex.  
 Story, T. G..... Bluffdale, Tex.  
 Wilson, Guy H..... Gustine, Tex.

## SUPPLIES.

Anderson, W. M..... Saginaw, Tex.  
 Boyd, W. L..... Cisco, Tex.  
 Cantrell, Edward..... Whitney, Tex.  
 Ferguson, J. T..... Oenaville, Tex.  
 Franklin, A. W..... Stephenville, Tex.  
 Gladney, P. M..... Killeen, Tex.  
 Huckabee, I. T..... Palo Pinto, Tex.  
 Hudnall, W. E..... Proctor, Tex.  
 Kursell, J. D..... Thrall, Tex.

## China Mission Conference.

No List furnished.

## Columbia Conference.

Branham, H. M..... Medford, Ore.  
 Cheek, S. M..... Corvallis, Ore.  
 Cleaves, C. H..... Corvallis, Ore.  
 Coan, J. B..... Roseburg, Ore.  
 Cross, C. U..... Williams, Ore.  
 Fenton, W. J..... Portland, Ore.

Goulder, W. T..... Tangent, Ore.  
 Hughes, I. N..... Junction City, Ore.  
 Kirk, C. E..... Medford, Ore.  
 Knight, C. M..... Shedd, Ore.  
 Law, H. M..... Coquille, Ore.  
 Lyon, W. N..... Marshfield, Ore.  
 Moses, P. A..... Corvallis, Ore.  
 Omann, E. F..... Bandon, Ore.  
 Rexroad, C. A..... Harrisburg, Ore.  
 Starmer, A. J..... Albany, Ore.  
 Sutton, Frank..... Alsea, Ore.  
 Taggart, G. A..... Harrisburg, Ore.  
 Walbeck, J. E..... Myrtle Creek, Ore.

## Congo Mission.

Anker, H. P..... Wembo Niama, Africa  
 Mumpower, D. L..... Wembo Niama, Africa  
 Reeve, Thomas E..... Wembo Niama, Africa  
 Stiltz, E. B..... Wembo Niama, Africa  
 Stockwell, John A. (on leave).  
 Lake Charles, La.

## Cuba Mission.

## MISSIONARIES.

Bardwell, H. B..... Puentes Grandes, Cuba  
 Caperton, J. F..... Preston, Cuba  
 Clements, E. E..... Havana, Cuba  
 Cowan, H. G..... La Gloria, Cuba  
 Elkins, J. C..... Santa Clara, Cuba  
 Gilbert, B. F..... Havana, Cuba  
 Hill, B. O..... Camaguey, Cuba  
 Hopkins, O. K..... Santiago de Cuba  
 Lancaster, J. P..... Havana, Cuba  
 Moore, A. H., Jr..... Omaja, Cuba  
 Mullen, W. M..... Guantanamo, Cuba  
 Naylor, G. D..... Barbara, Isle of Pines  
 Neblett, S. A..... Matanzas, Cuba  
 Parker, R. J..... Cienfuegos, Cuba  
 Robinson, L. H..... Puentes Grandes, Cuba  
 Smith, Henry..... Pinar del Rio  
 Stewart, M. M..... Sta. Fe, Isle of Pines  
 Whitehead, R. L..... Cardenas, Cuba

## NATIVE PREACHERS.

Alonso, L..... Havana, Cuba  
 Castells, F..... Nuevitas, Cuba  
 Galvez, J. F..... Mayari, Cuba  
 Gonzales, I..... Matanzas, Cuba  
 Guerra, P..... Holguin, Cuba  
 Lopez, P..... Sagua de Tanamo, Cuba  
 Losa, A..... Ranchuelo, Cuba  
 Munoz, J. G..... Jovellanos, Cuba  
 Nodal, A..... Aguada de Pasajeros, Cuba  
 Nogales, D. A..... Santiago de las Vegas, Cuba  
 Rodriguez, M..... Fomento, Cuba  
 Santoyo, R..... Santiago de Cuba, Cuba  
 Valdes, E..... Camaguey, Cuba  
 Verdecla, L..... Puentes Grandes, Cuba  
 Vidaurreta, M. A..... Colon, Cuba

## LOCAL PREACHERS.

Abreu, Antonio G..... Cienfuegos, Cuba  
 Albaladejo, Luis..... Caraballo, Cuba  
 Alvarez, Guillermo..... Santiago de Cuba  
 Board, J. G..... Puentes Grandes, Cuba  
 Talavera, Marcelino..... Havana, Cuba

## Denver Conference.

Bond, Fred..... Marvel, Colo.  
 Bundy, D. E..... Trinidad, Colo.  
 Chambers, R. S..... Aztec, N. Mex.  
 Coberly, C. S..... Walsenburg, Colo.  
 Cox, John..... Mancos, Colo.  
 Dickenson, R. E..... Colorado Springs, Colo.  
 Ellis, G. W..... La Veta, Colo.  
 Evans, A. N..... Denver, Colo.  
 Glazier, J. M..... Durango, Colo.  
 Hall, C. W..... Rye, Colo.  
 Kern, J. H..... Saguache, Colo.

Lewis, J. A. .... Carpenteria, Cal.  
McKee, J. A. .... Pueblo, Colo.  
Miller, W. H. .... Flora Vista, N. Mex.  
Slipher, D. I. .... Gardner, Colo.  
Wheeler, T. S. .... Farmington, N. Mex.

**East Columbia Conference.**

Canfield, F. M. .... Juliaetta, Idaho  
Conner, E. J. .... Lapwai, Idaho  
Crooks, J. D. .... R. F. D., Clinton, Ky.  
De Partee, J. N. .... Lapwai, Idaho  
Dills, J. H. .... Wheeler, Wash.  
Downs, F. A. .... Milton, Ore.  
Forbis, W. G. .... Oakesdale, Wash.  
Gibbs, G. H. .... R. F. D., Juliaetta, Idaho  
Gritton, E. L. .... R. F. D., Baker City, Ore.  
Hall, J. A. .... Leland, Idaho  
Howard, C. R. .... Walla Walla, Wash.  
Hoyle, J. M. L. .... Bolivar, Mo.  
Kincaid, J. H. .... R. F. D., Troy, Idaho  
Lewelling, R. H. .... Heppner, Ore.  
Lumper, J. H. .... R. F. D., Boise, Idaho  
Maxwell, S. J. .... Lapwai, Idaho  
Naylor, E. R. .... Milton, Ore.  
Nolen, M. T. .... Spokane, Wash.  
Powell, S. E. .... Troy, Idaho  
Reese, W. B. .... Gilbert, Idaho  
Roberts, S. M. .... La Grande, Ore.  
Rogers, S. G. .... Spokane, Wash.  
Shangle, H. S. .... Milton, Ore.  
Sims, C. R. .... Milton, Ore.  
Skeen, David. .... Gilbert, Idaho  
Smith, W. B. .... Weston, Ore.  
Spencer, John. .... Culdesac, Idaho  
Taber, C. J. .... Govan, Wash.  
Taber, Lester E. .... Peach, Wash.  
Tabor, S. B. .... R. F. D. 2, Baker City, Ore.  
Thomas, Arthur. .... Richland, Ore.  
Thoroughman, A. L. .... Walla Walla, Wash.  
Turner, J. M. .... Salem, Ore.  
Wood, N. D. .... Redmond, Ore.

**East Oklahoma Conference.**

Abernathy, J. R. .... Okmulgee, Okla.  
Adams, O. L. .... Beggs, Okla.  
Alexander, R. C. .... Hugo, Okla.  
Anderson, K. K. .... Fairland, Okla.  
Anderson, Zadoc. .... Idabel, Okla.  
Armstrong, W. W. .... Sapulpa, Okla.  
Aston, D. H. .... Holdenville, Okla.  
Atkins, P. C. .... Porter, Okla.  
Avery, A. N. .... Fort Towson, Okla.  
Babcock, S. H. .... Durant, Okla.  
Ball, J. H. .... Tulsa, Okla.  
Barton, L. S. .... Tulsa, Okla.  
Belcher, A. M. .... Afton, Okla.  
Blackburn, R. T. .... Hugo, Okla.  
Blackburn, W. L. .... Checotah, Okla.  
Blackwell, J. B. .... Calvin, Okla.  
Breeze, H. T. .... Caney, Okla.  
Brewer, T. F. .... Eufaula, Okla.  
Brown, J. L. .... Vian, Okla.  
Brooks, C. L. .... Shawnee, Okla.  
Broome, W. L. .... Bristow, Okla.  
Bryce, J. Y. .... Wauparucka, Okla.  
Buchanan, C. H. .... Henryetta, Okla.  
Byers, G. M. .... Broken Bow, Okla.  
Cameron, A. S. .... Idabel, Okla.  
Campbell, E. T. .... Holdenville, Okla.  
Cantrell, J. M. .... Vinita, Okla.  
Cassidy, M. A. .... Ada, Okla.  
Chambers, S. F. .... Aztec, N. Mex.  
Checote, S. J. .... Okmulgee, Okla.  
Clark, C. A. .... Caddo, Okla.  
Clarke, H. P. .... Tulsa, Okla.  
Clay, C. W. .... Madill, Okla.  
Cobb, L. W. .... Hugo, Okla.  
Cooper, J. C. .... Fort Gibson, Okla.  
Craig, L. C. .... Spiro, Okla.  
Creasy, E. H. .... Stuart, Okla.  
Cross, C. B. .... Muskogee, Okla.

Crow, G. L. .... Dustin, Okla.  
Crowson, J. C. .... Tecumseh, Okla.  
Crutchfield, W. M. .... Ada, Okla.  
Cunningham, J. D. .... Boynton, Okla.  
Curry, J. C. .... Stigler, Okla.  
Daly, L. M. .... Konowa, Okla.  
Darrow, H. E. .... Antlers, Okla.  
Dawson, D. A. .... Okemah, Okla.  
Derrick, W. S. .... Madill, Okla.  
Dunn, M. M. .... Grant, Okla.  
Dupree, A. M. .... Broken Arrow, Okla.  
Dupree, M. M. .... Calvin, Okla.  
Durant, Griggs. ....  
Eaglebarger, P. R. .... Little Rock, Okla.  
Edwards, J. D. .... Wagoner, Okla.  
Ellis, L. B. .... Wagoner, Okla.  
Fontaine, O. C. .... Durant, Okla.  
Fowler, J. C. .... Welch, Okla.  
Frazier, James G. ....  
Frazier, W. A. .... Muskogee, Okla.  
French, W. L. .... R. 6, Shawnee, Okla.  
Garrison, W. E. .... Tishomingo, Okla.  
Geddie, D. M. .... Woodville, Okla.  
Goforth, A. N. ....  
Grayson, Gibson. .... Cornerville, Okla.  
Gregory, N. G. ....  
Grimes, J. A. .... Quinton, Okla.  
Griner, G. W. .... Atoka, Okla.  
Grose, W. M. .... Valliant, Okla.  
Gross, T. J. .... Fort Towson, Okla.  
Hamilton, M. C. .... Poteau, Okla.  
Hardin, J. R. .... Stroud, Okla.  
Harkins, T. A. .... Pryor, Okla.  
Harris, New. .... Muskogee, Okla.  
Haun, I. R. .... Howe, Okla.  
Hays, M. C. .... Miami, Okla.  
Hickman, R. E. .... Lebanon, Okla.  
Hill, R. M. C. .... Hartshorne, Okla.  
Hill, William. .... Wewoka, Okla.  
Hively, J. M. .... Garvin, Okla.  
Holcomb, S. S. .... Ada, Okla.  
Holley, G. E. .... Evansville, Ind.  
Houghton, T. R. .... Centralia, Okla.  
House, W. C. .... Heavener, Okla.  
Hunkapillar, A. B. L. .... Bennington, Okla.  
Ishcomer, L. N. ....  
Johnson, A. P. .... Madill, Okla.  
Johnson, J. S. .... Inola, Okla.  
Keith, C. M. .... Welch, Okla.  
Kenney, J. A. .... Salisaw, Okla.  
Lambert, James. .... Choteau, Okla.  
Law, L. P. .... Siloam Springs, Ark.  
Lee, W. S. .... Asher, Okla.  
Lewis, W. A. .... Colbert, Okla.  
Lilly, L. C. .... Coalgate, Okla.  
Linebaugh, N. L. .... Vinita, Okla.  
Martin, G. W. .... Allen, Okla.  
McConnell, J. E. .... Durant, Okla.  
McKinney, M. B. .... Stonewall, Okla.  
Miller, A. K. .... Canadian, Okla.  
Minnis, T. J. .... Adair, Okla.  
Moore, T. M. .... Muldrow, Okla.  
Morris, H. R. .... Wister, Okla.  
Myatt, C. W. .... Coweta, Okla.  
Naylor, Frank. .... McAlester, Okla.  
Nunley, S. C. .... Claremore, Okla.  
Parks, J. A. .... McAlester, Okla.  
Peterson, J. M. .... McAlester, Okla.  
Pickens, A. C. .... Durant, Okla.  
Pipkin, W. P. .... Antlers, Okla.  
Porter, T. L. .... Grove, Okla.  
Puckett, A. A. .... Boswell, Okla.  
Ready, W. T. .... Wilburton, Okla.  
Richie, J. B. .... Canadian, Okla.  
Roberts, T. F. .... Wewoka, Okla.  
Rogers, J. D. .... Stonewall, Okla.  
Rogers, J. H. .... Chelsea, Okla.  
Rogers, J. W. .... Tahlequah, Okla.  
Rosser, W. R. .... Talihina, Okla.  
Russell, J. M. .... Adair, Okla.  
Scruggs, H. B. .... Salisaw, Okla.  
Seay, Frank. .... Dallas, Tex.  
Shanks, F. E. .... Hydro, Okla.



Shanks, T. O. .... Kiowa, Okla.  
 Shay, Orlando. .... Keota, Okla.  
 Sims, M. L. .... Kingston, Okla.  
 Smith, W. H. .... Pontotoc, Okla.  
 Snell, O. S. .... Milburn, Okla.  
 Stegall, B. F. .... Ada, Okla.  
 Stewart, R. O. .... Weleetka, Okla.  
 Stratton, T. S. .... Roff, Okla.  
 Sturgeon, Miles. .... Kanima, Okla.  
 Swimme, S. X. .... Oklahoma City, Okla.  
 Taylor, R. C. .... Muskogee, Okla.  
 Thompson, J. F. .... Tahlequah, Okla.  
 Tiger, J. E. .... Wetumka, Okla.  
 Townsend, E. A. .... Wetumka, Okla.  
 Turner, J. T. .... Blue Jacket, Okla.  
 Turner, T. P. .... Shawnee, Okla.  
 Vick, J. E. .... Bristow, Okla.  
 White, A. G. .... Henryetta, Okla.  
 White, J. W. .... Stilwell, Okla.  
 Williams, A. S. .... Chickasaw, Okla.  
 Williams, B. L. .... Seminole, Okla.  
 Williams, D. A. .... Haskell, Okla.  
 Williams, W. W. .... McCloud, Okla.  
 Wininger, E. H. .... Westville, Okla.  
 Winn, A. T. .... Holdenville, Okla.

## PREACHERS ON TRIAL.

Atkins, J. P. .... Porum, Okla.  
 Broome, C. P. .... Maud, Okla.  
 Butler, J. P. .... Kansas, Okla.  
 Dunaway, M. W. .... Warner, Okla.  
 Hollin, C. B. .... Ravia, Okla.  
 Palmer, J. P. .... Park Hill, Okla.  
 Peak, N. T. .... Davenport, Okla.  
 Rockett, W. E. .... Cameron, Okla.  
 Ryan, G. E. .... Depew, Okla.

## Florida Conference.

## SUPERANNUATES.

Armistead, Thomas S. .... Bowling Green, Fla.  
 Brooke, J. S. .... Delray, Fla.  
 Coleman, J. T. .... Tampa, Fla.  
 Collier, Junius S. .... Tampa, Fla.  
 Dominguez, M. .... Tampa, Fla.  
 Frazee, Henry B. .... Jacksonville, Fla.  
 Gates, E. F. .... Manatee, Fla.  
 Gray, W. J. .... Hinson, Fla.  
 Honiker, R. L. .... Tampa, Fla.  
 Mason, B. F. .... Gainesville, Fla.  
 Miller, H. S. .... Lake Butler, Fla.  
 Pasco, Frederick. .... Jacksonville, Fla.  
 Penny, G. P. .... Quincy, Fla.  
 Scott, S. .... Brooksville, Fla.  
 Shoemaker, W. F. .... Demorest, Ga.  
 Steinmeyer, W. H. .... Lakeland, Fla.  
 Sumner, R. L. .... Maitland, Fla.  
 Switzer, D. Lee. .... Chattahoochee, Fla.  
 Waters, John T. .... Muncie, Ind.  
 Wells, R. J. .... Largo, Fla.  
 Yeats, J. L. .... Bartow, Fla.

## SUPERNUMERARY.

Allen, W. F. .... Titusville, Fla.

## EFFECTIVES.

Adams, T. R. .... Madison, Fla.  
 Alderman, R. H. .... Sutherland, Fla.  
 Austin, J. W. .... Bowling Green, Fla.  
 Barnett, R. H. .... Clearwater, Fla.  
 Barnett, R. Ira. .... Ocala, Fla.  
 Barr, T. L. Z. .... Starke, Fla.  
 Beers, John. .... Tampa, Fla.  
 Bell, J. F. .... Jacksonville, Fla.  
 Bell, M. T. .... Rochelle, Fla.  
 Belt, I. M. .... Havana, Fla.  
 Blackburn, C. F. .... Madison, Fla.  
 Bourn, B. D. .... Titusville, Fla.  
 Brantley, W. T. .... Apalachicola, Fla.  
 Bray, J. F. .... Mayo, Fla.  
 Bridges, F. R. .... Bartow, Fla.  
 Broyles, L. M. .... Tampa, Fla.

Buhrman, W. P. .... Jacksonville, Fla.  
 Cameron, I. T. .... Tampa, Fla.  
 Carpenter, W. J. .... West Palm Beach, Fla.  
 Carrera, D. .... Key West, Fla.  
 Cason, J. R. .... Miami, Fla.  
 Cecil, C. C. .... Parri-h, Fla.  
 Cole, A. H. .... Dade City, Fla.  
 Cole, D. A. .... Zolfo, Fla.  
 Cooper, W. A. .... Tampa, Fla.  
 Chapman, J. S. .... Lake City, Fla.  
 Chapman, L. F. .... Fort Pierce, Fla.  
 Clark, J. F. .... Wellborn, Fla.  
 Crooke, C. W. .... Miami, Fla.  
 Crowson, F. L. .... Webster, Fla.  
 Daiger, A. M. .... Tarpon Springs, Fla.  
 Daniel, J. H. .... Stuart, Fla.  
 Davis, G. A. .... McClenny, Fla.  
 Davis, H. G. .... Quincy, Fla.  
 Denton, E. K. .... Bronson, Fla.  
 Dieffenwierth, D. D. .... Callahan, Fla.  
 Diggs, J. C. .... Phoenix Park, Fla.  
 Dunkle, W. F. .... St. Petersburg, Fla.  
 Durrance, J. P. .... Crystal River, Fla.  
 Dutil, H. .... Umatilla, Fla.  
 Eads, F. M. C. .... Miakka, Fla.  
 Evans, W. R. .... Largo, Fla.  
 Fischer, W. A. .... Chattahoochee, Fla.  
 Fletcher, W. G. .... Homestead, Fla.  
 Folsom, R. E. L. .... Safety Harbor, Fla.  
 Fountain, W. C. .... Port Tampa City, Fla.  
 Funk, W. H. .... Leesburg, Fla.  
 Gaines, H. T. .... Jacksonville, Fla.  
 Galloway, A. T. .... Lawtey, Fla.  
 Gates, E. J. .... Monticello, Fla.  
 Gault, J. E. .... Dania, Fla.  
 Grady, S. .... Palatka, Fla.  
 Griffiths, J. L. .... Key West, Fla.  
 Gross, J. M. .... Ocala, Fla.  
 Guy, R. A. .... Williston, Fla.  
 Haeflinger, H. J. .... Mulberry, Fla.  
 Hardee, E. J. .... Bryceville, Fla.  
 Hardin, H. C. .... Winter Haven, Fla.  
 Hardin, Smith. .... Orlando, Fla.  
 Harris, H. F. .... Manatee, Fla.  
 Harrison, E. A. .... Lemon City, Fla.  
 Hartsfield, J. E. .... Haines City, Fla.  
 Henderson, G. S. .... Punta Gorda, Fla.  
 Hendrix, S. I. .... Middleburg, Fla.  
 Hendry, G. P. .... Waukeenhah, Fla.  
 Hendry, James A. .... Aucilla, Fla.  
 Hendry, John A. .... Palmetto, Fla.  
 Hilburn, J. P. .... Fort Myers, Fla.  
 Hobson, E. S. .... Melrose, Fla.  
 Hodnett, R. F. .... Plant City, Fla.  
 Honister, K. .... Alachua, Fla.  
 Hope, A. L. .... Hawthorne, Fla.  
 Housholder, A. E. .... Gainesville, Fla.  
 Inman, C. W. .... De Land, Fla.  
 Jenkins, I. C. .... Jacksonville, Fla.  
 Jones, J. C. .... St. Augustine, Fla.  
 Jones, J. J. .... Jacksonville, Fla.  
 Jones, W. F. .... Green Cove Springs, Fla.  
 Kendall, Paul. .... Lake Butler, Fla.  
 Kilgore, L. .... Key West, Fla.  
 Lantz, E. H. .... Seffner, Fla.  
 Lawler, S. W. .... Tallahassee, Fla.  
 Lewis, J. D. .... Tampa, Fla.  
 Ley, E. F. .... Fort Meade, Fla.  
 Ley, J. E. .... Orlando, Fla.  
 Logan, Holmes. .... Hinson, Fla.  
 Longacre, A. W. .... Sarasota, Fla.  
 Lord, M. M. .... Fenholloway, Fla.  
 Lowe, L. D. .... Lakeland, Fla.  
 Major, J. D. .... Lakeland, Fla.  
 Mann, A. M. .... Mayo, Fla.  
 Mathison, C. W. .... Brooksville, Fla.  
 McCall, A. C. .... La Belle, Fla.  
 Mickler, J. E. .... Gary, Fla.  
 Mitchell, J. B. .... Jacksonville, Fla.  
 Mitchell, J. T. .... Homeland, Fla.  
 Mood, R. E. .... Kingston, Fla.  
 Moon, J. Lawton. .... Sutherland, Fla.  
 Monroe, L. .... Delray, Fla.

Moore, L. W.....Live Oak, Fla.  
Murray, J. D.....Kathleen, Fla.  
Myres, W. A.....Tampa, Fla.  
Nease, W. J.....Inverness, Fla.  
Newkirk, W. H.....St. Augustine, Fla.  
Nixon, T. J.....Tampa, Fla.  
Norton, M. H.....Bartow, Fla.  
Norton, W. C.....Perry, Fla.  
Osier, L.....Tampa, Fla.  
Outland, M. H.....Fort White, Fla.  
Palmer, J. W.....Coleman, Fla.  
Partridge, H. E.....Citra, Fla.  
Patterson, F. J.....Cocoa, Fla.  
Patterson, I. S.....St. Augustine, Fla.  
Perez, Guillermo.....Tampa, Fla.  
Pixton, Fred.....Jacksonville, Fla.  
Poage, W. M.....Dade City, Fla.  
Rape, B. T.....Dunedin, Fla.  
Roberts, G. S.....Tallahassee, Fla.  
Roberts, I. B.....Higley, Fla.  
Roland, T. F.....Interlachen, Fla.  
Rooney, J. B.....Jacksonville, Fla.  
Saunders, C. A.....Anthony, Fla.  
Scott, G. F.....Arcadia, Fla.  
Seever, O. C.....Miami, Fla.  
Sheffer, B. F.....Trilby, Fla.  
Shepherd, J. E.....Reddick, Fla.  
Sibert, J. D.....Miami, Fla.  
Sistrunk, T. H.....White Springs, Fla.  
Smith, W. H.....Trenton, Fla.  
Sowell, R. A.....Bushnell, Fla.  
Spencer, H. A.....New Smyrna, Fla.  
Steenboch, H.....Apopka, Fla.  
Steinmeyer, F. E.....Sanford, Fla.  
Stephens, S. F.....Dunnellon, Fla.  
Strickland, W. G.....Chaires, Fla.  
Stubbs, G. W.....Winter Garden, Fla.  
Summers, C. H.....Kissimmee, Fla.  
Summers, G. E.....Atlanta, Ga.  
Sweat, D. B.....Wauchula, Fla.  
Taylor, J. W.....Wildwood, Fla.  
Tomkies, T. W.....Boca Grande, Fla.  
Thrower, B. K.....Tampa, Fla.  
Thrower, O. A.....Gainesville, Fla.  
Tresca, W. B.....Jasper, Fla.  
White, C. W.....Bradentown, Fla.  
Williams, R. M.....Fernandina, Fla.  
Williams, Thomas.....Micanopy, Fla.  
Wilson, J. Edgar.....Lakeland, Fla.  
Wilson, S. A.....Tampa, Fla.  
Woodward, J. E.....High Springs, Fla.  
York, C. F.....Nocatee, Fla.  
York, G. H.....Frostproof, Fla.

CLASSES—FIRST YEAR.

Bracco, John Joseph.....Seville, Fla.  
Carleton, Thomas Wright.....Ellenton, Fla.  
Cunill, Salvador P.....Tampa, Fla.  
Estevez, Ernesto.....Tampa, Fla.  
Fletcher, Paul A.....Greensboro, Fla.  
Hancock, Ansell Harry.....Bristol, Fla.  
Langford, Fred B.....Woodville, Fla.  
Owen, Homer Endon.....Fort Myers, Fla.  
Ramsey, Ralph Lloyd.....Bunnell, Fla.  
Reed, Jesse Blanton.....Marco, Fla.

SECOND YEAR.

Barrios, R. D.....Cuba  
Calhoun, Eugene C.....Hastings, Fla.  
Gutteridge, Charles E.....Oviedo, Fla.  
Hunter, James Legrand.....Sopchoppy, Fla.  
Mason, George.....Fort Lauderdale, Fla.  
Rice, Oscar E.....Alva, Fla.  
Rodgers, William C.....Columbia, Fla.

THIRD YEAR.

Carrera, Desiderio.....Key West, Fla.  
Castellanos, Nestor J.....Cuba  
Fountain, W. C.....Port Tampa City, Fla.  
Guy, Rembert Arthur.....Williston, Fla.  
Hartsfield, John Evans.....Haines City, Fla.

Hobson, Eber Stanley.....Melrose, Fla.  
McCall, Amos Cheshire.....La Belle, Fla.  
Seever, O. C.....Miami, Fla.  
Stephens, Sankey F.....Dunellon, Fla.  
Stubbs, G. W.....Winter Garden, Fla.

FOURTH YEAR.

Belt, Ira M.....Havana, Fla.  
Brantley, William T.....Apalachicola, Fla.  
Daniel, Joseph H.....Stuart, Fla.  
Gonzales, Ignacio.....Cuba  
Hendry, James A.....Ancilla, Fla.  
Hollister, Kinner.....Alachua, Fla.  
Lord, M. M.....Fenholloway, Fla.  
Monro, Livingston.....Delray, Fla.  
Steenboch, Hans.....Apopka, Fla.  
Sumner, R. L.....Maitland, Fla.  
Wilson, Shelby A.....Tampa, Fla.  
York, Charles F.....Nocatee, Fla.

SUPPLIES.

Bartlett, W. J.....Enterprise, Fla.  
Barton, Joseph.....Charlotte Harbor, Fla.  
Boan, F.....Key West, Fla.  
Boyd, H. B.....Sebastian, Fla.  
Cramer, C. W.....Crandall, Fla.  
Dupree, E. A.....Jennings, Fla.  
Herndon, G. C.....Maitland, Fla.  
Lewis, J. E.....Seminole, Fla.  
Reeves, G. D.....Loughman, Fla.  
Reina, A.....Tampa, Fla.  
Rosell, J.....Tampa, Fla.  
Selby, A. C.....Crescent City, Fla.  
Thompson, J. J.....Madison, Fla.  
Troutman, W. O.....Fort Green, Fla.  
Walker, J. R.....Espanola, Fla.  
Watkins, John.....Matcumbe, Fla.  
Weitman, S. F.....Live Oak, Fla.  
Wilcox, W. H.....Bartow, Fla.  
Windham, J. W.....Odessa, Fla.

German Mission Conference.

Benold, O. W.....East Bernard, Tex.  
Bode, E. W.....Georgetown, Tex.  
Buss, W. F.....R. 2, Paige, Tex.  
Gammenthaler, R.....Harper, Tex.  
Hardt, D. G.....San Antonio, Tex.  
Hensch, P. H.....Motor R. A., Hondo, Tex.  
Jordan, H.....Motor R. A., Hondo, Tex.  
Jordan, L. F.....Hondo, Tex.  
Koch, J. F.....Route 3, Seguin, Tex.  
Konken, E. A.....New Braunfels, Tex.  
Launch, H. O.....Maxwell, Tex.  
Lehmberg, C. A.....Cherokee, Tex.  
Moerner, R.....San Antonio, Tex.  
Muennink, G. W.....Houston, Tex.  
Mumme, F.....Kenedy, Tex.  
Rabe, J. A. G.....San Antonio, Tex.  
Radetzky, F. W.....Houston, Tex.  
Vetter, A. R.....Fredericksburg, Tex.  
Weise, H. W.....Castell, Tex.  
Wiemers, W. D.....Plehwerville, Tex.

Holston Conference.

Addington, E. L.....Radford, Va.  
Alexander, F.....Indian Springs, Tenn.  
Atkins, K. C.....Knoxville, Tenn.  
Austin, S. H.....Benham, Va.  
Bailey, W. E.....Morristown, Tenn.  
Ballard, R. H.....Tom's Creek, Va.  
Barnett, J. F.....Dayton, Tenn.  
Barnett, W. R.....Knoxville, Tenn.  
Baylor, J. A.....Knoxville, Tenn.  
Bays, J. C.....Valley Head, Ala.  
Beard, C. A.....Athens, Tenn.  
Beard, S. C.....Broad Ford, Va.  
Belchee, W. B.....Riner, Va.  
Benton, J. F.....Gary, W. Va.  
Bilderback, J. A.....Chattanooga, Tenn.  
Blake, Eugene.....R. F. D., Sweetwater, Tenn.

- Bourne, S. W. . . . . Eckman, W. Va.  
 Boyer, S. S. . . . . Lenoir City, Tenn.  
 Bowinan, J. Y. . . . . Concord, Tenn.  
 Bradshaw, H. E. . . . Powell's Station, Tenn.  
 Briggs, W. H. . . . . St. Elmo, Tenn.  
 Brooks, T. E. . . . . Winding Gulf, W. Va.  
 Brown, C. R. . . . . Tazewell, Va.  
 Brown, H. B. . . . . East Radford, Va.  
 Brown, J. R. . . . . Bramwell, W. Va.  
 Browning, J. W. . . . . Graham, Va.  
 Browning, S. L. . . . . Blountville, Tenn.  
 Browning, W. E. . . . . Bull's Gap, Tenn.  
 Buhrman, F. M. . . . . Cedar Bluff, Va.  
 Bunts, W. M. . . . . Williamson, W. Va.  
 Burriss, L. M. . . . . Bristol, Tenn.  
 Burrow, J. A. . . . . Knoxville, Tenn.  
 Byrd, S. K. . . . . Cumberland Gap, Tenn.  
 Camper, R. C. . . . . Rockwood, Tenn.  
 Carbaugh, W. R. . . . . Jonesville, Va.  
 Carden, W. C. . . . . Alton Park, Tenn.  
 Carico, M. P. . . . . Big Stone Gap, Va.  
 Carlock, L. L. H. . . . . Bristol, Tenn.  
 Carner, G. A. . . . . Princeton, W. Va.  
 Carnes, J. W. . . . . Fountain City, Tenn.  
 Carr, D. H. . . . . Athens, W. Va.  
 Carroll, C. T. . . . . Morristown, Tenn.  
 Carter, J. M. . . . . Knoxville, Tenn.  
 Cartright, L. M. . . . . Lenoir City, Tenn.  
 Cartright, N. R. . . . . Lebanon, Va.  
 Cash, J. I. . . . . Spring City, Tenn.  
 Cassidy, E. H. . . . . Abingdon, Va.  
 Catron, S. S. . . . . North Chattanooga, Tenn.  
 Clemens, H. C. . . . . Johnson City, Tenn.  
 Cobb, P. L. . . . . Fountain City, Tenn.  
 Cole, E. H. . . . . Graham, Va.  
 Cornett, J. C. . . . . Emory, Va.  
 Cox, K. W. . . . . Tazewell, Tenn.  
 Crockett, W. C. . . . . Bland, Va.  
 Crowe, J. M. . . . . Johnson City, Tenn.  
 Dame, J. D. . . . . Dickensonville, Va.  
 Dean, C. W. . . . . Wise, Va.  
 Delashmit, L. C. . . . . Portland, Ore.  
 Dykes, W. L. . . . . Andersonville, Tenn.  
 Early, J. A. . . . . Athens, Tenn.  
 Early, R. E. . . . . Appalachia, Va.  
 Ellis, W. M. . . . . Mechanicsburg, Va.  
 Ellison, J. A. . . . . Newport, Tenn.  
 Ely, J. B. . . . . Greeneville, Tenn.  
 Eskridge, T. J. . . . . Morristown, Tenn.  
 Evans, W. T. . . . . Evensville, Tenn.  
 Farmer, W. D. . . . . Jasper, Tenn.  
 Fisher, E. W. . . . . Coalwood, W. Va.  
 Fogleman, W. I. . . . . Johnson City, Tenn.  
 Frazier, J. B. . . . . Cavete, Philippine Islands  
 Frazier, J. T. . . . . Chilhowie, Va.  
 French, G. D. . . . . Morristown, Tenn.  
 French, J. S. . . . . Knoxville, Tenn.  
 Gannaway, G. O. . . . . Hixson, Tenn.  
 Gray, C. T. . . . . Dunlap, Tenn.  
 Greer, R. E. . . . . Glen Alum, W. Va.  
 Guy, J. T. . . . . Dublin, Va.  
 Hall, J. V. . . . . Wytheville, Va.  
 Hall, S. H. . . . . Bane, Va.  
 Hamilton, H. S. . . . . Sweetwater, Tenn.  
 Hamilton, T. S. . . . . Bluefield, W. Va.  
 Handy, T. R. . . . . Emory, Va.  
 Harlow, R. V. . . . . Radford, Va.  
 Havens, R. N. . . . . North Fork, W. Va.  
 Hawk, Carlock. . . . . La Follette, Tenn.  
 Haynes, L. K. . . . . Emory, Va.  
 Hearon, D. S. . . . . Harriman, Tenn.  
 Helvey, J. G. . . . . Grundy, Va.  
 Helvey, J. W. . . . . Grant, Va.  
 Henderson, J. A. . . . . Rising Fawn, Ga.  
 Hendricks, W. S. . . . . Etowah, Tenn.  
 Henley, J. S. . . . . Afton, Tenn.  
 Hicks, W. C. . . . . Morristown, Tenn.  
 Hicks, W. W. . . . . Coeburn, Va.  
 Hobbs, J. N. . . . . Morristown, Tenn.  
 Hodge, Walter. . . . . Cripple Creek, Va.  
 Holbrook, Z. D. . . . . Pocahontas, Va.  
 Hounshell, C. G. . . . . Nashville, Tenn.  
 Houts, T. J. . . . . Erwin, Tenn.  
 Hunter, A. B. . . . . Jefferson City, Tenn.  
 Hurley, D. P. . . . . Radford, Va.  
 Hutsell, H. S. . . . . Mountain City, Tenn.  
 Jackson, Frank. . . . . Marion, Va.  
 Jackson, G. W. . . . . Lenoir City, Tenn.  
 James, C. M. . . . . Mount Vernon, Tenn.  
 Johnston, H. S. . . . . Grant, Va.  
 Jones, C. R. . . . . Rossville, Ga.  
 Jones, J. F. . . . . Pearisburg, Va.  
 Jones, J. N. . . . . Madisonville, Tenn.  
 Jones, S. E. . . . . Stonega, Va.  
 Jordan, G. T. . . . . Elk Creek, Va.  
 Kahle, E. F. . . . . Abingdon, Va.  
 Kelley, C. W. . . . . Chattanooga, Tenn.  
 Kelly, R. A. . . . . Sweetwater, Tenn.  
 Kelso, H. E. . . . . Norton, Va.  
 Kennedy, C. N. . . . . Sand Lick, W. Va.  
 Kincaid, A. . . . . Chattanooga, Tenn.  
 King, J. R. . . . . Chilhowie, Va.  
 Lambert, G. L. . . . . Wytheville, Va.  
 Lambert, S. D. . . . . New River Depot, Va.  
 Lee, B. W. . . . . Knoxville, Tenn.  
 Logan, J. C. . . . . White Pine, Tenn.  
 Long, S. D. . . . . Abingdon, Va.  
 Lotspeich, J. H. . . . . Morristown, Tenn.  
 Lowry, J. E. . . . . R. D., Sweetwater, Tenn.  
 Lyons, J. A. . . . . Glade Spring, Va.  
 Lyons, W. S. . . . . Jenkins Jones, W. Va.  
 Maiden, G. A. . . . . Abingdon, Va.  
 Maiden, J. H. . . . . Glenford, Va.  
 Maness, J. C. . . . . Decatur, Ga.  
 Martin, I. P. . . . . Abingdon, Va.  
 Mayberry, L. D. . . . . Spring Valley, Va.  
 McCanless, S. A. . . . . Richlands, Va.  
 McConnell, E. L. . . . . Surgoinsville, Tenn.  
 McCracken, D. . . . . Surgoinsville, Tenn.  
 McDowell, R. T. . . . . Bristol, Tenn.  
 McGhee, S. A. . . . . Ducktown, Tenn.  
 McKay, G. G. . . . . La Follette, Tenn.  
 McPherson, S. T. M. . . . . Sugar Grove, Va.  
 Miles, D. T. . . . . Athens, W. Va.  
 Mitchell, W. D. . . . . Radford, Va.  
 Moore, A. B. . . . . Kingsport, Tenn.  
 Moore, J. W. . . . . Chattanooga, Tenn.  
 Morell, S. V. . . . . Belfast, Va.  
 Morrell, W. M. . . . . Bluefield, W. Va.  
 Morris, J. W. . . . . Pineville, W. Va.  
 Mort, E. W. . . . . Foster Falls, Va.  
 Mullens, J. L. . . . . Bristol, Tenn.  
 Munsey, I. N. . . . . Abingdon, Va.  
 Munsey, K. G. . . . . Limestone, Tenn.  
 Naff, J. E. . . . . Marion, Va.  
 Neblett, S. A. . . . . Matanzas, Cuba  
 Neel, J. S. W. . . . . Johnson City, Tenn.  
 Neel, L. M. . . . . Bloomingdale, Tenn.  
 Neighbors, W. S. . . . . Cleveland, Tenn.  
 Nuckolls, B. F. . . . . Galax, Va.  
 Orr, J. C. . . . . Bristol, Tenn.  
 Owen, R. A. . . . . Bluff City, Tenn.  
 Painter, C. E. . . . . Kimball, W. Va.  
 Pangle, C. A. . . . . Jefferson City, Tenn.  
 Parrott, J. H. . . . . Morristown, Tenn.  
 Patton, W. L. . . . . South Pittsburg, Tenn.  
 Patty, G. K. . . . . McDowell, W. Va.  
 Patty, W. M. . . . . Cedar Springs, Va.  
 Uaxton, J. M. . . . . Damascus, Va.  
 Perkins, J. A. L. . . . . Harriman, Tenn.  
 Perry, J. W. . . . . Morristown, Tenn.  
 Pierce, L. W. . . . . Welch, W. Va.  
 Platt, R. B., Jr. . . . . Tazewell, Va.  
 Prater, J. L. . . . . Glade Springs, Va.  
 Price, R. N. . . . . Morristown, Tenn.  
 Price, W. H. . . . . Bristol, Tenn.  
 Priddy, Thomas. . . . . Princeton, W. Va.  
 Qualls, A. M. . . . . Eggleston, Va.  
 Quessenberry. . . . . Princeton, W. Va.  
 Rader, J. W. . . . . Wytheville, Va.  
 Rector, G. C. . . . . Abingdon, Va.  
 Repass, J. W. . . . . Bristol, Tenn.  
 Reynolds, F. M. . . . . Andersonville, Tenn.  
 Reynolds, L. S. . . . . Knoxville, Tenn.  
 Reynolds, R. G. . . . . Sevierville, Tenn.  
 Ritchey, E. M. R. D., E. Chattanooga, Tenn.

Roach, E. R. . . . . East Lake, Tenn.  
 Romans, J. M. . . . . Marion, Va.  
 Schuler, T. C. . . . . Maryville, Tenn.  
 Scott, J. L. . . . . Knoxville, Tenn.  
 Sells, B. T. . . . . Oakvale, W. Va.  
 Shugart, E. A. . . . . Sweetwater, Tenn.  
 Shuler, J. A. H. . . . . Rural Retreat, Va.  
 Simpson, G. W. . . . . Jonesboro, Tenn.  
 Simpson, J. B. . . . . Keystone, W. Va.  
 Smith, Jacob. . . . . Wytheville, Va.  
 Smith, J. N. . . . . Clinchport, Va.  
 Smith, J. W. . . . . Chattanooga, Tenn.  
 Snively, F. R. . . . . Nickelsville, Va.  
 Snider, W. R. . . . . Chattanooga, Tenn.  
 Spring, J. E. . . . . Castlewood, Va.  
 Standefer, R. M. . . . . Pulaski, Va.  
 Steele, C. E. . . . . Blackford, Va.  
 Stevenson, M. A. . . . . Radford, Va.  
 Stewart, A. D. . . . . Dunlap, Tenn.  
 Stewart, J. W. . . . . Clintwood, Va.  
 Strader, T. D. . . . . Wytheville, Va.  
 Stradley, C. L. . . . . Decatur, Tenn.  
 Sullins, D. . . . . Birmingham, Ala.  
 Summers, G. W. . . . . Cleveland, Tenn.  
 Sutherland, R. K. . . . . Emory, Va.  
 Thomas, A. J. . . . . Charleston, Tenn.  
 Thompson, B. . . . . Cleveland, Tenn.  
 Thompson, W. C. . . . . Tazewell, Va.  
 Thorn, A. S. . . . . Athens, W. Va.  
 Towe, A. H. . . . . Honaker, Va.  
 Triplett, R. K. . . . . East Chattanooga, Tenn.  
 Troy, W. H. . . . . Pennington Gap, Va.  
 Umberger, J. H. . . . . Max Meadows, Va.  
 Umberger, R. S. . . . . Athens, W. Va.  
 Varner, C. H. . . . . Galax, Va.  
 Vaughan, C. L. . . . . Jonesville, Va.  
 Vaught, H. B. . . . . Bristol, Va.  
 Vaught, S. B. . . . . Johnson City, Tenn.  
 Wagner, G. S. . . . . Montgomery, Va.  
 Wagner, J. H. . . . . Philadelphia, Tenn.  
 Wagner, W. N. . . . . Big Stone Gap, Va.  
 Walker, J. M. . . . . Pikeville, Tenn.  
 Walker, J. R. . . . . Ceres, Va.  
 Walker, N. F. . . . . Johnson City, Tenn.  
 Walker, R. M. . . . . Louisville, Tenn.  
 Walker, W. H. . . . . Dot, Va.  
 Wampler, F. . . . . Kingsport, Tenn.  
 Ward, J. B. . . . . Chattanooga, Tenn.  
 Waterhouse, B. N. . . . . Twin Branch, W. Va.  
 Waters, B. . . . . Clinton, Tenn.  
 Watkins, J. H. . . . . R. 6, Knoxville, Tenn.  
 Watson, N. M. . . . . Chattanooga, Tenn.  
 Watts, R. W. . . . . Hillsville, Va.  
 Weaver, C. C. . . . . Emory, Va.  
 Wiley, E. E. . . . . Bluefield, W. Va.  
 Williams, L. J. . . . . Clinton, Tenn.  
 Wingo, C. K. . . . . Saltville, Va.  
 Wolfe, J. E. . . . . Tazewell, Va.  
 Wolfe, J. M. . . . . Dryden, Va.  
 Wolfe, T. R. . . . . Gate City, Va.  
 Woodward, E. N. . . . . Jonesville, Va.  
 Wright, O. C. . . . . Emory, Va.  
 Wyrick, D. F. . . . . Strawberry Plains, Tenn.  
 Wysor, J. M. . . . . Mannerling, W. Va.  
 Wysor, M. J. . . . . Greeneville, Tenn.  
 Yankee, E. H. . . . . Fountain City, Tenn.  
 Yost, L. D. . . . . Independence, Va.

PREACHERS ON TRIAL.

Bays, J. A. . . . . Fries, Va.  
 Booth, J. T. . . . . R. F. D., Sweetwater, Tenn.  
 Carlton, H. A. . . . . Spring City, Tenn.  
 Clark, J. J. . . . . Elizabethton, Tenn.  
 Dean, E. W. . . . . Church Hill, Tenn.  
 Dyer, H. S. . . . . Keywood, Va.  
 Emmett, G. C. . . . . Emory, Va.  
 Evans, R. L. . . . . Coal Creek, Tenn.  
 Fox, G. W. . . . . Mosheim, Tenn.  
 Harrison, W. H. . . . . Parrottsville, Tenn.  
 Jesse, E. C. . . . . Emory, Va.  
 Lewis, E. R. . . . . Sequatchie, Tenn.  
 Little, J. P. . . . . Kingsport, Tenn.  
 Lundy, C. L. . . . . Embreeville, Tenn.

Martin, P. P. . . . . Jonesboro, Tenn.  
 Morrison, R. E. . . . . Fall Branch, Tenn.  
 Peck, W. B. . . . . Cleveland, Tenn.  
 Shelton, F. B. . . . . Chattaroy, W. Va.  
 Suddath, F. K. . . . . Ridgedale, Tenn.  
 Tabor, P. P. . . . . Emory, Va.  
 Thirtle, John. . . . . Draper, Va.  
 Thomas, G. F. . . . . Jaeger, W. Va.  
 Witt, J. H. . . . . Riceville, Tenn.  
 Worley, E. D. . . . . Rogersville, Tenn.  
 Wright, C. H. . . . . Galax, Va.

SUPPLIES.

Baker, W. N. . . . . Fort Blakemore, Va.  
 Blankenbeckler, E. Z. . . . . Teas, Va.  
 Bowling, J. H. . . . . Wilder, Va.  
 Brooks, R. R. . . . . East Lake, Tenn.  
 Cannon, W. J. . . . . Mount Vernon, Tenn.  
 Carr, G. F. . . . . Knoxville, Tenn.  
 Cline, C. R. . . . . Tazewell, Tenn.  
 Craig, Ross. . . . . R. 3, Clinton, Tenn.  
 Fitch, B. W. . . . . Hitchkiss, W. Va.  
 Fogleman, J. E. . . . . R. 1, Charleston, Tenn.  
 Gentry, A. H. . . . . Rocky Gap, Va.  
 Gose, W. A. . . . . Maybuary, W. Va.  
 Graham, J. E. . . . . Maxwell, Va.  
 Graybeal, D. M. . . . . Damascus, Va.  
 Hall, C. B. . . . . Whiteside, Tenn.  
 Horner, P. H. . . . . Edgerton, W. Va.  
 Householder, O. E. . . . . Roseberry, Tenn.  
 Jennings, J. M. . . . . Matewan, W. Va.  
 Logan, O. H. . . . . Maryville, Tenn.  
 Mathes, A. H. . . . . Lookout Mountain, Tenn.  
 Mayberry, Z. T. . . . . Lerona, W. Va.  
 McCormick, W. A. . . . . Big Sandy, W. Va.  
 Miller, W. R. . . . . Tacoma, Va.  
 Moneyhun, N. M. . . . . Eidson, Tenn.  
 Neal, W. R. . . . . Thacker Mines, W. Va.  
 Parks, R. L. . . . . Willis, Va.  
 Pressly, G. W. . . . . Wyco, W. Va.  
 Roby, W. T. . . . . Mascot, Tenn.  
 Shrewsbury, M. C. . . . . Lerona, W. Va.  
 Smith, D. L. . . . . Stone, Ky.  
 Smith, E. G. . . . . Kegley, W. Va.  
 Spitzer, J. D. . . . . Matoaka, W. Va.  
 Tate, W. L. . . . . R. F. D., Sweetwater, Tenn.  
 Thomas, C. L. . . . . Knoxville, Tenn.  
 Vernon, W. L. . . . . Berwind, W. Va.  
 Wall, Z. A. . . . . Ceres, Va.  
 Warner, W. A. . . . . Floyd, Va.  
 White, W. Austin. . . . . Tazewell, Tenn.  
 Williams, C. H. . . . . Knoxville, Tenn.  
 Williams, C. W. . . . . Rutledge, Tenn.  
 Wise, B. C. . . . . Whitewood, Va.  
 Wright, J. D. . . . . Mullens, W. Va.

Illinois Conference.

Ashby, D. W. . . . . De Soto, Ill.  
 Atkins, W. F. . . . . Oraville, Ill.  
 Ballarby, T. H. . . . . Rushville, Ill.  
 Baker, L. S. . . . . Wilmore, Ky.  
 Blaylock, W. D. . . . .  
 Cox, M. A. . . . . Murphysboro, Ill.  
 Garrett, J. E. . . . . Murphysboro, Ill.  
 Graham, W. T. . . . . Baldwin, Ill.  
 Green, G. W. . . . . Henton, Ill.  
 Groves, Earl. . . . . Cambria, Ill.  
 Hallam, A. O. . . . . Galatia, Ill.  
 Hicks, A. N. . . . . Pulaski, Ill.  
 Hocker, A. D. . . . . Salem, Ill.  
 Henley, Curwen. . . . . Cairo, Ill.  
 Humphrey, W. D. . . . . Waverly, Ill.  
 Jones, J. C. . . . . Marion, Ill.  
 Kirkman, J. A. . . . . Nashville, Ill.  
 Lamp, W. E. . . . . Worden, Ill.  
 Lindsey, C. W. . . . .  
 Mathis, G. A. . . . . Casey, Ill.  
 Mathis, W. T. . . . . Waverly, Ill.  
 Murphy, H. . . . . Marietta, Ill.  
 Norris, N. R. . . . . Clay City, Ill.  
 Sherman, G. B. . . . . Odin, Ill.

Simpson, L. B.....Xenia, Ill.  
 Smith, C. S.....Kinmundy, Ill.  
 Smith, J. T.....Tioga, Ill.  
 Stickney, A. M.....Terre Haute, Ind.  
 Sweitzer, O. H.....Centralia, Ill.  
 Thomas, A. E.....De Soto, Ill.  
 Watts, R. J.....Girard, Ill.  
 Wilcox, W. S.....Stonefort, Ill.  
 Williams, J. W.....Cairo, Ill.  
 Wise, J. A.....Vienna, Ill.  
 Wright, W. S.....Mount Sterling, Ill.

## UNDERGRADUATES.

Alberts, J. A.....Du Quoin, Ill.  
 Conant, George.....Wilmore, Ky.  
 Davis, H. W.....Clarksdale, Ill.  
 Dean, Ralph.....Marietta, Ill.  
 Phillips, Angus.....Moccasin, Ill.  
 Phillips, Earl.....Dennison, Ill.  
 Phillips, R. H.....Odin, Ill.  
 Phillips, Ross.....Dix, Ill.  
 Simmons, W. D.....Patoka, Ill.

## SUPPLIES.

Birdwell, O. C.....Grand Tower, Ill.  
 Dinwiddie, T. G.....Sherman, Ill.  
 Miller, C. T.....Murphysboro, Ill.  
 Lawrence, L. F.....El Dara, Ill.

## Japan Mission.

Callahan, W. J.....Beppu, Japan  
 Davis, W. A.....Kwansei Gakuin, Kobe, Japan  
 Demaree, T. W. B.....Winchester, Ky., U. S. A.  
 Frank, J. W.....Nakatsu, Buzen, Japan  
 Haden, T. H.....Kwansei Gakuin, Kobe, Japan  
 Hager, S. E.  
     135½ Shichome, Kitano Cho, Kobe, Japan  
 Jones, H. P.  
     53 Kami Nagarekawa Cho, Hiroshima,  
     Japan.  
 Matthews, W. K.  
     Kwansei Gakuin, Kobe, Japan  
 Meyers, J. T.  
     133 Kami Nobori Cho, Hiroshima, Japan  
 Newton, J. C. C.  
     Kwansei Gakuin, Kobe, Japan  
 Ogburn, N. S.....Matsuyama, Iyo, Japan  
 Oxford, James S.  
     23 Shichome, Kitanagasa Dori, Kobe, Japan  
 Sims, J. G.....Kwansei Gakuin, Kobe, Japan  
 Stewart, R. S.  
     65 Miyashita Cho, Sugamo, Koishikawa,  
     Tokyo, Japan.  
 Stewart, S. A.  
     Sosui Hama, Hiromichi Nishi, Kyoto, Japan  
 Wainright, S. H....8 Tsukiji, Tokyo, Japan  
 Weakley, W. R.  
     14 Kawaguchi Cho, Osaka, Japan  
 Wilson, W. A.....Okayama, Japan

## Kentucky Conference.

Adams, P. F.....Chaplin, Ky.  
 Allen, Edward.....Bedford, Ky.  
 Allison, L. T.....Campton, Ky.  
 Armitage, E. M.....Quicksand, Ky.  
 Arnold, E. K.....La Grange, Ky.  
 Arnold, S. A.....Wilmore, Ky.  
 Arnold, W. E.....Fort Thomas, Ky.  
 Baird, R. B.....Alexandria, Ky.  
 Banks, G. W.....Winchester, Ky.  
 Barker, T. W.....Brooksville, Ky.  
 Beck, B. O.....New Castle, Ky.  
 Bedinger, D. E.....Walton, Ky.  
 Bohon, C. L.....Versailles, Ky.  
 Bonny, Hubert.....Waco, Ky.  
 Boswell, G. W.....Winchester, Ky.  
 Bradley, S. J.....Butler, Ky.  
 Buffington, G. N.....Erlanger, Ky.  
 Bush, R. N.....Salvisa, Ky.  
 Byrd, W. L.....Hindman, Ky.

Cameron, G. E.....Lexington, Ky.  
 Campbell, W. B.....Maysville, Ky.  
 Carter, J. W.....Irvine, Ky.  
 Caswell, C. H.....R. D. 3, Paris, Ky.  
 Caton, E. T.....Lynchburg, Va.  
 Chandler, M. T.....Richmond, Ky.  
 Chandler, O. J.....Asheville, N. C.  
 Chesnut, C. F.....London, Ky.  
 Clark, J. L.....Winchester, Ky.  
 Clark, M. S.....Harrodsburg, Ky.  
 Clark, W. L.....Somerset, Ky.  
 Coleman, R. E.....Visalia, Ky.  
 Combs, G. R.....Lexington, Ky.  
 Cosby, B. F.....Butler, Ky.  
 Cox, A. G.....Flemingsburg, Ky.  
 Cram, W. G.....Songo, Korea  
 Crates, J. W.....Carlisle, Ky.  
 Criswell, R. M.....Ghent, Ky.  
 Crockett, O. B.....Shelbyville, Ky.  
 Cropper, W. V.....Campbellsburg, Ky.  
 Crutchfield, G. W.....Jackson, Ky.  
 Crutchfield, James.....Carrollton, Ky.  
 Cummins, H. V.....Whitley City, Ky.  
 Dean, S. W.....Harvieland, Ky.  
 De Armond, L. C.....Rockhold, Ky.  
 Deering, J. R.....Lexington, Ky.  
 Demaree, T. W. B.....Winchester, Ky.  
 Dickey, J. J.....Hutchison, Ky.  
 Eklar, W. T.....Germantown, Ky.  
 Evans, C. F.....Lexington, Ky.  
 Eversole, P. C.....Simpsonville, Ky.  
 Fawns, C. M.....Wilmore, Ky.  
 Fisher, C. C.....Millersburg, Ky.  
 Fitch, S. T.....Sandy Hook, Ky.  
 Fraley, A. J.....Fleming, Ky.  
 Francis, T. J.....Wilmore, Ky.  
 Froh, George.....La Grange, Ky.  
 Fryman, L. A.....West Liberty, Ky.  
 Fryman, W. P.....Corbin, Ky.  
 Fuqua, J. M.....Fort Thomas, Ky.  
 Gardiner, J. W.....Millersburg, Ky.  
 Garriott, W. B.....Walton, Ky.  
 Gilbert, J. W.....Bloomfield, Ky.  
 Godbey, Josiah.....Worthville, Ky.  
 Green, W. W.....Winchester, Ky.  
 Greer, C. H.....Danville, Ky.  
 Griffy, E. L.....Berry, Ky.  
 Grinstead, W. S.....Stanford, Ky.  
 Hall, W. B.....Richwood, Ky.  
 Hall, W. L.....Jenkins, Ky.  
 Hardin, E. C.....Port Royal, Ky.  
 Harmon, C. M.....Wilmore, Ky.  
 Harris, J. B.....Covington, Ky.  
 Harris, J. W.....Corinth, Ky.  
 Hiner, M. W.....Berthold, N. D.  
 Hockenberry, S. L.....Moreland, Ky.  
 Hoffman, G. W.....Hubble, Ky.  
 Hollon, I. R.....Williamstown, Ky.  
 Holmes, E. E.....Owingsville, Ky.  
 Hopkins, W. P.....Somerset, Ky.  
 Horton, B. C.....La Grange, Ky.  
 Howard, F. T.....Cynthiana, Ky.  
 Hughes, J. W.....Wilmore, Ky.  
 Humphrey, C. M.....Moorefield, Ky.  
 Ishmael, E. W.....Washington, Ky.  
 Jackson, E. E.....Maysville, Ky.  
 Johnson, J. M.....Frankfort, Ky.  
 Johnson, W. R.....Warsaw, Ky.  
 Jones, A. P.....Wilmore, Ky.  
 Jones, F. B.....Wilmore, Ky.  
 Jordan, R. F.....Pineville, Ky.  
 Kendall, J. R.....California, Ky.  
 Lee, R. M.....Burgin, Ky.  
 Longino, H. A.....Louisville, Ky.  
 MacClintock, J. A.....Richmond, Ky.  
 Mann, E. G. B.....Lexington, Ky.  
 Martin, H. C.....London, Ky.  
 Massie, H. M.....Atlanta, Ga.  
 Mathews, J. M.....Mount Carmel, Ky.  
 Maxwell, W. S.....Nicholasville, Ky.  
 McClure, Robert V.....Tollesboro, Ky.  
 McClure, W. K.....Flemingsburg, Ky.  
 McGowan, W. H.....Whitesburg, Ky.



McIntire, F. T. . . . . Lexington, Ky.  
 Mitchell, W. B. . . . . Winchester, Ky.  
 Moore, S. L. . . . . R. D. 5, Carlisle, Ky.  
 Moore, W. H. . . . . Atlanta, Ga.  
 Morgan, J. M. . . . . Crab Orchard, Ky.  
 Morrison, H. C. . . . . Wilmore, Ky.  
 Moss, J. E. . . . . Georgetown, Ky.  
 Oney, C. F. . . . . Lexington, Ky.  
 Palmeter, F. D. . . . . Lancaster, Ky.  
 Paul, John. . . . . Wilmore, Ky.  
 Penn, W. A. . . . . Cynthiana, Ky.  
 Peeples, J. R. . . . . Winchester, Ky.  
 Pike, E. K. . . . . Falmouth, Ky.  
 Pilow, C. P. . . . . Milton, Ky.  
 Pollitt, S. H. . . . . Jackson, Ky.  
 Potorf, A. B. . . . . East Bernstadt, Ky.  
 Prentiss, George D. . . . . Bloomfield, Ky.  
 Ragan, J. S. . . . . Shelbyville, Ky.  
 Ragan, W. B. . . . . Frenchburg, Ky.  
 Redd, A. . . . . Berry, Ky.  
 Redd, J. D. . . . . Millersburg, Ky.  
 Ritchie, E. H. . . . . Vanceburg, Ky.  
 Roberts, J. E. . . . . California, Ky.  
 Robertson, D. W. . . . . Versailles, Ky.  
 Robinson, J. M. . . . . Crab Orchard, Ky.  
 Ross, P. J. . . . . Taylorsville, Ky.  
 Rowland, W. T. . . . . Carrollton, Ky.  
 Sadler, W. O. . . . . Paris, Ky.  
 Savage, F. A. . . . . Wilmore, Ky.  
 Savage, J. E. . . . . Covington, Ky.  
 Sawyer, J. A. . . . . Portsmouth, Va.  
 Selby, R. A. . . . . Hazard, Ky.  
 Sewell, Ben T. . . . . Morehead, Ky.  
 Simpson, J. W. . . . . Mount Olivet, Ky.  
 Smith, Price T. . . . . Pleasureville, Ky.  
 Spates, W. W. . . . . Flemingsburg, Ky.  
 Southgate, E. L. . . . . Mount Sterling, Ky.  
 Strother, J. P. . . . . Cynthiana, Ky.  
 Struve, F. K. . . . . Crestwood, Ky.  
 Swift, W. A. . . . . Lexington, Ky.  
 Tague, C. A. . . . . Middlesboro, Ky.  
 Talliaferro, T. F. . . . . Frankfort, Ky.  
 Taylor, W. F. . . . . Erlanger, Ky.  
 Terrill, E. J. . . . . Wilmore, Ky.  
 Thomas, C. R. . . . . Winchester, Ky.  
 Thomasson, J. J. . . . . Georgetown, Ky.  
 Turner, H. G. . . . . Danville, Ky.  
 Vanderpool, A. W. . . . . Lawrenceburg, Ky.  
 Vanderpool, W. H. . . . . Mortonsville, Ky.  
 Vanderpool, W. S. . . . . Perryville, Ky.  
 Vaughan, W. F. . . . . Burnside, Ky.  
 Vaught, J. O. A. . . . . Carlisle, Ky.  
 Vreeland, W. Q. . . . . Frankfort, Ky.  
 Waggoner, Enos. . . . . Mackville, Ky.  
 Walker, Peter. . . . . Sharpsburg, Ky.  
 Walters, Thomas D. . . . . Fleming, Ky.  
 Watts, E. C. . . . . Owingsville, Ky.  
 Watts, T. W. . . . . Frankfort, Ky.  
 Welburn, W. D. . . . . Stanford, Ky.  
 West, J. L. . . . . Mount Sterling, Ky.  
 Williams, C. W. . . . . Cynthiana, Ky.  
 Williams, J. H. . . . . R. 3, Georgetown, Ky.  
 Williams, L. E. . . . . Corinth, Ky.  
 Williams, S. C. . . . . Barboursville, Ky.  
 Williams, W. M. . . . . Sardis, Ky.  
 Wilson, E. S. . . . . Clay City, Ky.  
 Wilson, R. B. . . . . Newport, Ky.  
 Wood, William. . . . . Petersburg, Ky.  
 Word, J. R. . . . . Concord, Ky.  
 Wright, James E. . . . . Woodlawn, Ky.  
 Wyatt, W. F. . . . . Hillsboro, Ky.  
 Young, G. A. . . . . Langnau, Ky.  
 Young, G. W. . . . . Louisville, Ky.

**Korea Mission.**

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**Little Rock Conference.**

Anderson, Stonewall. . . . . Nashville, Tenn.  
 Applewhite, T. M. . . . . Warren, Ark.  
 Armstrong, T. M. . . . . Okolona, Ark.  
 Arnold, W. B. . . . . Hatfield, Ark.

Atchley, R. C. . . . . Dalark, Ark.  
 Augustus, N. G. . . . . Dermott, Ark.  
 Ault, H. A. F. . . . . Bland, Ark.  
 Baker, C. N. . . . . Little Rock, Ark.  
 Baker, J. D. . . . . Little Rock, Ark.  
 Barnett, M. O. . . . . Star City, Ark.  
 Baugh, S. T. . . . . Texarkana, Ark.  
 Beasley, L. C. . . . . Stamps, Ark.  
 Berry, J. W. . . . . Okolona, Ark.  
 Biggs, J. A. . . . . Texarkana, Ark.  
 Bolts, David. . . . . Pine Bluff, Ark.  
 Bradford, J. H. . . . . Center Point, Ark.  
 Brewer, F. N. . . . . De Queen, Ark.  
 Brown, A. E. . . . . Umpire, Ark.  
 Buhler, H. F. . . . . Little Rock, Ark.  
 Burnett, S. K. . . . . Ashdown, Ark.  
 Cade, C. D. . . . . Traskwood, Ark.  
 Caldwell, J. E. . . . . Tulip, Ark.  
 Canfield, F. R. . . . . Chidester, Ark.  
 Cannon, F. C. . . . . Emmett, Ark.  
 Cannon, J. L. . . . . Magnolia, Ark.  
 Cannon, R. H. . . . . Wesson, Ark.  
 Cason, A. G. . . . . Magnolia, Ark.  
 Christie, W. W. . . . . Murfreesboro, Ark.  
 Clark, T. P. . . . . Conway, Ark.  
 Christie, Andrew. . . . . Arkadelphia, Ark.  
 Clanton, A. T. . . . . Wilmar, Ark.  
 Clegg, J. P. . . . . Roe, Ark.  
 Colson, J. J. . . . . Rison, Ark.  
 Copeland, Theo. . . . . Pine Bluff, Ark.  
 Corrigan, M. B. . . . . Monticello, Ark.  
 Crow, Clarence. . . . . Pleasant Grove, Ark.  
 Crowder, T. H. . . . . Willow, Ark.  
 Cumson, W. M. . . . . Mena, Ark.  
 Cummins, J. H. . . . . Tillar, Ark.  
 Daniel, A. S. . . . . Vandervoort, Ark.  
 Davis, W. J. . . . . Antoine, Ark.  
 Davidson, A. C. . . . . Monticello, Ark.  
 Deane, S. C. . . . . Hamburg, Ark.  
 Dedman, J. L. . . . . Thornton, Ark.  
 Dickerson, J. R. . . . . Pine Bluff, Ark.  
 Doak, F. P. . . . . Amity, Ark.  
 Drake, C. W. . . . . Kingsland, Ark.  
 Duckworth, R. L. . . . . Hot Springs, Ark.  
 Dunn, J. D. . . . . Blau, Ark.  
 Durham, S. L. . . . . Alpine, Ark.  
 Eabe, R. L. . . . . Kingsland, Ark.  
 Evans, A. O. . . . . Arkadelphia, Ark.  
 Evans, L. W. . . . . Pine Bluff, Ark.  
 Ewing, A. J. . . . . Swan Lake, Ark.  
 Farr, Roy. . . . . Portland, Ark.  
 Few, B. A. . . . . Arkadelphia, Ark.  
 Futzhugh, B. F. . . . . Leola, Ark.  
 Fizer, J. T. J. . . . . Carlisle, Ark.  
 Fletcher, P. C. . . . . Texarkana, Ark.  
 Flower, T. A. . . . . Bradley, Ark.  
 Forsythe, D. P. . . . . Percy City, Ark.  
 Fuller, C. A. . . . . Sheridan, Ark.  
 Galloway, Jesse. . . . . Conway, Ark.  
 Garrett, E. . . . . Stamps, Ark.  
 Gatlin, L. C. . . . . Fouke, Ark.  
 Gee, F. W. . . . . Little Rock, Ark.  
 Mullins, B. E. . . . . Washington, Ark.  
 Musser, B. F. . . . . Little Rock, Ark.  
 Nethercutt, J. W. . . . . Austin, Ark.  
 Owen, T. O. . . . . Monticello, Ark.  
 Parker, J. A. . . . . Prescott, Ark.  
 Pickering, Bede. . . . . Lacey, Ark.  
 Powell, L. M. . . . . Arkadelphia, Ark.  
 Raiford, R. J. . . . . Bradley, Ark.  
 Rainey, S. W. . . . . Saint Charles, Ark.  
 Revely, Hugh. . . . . Tomberlin, Ark.  
 Rhodes, J. R. . . . . Grady, Ark.  
 Rhodes, M. J. . . . . Crossett, Ark.  
 Richardson, W. R. . . . . Arkadelphia, Ark.  
 Ridling, L. J. . . . . Dalark, Ark.  
 Robertson, A. M. . . . . Sheridan, Ark.  
 Roebuck, B. F. . . . . Atlanta, Ark.  
 Roebuck, F. G. . . . . Humphrey, Ark.  
 Rodgers, J. T. . . . . Lockesburg, Ark.  
 Rodgers, W. F. . . . . Gillette, Ark.  
 Rogers, A. C. . . . . Strong, Ark.  
 Rogers, L. T. . . . . Hampton, Ark.

Rogers, M. K. .... Mablevale, Ark.  
 Rogers, W. J. .... Des Aro, Ark.  
 Rorie, Paul Q. .... Little Rock, Ark.  
 Rorie, T. O. .... Holly Springs, Ark.  
 Rorie, T. O., Jr. .... Keo, Ark.  
 Ross, J. H. .... Winthrop, Ark.  
 Rowland, R. G. .... Foreman, Ark.  
 Rule, E. C. .... Orchard View, Ark.  
 Rushing, J. R. .... Mena, Ark.  
 Sage, J. A. .... Camden, Ark.  
 Sage, J. A., Jr. .... Atlanta, Ga.  
 Sanders, J. R. .... Pine Bluff, Ark.  
 Savage, Verna. .... Whelen Springs, Ark.  
 Spann, R. .... Palestine, Ark.  
 Scott, B. F. .... Waldo, Ark.  
 Scott, T. D. .... Hope, Ark.  
 Scott, Walter. .... Center Point, Ark.  
 Sharp, W. D. .... Junction City, Ark.  
 Shaw, A. M. .... DeWitt, Ark.  
 Simmons, J. Frank. .... Stuttgart, Ark.  
 Simpson, H. L. .... Snyder, Ark.  
 Sims, J. B. .... DeVall's Bluff, Ark.  
 Spruce, T. D. .... Little Rock, Ark.  
 Steel, E. R. .... Pine Bluff, Ark.  
 Steel, W. A. .... Benton, Ark.  
 Steele, C. O. .... Hot Springs, Ark.  
 Taylor, J. F. .... Friendship, Ark.  
 Thomas, B. B. .... Lonoke, Ark.  
 Thomas, James. .... Little Rock, Ark.  
 Townsend, H. .... Benton, Ark.  
 Townsend, J. F. .... Hot Springs, Ark.  
 Turrentine, A. .... Huttig, Ark.  
 Twitty, S. R. .... Fordyce, Ark.  
 Van Camp, H. E. .... Parkdale, Ark.  
 Vantrease, J. W. .... Eldorado, Ark.  
 Waddell, J. E. .... Eldorado, Ark.  
 Waddrip, M. N. .... Hot Springs, Ark.  
 Warlick, D. D. .... Ladonia, Tex.  
 Watson, E. N. .... Benton, Ark.  
 Watson, W. C. .... Pine Bluff, Ark.  
 Webb, Isaac. .... Murfreesboro, Ark.  
 Whaley, W. P. .... Little Rock, Ark.  
 Whitten, Coy. .... Bingen, Ark.  
 Williams, J. B. .... Rison, Ark.  
 Williams, J. C. .... Hermitage, Ark.  
 Wilson, E. F. .... R. 1, Pine Bluff, Ark.  
 Wilson, R. P. .... Nashville, Tenn.  
 Wilson, W. S. .... Little Rock, Ark.  
 Workman, J. M. .... Arkadelphia, Ark.  
 Yearwood, G. M. .... Delight, Ark.  
 Youngblood, A. N. .... Paraloma, Ark.

### Los Angeles Conference.

#### SUPERANNUATES.

Allen, John W. .... San Gabriel, Cal.  
 Duke, T. L. .... Hillsboro, Ore.  
 Perry, C. S. .... Santa Ana, Cal.

#### SUPERNUMERARIES.

Raymond, R. R. .... Santa Ana, Cal.  
 Youngman, W. A. .... Azusa, Cal.

#### ON TRIAL—FIRST YEAR.

Andrews, J. Alva. .... Newport, Cal.  
 Wall, E. E. .... Ventura, Cal.

#### SECOND YEAR.

Risinger, J. M. .... Duncan, Cal.

#### EFFECTIVES.

Acuff, R. K. .... Camp Verde, Ariz.  
 Alexander, Gross W. .... Scottsdale, Ariz.  
 Anderson, Eustace. .... Phoenix, Ariz.  
 Anderson, W. B. .... Safford, Ariz.  
 Bockman, S. C. .... Parker, Ariz.  
 Bond, G. T. .... Long Beach, Cal.  
 Cagle, C. M. .... Los Angeles, Cal.  
 Clark, George S. .... Downey, Cal.  
 Duncan, W. H. .... Liberty, Ariz.  
 Fields, R. H. .... Liberty, Ariz.

Fitch, E. L. .... Ray, Ariz.  
 Forman, George W. .... Long Beach, Cal.  
 French, James T. .... Pomona, Cal.  
 Gray, Charles R. .... San Diego, Cal.  
 Harris, George C. .... Redlands, Cal.  
 Hedgpath, J. F. .... Prescott, Ariz.  
 Howell, R. P. .... Los Angeles, Cal.  
 Lavender, T. B. .... Norwalk, Cal.  
 Millikan, L. J. .... San Bernardino, Cal.  
 Mobley, B. H. .... Nogales, Ariz.  
 Moore, C. P. .... Los Angeles, Cal.  
 O'Rear, A. T. .... Santa Ana, Cal.  
 Rice, J. B. .... Los Angeles, Cal.  
 Russell, O. L. .... Phoenix, Ariz.  
 Sanders, R. N. .... Morehcl, Ariz.  
 Scarborough, D. .... Phoenix, Ariz.  
 Sawyer, J. R. .... Clifton, Ariz.  
 Selecman, C. C. .... Los Angeles, Cal.  
 Sims, W. J. .... Phoenix, Ariz.  
 Stem, A. F. .... Duarte, Cal.  
 Waggener, W. O. .... Carpinteria, Cal.  
 Wheeler, W. B. .... Alhambra, Ariz.  
 Whisnant, W. L. .... Los Angeles, Cal.  
 Williams, J. Coy. .... Dallas, Tex.

### Louisiana Conference.

Akin, William E. .... Elmore, La.  
 Alford, Jason A. .... New Orleans, La.  
 Alford, J. Martin. .... Bunkie, La.  
 Anders, George D. .... Indian Bayou, La.  
 Andrews, B. H. .... Gonzales, La.  
 Armstrong, H. .... Olla, La.  
 Atkinson, Charles D. .... Shreveport, La.  
 Bamburg, R. H. .... Mangham, La.  
 Barr, Daniel C. .... Tallulah, La.  
 Battle, Charles A. .... Baton Rouge, La.  
 Beck, I. T. .... Morgan City, La.  
 Bennett, J. O. .... Jena, La.  
 Bogan, S. S. .... Jackson, La.  
 Bolton, George W. .... Provencal, La.  
 Boltz, H. J. ....  
 Bonnett, A. J. .... Oberlin, La.  
 Booth, J. W. .... Merryville, La.  
 Bowman, H. W. .... Baton Rouge, La.  
 Boykin, James M. .... Covington, La.  
 Breithaupt, C. V. .... Alexandria, La.  
 Brown, H. N. .... New Iberia, La.  
 Brown, J. H. .... Hodge, La.  
 Brown, J. M. .... Jonesboro, La.  
 Brown, Paul M. .... De Ridder, La.  
 Brown, Robert M. .... New Orleans, La.  
 Bryson, Thomas L. .... Houghton, La.  
 Bernard, A. A. .... Eunice, La.  
 Cady, James L. ....  
 Cargill, E. L. .... Campti, La.  
 Carley, Henry T. .... Shreveport, La.  
 Carter, Briscoe. .... Alexandria, La.  
 Coburn, A. J. .... Clinton, La.  
 Coleman, William H. .... Alexandria, La.  
 Colvin, S. W. B. .... Mangham, La.  
 Crews, B. T. .... Vivian, La.  
 Crooks, L. E. .... Selma, La.  
 Cudd, H. Wade. .... Baton Rouge, La.  
 Davies, Stephen J. .... Shreveport, La.  
 Davis, Robert A. .... Houston, Tex.  
 Dodson, K. W. .... Minden, La.  
 Doss, William L., Jr. .... Homer, La.  
 Drake, W. Winans. .... Shreveport, La.  
 Early, Alonzo. .... Amite, La.  
 Embree, T. J. .... Slidell, La.  
 Evans, James L. .... Wilson, La.  
 Faulk, J. W. .... Boyce, La.  
 Fike, Charles E. .... Rayne, La.  
 Fontaine, Patrick H. .... Alexandria, La.  
 Foster, John F. .... Shreveport, La.  
 Fox, George. .... Waterproof, La.  
 Freeman, F. M. .... Oakdale, La.  
 Fulton, Jesse B. .... Baker, La.  
 Fulton, Robert V. .... Pineville, La.  
 Gearheard, A. J. .... New Orleans, La.  
 George, A. D. .... Bonita, La.  
 Harper, A. L. .... Sibley, La.

Harper, Jacob D.....Opelousas, La.  
 Harper, R. Henry.....New Orleans, La.  
 Harrison, Hadley N.....Franklin, La.  
 Harvell, William R.....Mer Rouge, La.  
 Hebert, Martin.....New Iberia, La.  
 Henderson, William F.....Mooringsport, La.  
 Henderson, William F., Jr.....Bienville, La.  
 Henry, James M.....Ruston, La.  
 Henry, Walter S.....Colfax, La.  
 Hill, Felix R.....Alexandria, La.  
 Hill, Frank B.....Patterson, La.  
 Hocutt, Felix G.....Biloxi, Miss.  
 Hoffpauir, J. H.....Gueydan, La.  
 Hoffpauir, J. I.....Abbeville, La.  
 Hoffpauir, Lasty N.....Shreveport, La.  
 Hoffpauir, Louis.....Sulphur, La.  
 Holladay, S. S.....Zwolle, La.  
 Holladay, T. J.....Shreveport, La.  
 Holmes, William W.....New Orleans, La.  
 Howard, S. D.....Winnsboro, La.  
 Henry, Quinton R.....Greenburg, La.  
 Isbell, R. S.....Monticello, Ark.  
 Jamieson, Hugh W.....Shreveport, La.  
 Jenkins, M. G.....Mineola, Tex.  
 Johns, Henry S.....Baton Rouge, La.  
 Joyner, Nicholas E.....Lake Charles, La.  
 Kelly, Jeff. J.....Zachary, La.  
 Kleinschmidt, W. D.....Athens, La.  
 Lay, J. L.....Calhoun, La.  
 Ledbetter, H. W.....Shreveport, La.  
 Lee, John W.....Natchitoches, La.  
 Lipscomb, T. D.....Pleasant Hill, La.  
 Lowrey, Perry O.....Donaldsonville, La.  
 Lutz, Albert S.....Monroe, La.  
 Mangum, W. A.....McDonoghville, La.  
 May, Harry W.....Lafayette, La.  
 McCain, Leon I.....Hammond, La.  
 McCormick, J. A.....Franklinton, La.  
 McCoy, F. J.....Naborton, La.  
 McPherson, William R.....Zona, La.  
 Means, E. K.....Monroe, La.  
 Miller, Charles C.....Lake Providence, La.  
 Morgan, Gustave A.....Houma, La.  
 Morris, Charles M.....New Orleans, La.  
 Morris, Thomas H.....Arcadia, La.  
 Neille, Albert S. J.....West Monroe, La.  
 Nesom, J. D.....Lake Arthur, La.  
 Parker, A. H.....Coushatta, La.  
 Parker, Fitzgerald S.....Nashville, Tenn.  
 Parker, Franklin N.....Atlanta, Ga.  
 Patterson, J. F.....Uvalde, Tex.  
 Perry, W. W.....Glenmora, La.  
 Perritt, H. B.....Logansport, La.  
 Phillips, A. A.....  
 Porter, William J.....Sicily Island, La.  
 Powell, C. B.....Plain Dealing, La.  
 Power, Frank R.....Pelican, La.  
 Price, J. C.....Belcher, La.  
 Purcell, George D.....Dubach, La.  
 Randle, Robert.....Farmerville, La.  
 Randle, Thomas S.....  
 Reames, Isaac T.....Rayville, La.  
 Riggs, Samuel L.....Carson, La.  
 Roberts, S. D.....Bernice, La.  
 Roberts, W. F.....Good Pine, La.  
 Romano, G. W.....New Orelans, La.  
 Rousseaux, J. C.....Greenwood, La.  
 Roy, J. R.....Gilbert, La.  
 Rutledge, J. S.....Longville, La.  
 Sawyer, John T.....New Orelans, La.  
 Schuhle, William.....Lafayette, La.  
 Searcy, A. C.....Ida, La.  
 Sexton, George S.....Washington, D. C.  
 Shankle, A. G.....Mansfield, La.  
 Sheppard, B. H.....La Compte, La.  
 Sheppard, C. F.....Gibsland, La.  
 Sheppard, J. L. P.....Mansfield, La.  
 Sholars, John.....Kentwood, La.  
 Skipper, Virgil D.....Leesville, La.  
 Sloane, John G.....Haynesville, La.  
 Smith, Robert W.....Simsboro, La.  
 Snelling, I. G.....Ruston, La.  
 Staples, Charles F.....Jennings, La.

Steel, Sam A.....Shreveport, La.  
 Sutton, John L.....New Orelans, La.  
 Sweeney, F. N.....  
 Thomas, William E.....New Orleans, La.  
 Thomason, Hyder B.....Bayou Chicot, La.  
 Townsley, A. Inman.....Bogalusa, La.  
 Tucker, Ollie L.....Bastrop, La.  
 Tucker, R. William.....Crowley, La.  
 Turner, A. W.....Shreveport, La.  
 Vandenburg, H. B.....Melville, La.  
 Vaughan, A. F.....New Orleans, La.  
 Vaughan, R. W.....Ruston, La.  
 Waltman, J. F.....Eros, La.  
 Walton, R. S.....Winnfield, La.  
 Ware, Richard T.....Noble, La.  
 Warlick, T. J.....Columbia, La.  
 Watson, Burnette D.....Pine Grove, La.  
 Werlein, S. Halsey.....New Orleans, La.  
 Wier, Charles C.....New Orleans, La.  
 White, G. P.....Plaquemine, La.  
 Williams, J. Bloss.....Ponchatoula, La.  
 Williams, J. L.....Many, La.  
 Wilson, L. C.....Grand Cane, La.  
 Wood, E. G.....Standard, La.  
 Woodworth, W. T.....Oak Grove, La.  
 Wynn, John F.....Crowley, La.  
 Wynn, Robert H.....Shreveport, La.  
 Young, Henry T.....

LOCAL PREACHERS AS SUPPLIES.

Bolton, G. W.....Provencal, La.  
 Carpenter, P. S.....Denham Springs, La.  
 Dring, J. F.....Ringgold, La.  
 Flowers, R. F.....Bush, La.  
 Lantrip, W. W.....  
 Martin, A. D.....Raceland, La.  
 McLean, S. J.....Brooklyn, La.  
 Moss, F. P.....Chestnut, La.  
 Murphy, H. C.....Springfield, La.  
 Williams, E. S.....De Ridder, La.  
 Starnes, C. F.....Anacoco, La.

Louisville Conference.

Adams, J. B.....Bowling Green, Ky.  
 Akin, J. G.....Bowling Green, Ky.  
 Alexander, M. H.....Owensboro, Ky.  
 Alexander, R. C.....Central City, Ky.  
 Allen, C. F.....Atlanta, Ga.  
 Allen, S. C.....Louisville, Ky.  
 Archey, W. H.....Princeton, Ky.  
 Ashbrook, S. F.....Hodgenville, Ky.  
 Atkinson, B. F.....Owensboro, Ky.  
 Bailey, R. E.....Greensburg, Ky.  
 Bailey, S. M.....Dundee, Ky.  
 Baird, W. P.....Henderson, Ky.  
 Baker, J. F.....Sturgis, Ky.  
 Bandy, T. B.....Fordsville, Ky.  
 Bennett, A. J.....Kuttawa, Ky.  
 Bennett, E. R.....Calhoun, Ky.  
 Bennett, R. D.....Hartford, Ky.  
 Bennett, R. V.....Louisville, Ky.  
 Black, J. F.....Maceo, Ky.  
 Bogard, R. C.....Golden Pond, Ky.  
 Brandon, J. C.....Poole, Ky.  
 Brandon, W. C.....Springfield, Ky.  
 Brinson, Summers.....Dawson Springs, Ky.  
 Buckner, W. S.....Lewisport, Ky.  
 Campbell, D. S.....Russellville, Ky.  
 Carter, C. E.....Louisville, Ky.  
 Cashman, W. F.....Earlington, Ky.  
 Caughron, J. W.....Temple Hill, Ky.  
 Chandler, James A.....Louisville, Ky.  
 Chandler, James S.....Auburn, Ky.  
 Chandler, Joseph S.....Campbellsville, Ky.  
 Cherry, J. T.....Elkton, Ky.  
 Christie, W. C.....Gradyville, Ky.  
 Copas, B. F.....Bowling Green, Ky.  
 Coward, S. L. C.....Elkhorn, Ky.  
 Crandell, T. L.....Jeffersonville, Ind.  
 Crowe, C. R.....Brandenburg, Ky.  
 Snidiff, G. F.....Vine Grove, Ky.  
 Currie, B. M.....Louisville, Ky.

Dame, G. W.	De Kovan, Ky.	Orr, B. F.	
Daughtry, S. S.	Atlanta, Ga.	Overton, G. B.	Lubbock, Tex.
Davis, A. D.	Rocky Hill, Ky.	Pangburn, G. W.	Cadiz, Ky.
Davis, P. H.	Franklin, Ky.	Pate, E. E.	Madisonville, Ky.
Deacon, E. P.	Big Spring, Ky.	Peak, D. R.	Mount Washington, Ky.
Dennis, G. W.	Louisville, Ky.	Penick, D. T.	Buffalo, Ky.
DeWitt, B. M.	Stithton, Ky.	Penick, R. O.	Hodgenville, Ky.
DeWitt, J. F.	Lewisport, Ky.	Pennycuff, E.	Russell Springs, Ky.
Dickey, C. K.	Louisville, Ky.	Perryman, J. M.	Eddyville, Ky.
Dillon, G. P.	Madisonville, Ky.	Petrie, J. C.	Elkton, Ky.
Duvall, P. C.	Beech Grove, Ky.	Petty, F. M.	Louisville, Ky.
Dyer, M. L.	Cloverport, Ky.	Piercy, J. L.	Monticello, Ky.
Elgin, Virgil	Hopkinsville, Ky.	Piercy, L. F.	Columbia, Ky.
Epley, J. H.	Snow, Ky.	Powell, Lewis	Hopkinsville, Ky.
Frank, W. C.	Beaver Dam, Ky.	Powell, P. S.	Greenville, Ky.
Frazer, A. G.	Bowling Green, Ky.	Prather, C. G.	Louisville, Ky.
Frazier, J. D.	Cadiz, Ky.	Prine, W. W.	Grand Rivers, Ky.
Foskett, George E.	Louisville, Ky.	Qualls, F. W.	Carrsville, Ky.
Gailor, G. A.	Robard, Ky.	Randolph, J. R.	Seebree, Ky.
Galloway, J. B.	Hiseville, Ky.	Rawlings, J. C.	Elkton, Ky.
Gentle, A. C.	Texas, Ky.	Reed, H. T.	Glenview, Ill.
Gibbons, E. M.	Horse Cave, Ky.	Reid, J. L.	Sonora, Ky.
Gillette, H. S.	R. 2, Eddyville, Ky.	Reid, W. T.	Marion, Ky.
Gilliam, J. D.	Scottsville, Ky.	Repass, J. W.	Russellville, Ky.
Gilpin, Richard O.	Big Clifty, Ky.	Reynolds, A. H.	Hampton, Ky.
Givan, Smith	Eddyville, Ky.	Richardson, J. H.	Salem, Ky.
Goodson, E. F.	Henderson, Ky.	Rickard, W. O.	Owensboro, Ky.
Gordon, W. P.	Pembroke, Ky.	Robinson, L.	Russellville, Ky.
Grant, W. A.	Clay, Ky.	Roe, R. H.	Allensville, Ky.
Grider, R. B.	Bowling Green, Ky.	Royster, Alex.	Tolu, Ky.
Gunn, J. R.	Kirkmansville, Ky.	Rushing, J. T.	Owensboro, Ky.
Hager, S. E.	Kobe, Japan	Russell, L. M.	Greenville, Ky.
Hardin, B. W.	Shepherdsville, Ky.	Ryan, E. D.	Henderson, Ky.
Hartford, C. F.	Owensboro, Ky.	Ryan, P. H.	Shepherdsville, Ky.
Hayes, R. F.	Morganfield, Ky.	Sanders, F. A.	Greensburg, Ky.
Hayes, W. C.	Greenville, Ky.	Savage, J. R.	Louisville, Ky.
Hickerson, W. H.	Lafayette, Ky.	Schanzenbacher, A. L.	Morgantown, Ky.
Higgins, H. F.	Sacramento, Ky.	Seay, J. B.	Scottsville, Ky.
Higgins, R. H.	Hawesville, Ky.	Sigler, J. D.	Louisville, Ky.
Hogard, W. F.	Elizabethtown, Ky.	Shell, W. L.	Lewisburg, Ky.
Holeman, Ernest M.	Munfordville, Ky.	Shelley, S. G.	Columbia, Ky.
Hoskinson, J. C.	Louisville, Ky.	Short, H. R.	Marion, Ky.
Hulse, T. L.	Hopkinsville, Ky.	Shugart, G. W.	Franklin, Ky.
Hummell, G. W.	Morganfield, Ky.	Sleamaker, Robert L.	Cecilian, Ky.
Humphrey, C. A.	Lebanon, Ky.	Smith, E. W.	Cadiz, Ky.
Hunter, B. A.	Stithton, Ky.	Smithson, J. O.	Louisville, Ky.
Jarboe, H. E.	Bradfordsville, Ky.	Spears, D. M.	Cadiz, Ky.
Johnson, A. C.	Middletown, Ky.	Stodghill, T. W.	Adairville, Ky.
Johnson, J. A.	Hanson, Ky.	Sutherland, W. E.	Upton, Ky.
Johnson, Robert	Hardinsburg, Ky.	Talley, R. L.	Livermore, Ky.
Jones, H. H.	Trenton, Ky.	Tartar, D. T.	Slaughtersville, Ky.
Kasey, A. R.	Louisville, Ky.	Thomas, F. M.	Louisville, Ky.
Kasey, P. A.	Leitchfield, Ky.	Thompson, S. J.	Louisville, Ky.
King, J. E.	Grand River, Ky.	Turner, L. W.	Horse Cave, Ky.
King, P. L.	Providence, Ky.	Van Hoy, J. P.	Canmer, Ky.
Lampton, E. C.	Stanley, Ky.	Wade, T. J.	Irvington, Ky.
Lewis, F. E.	Corydon, Ky.	Wagoner, W. R.	Morganfield, Ky.
Lewis, J. W.	Louisville, Ky.	Wallace, J. A.	Jamestown, Ky.
Litchfield, A. D.	Glasgow, Ky.	Walton, C. P.	Auburn, Ky.
Long, P. C.	Campbellsville, Ky.	Walton, D. F.	Kingswood, Ky.
Lovelace, S. H.	Louisville, Ky.	Weldon, J. W.	Louisville, Ky.
Lyon, A. P.	Louisville, Ky.	Wheat, R. M.	Jeffersonton, Ky.
Marrs, J. R.	Mannsville, Ky.	Wilson, B. F.	Vine Grove, Ky.
May, L. K.	Louisville, Ky.	Wilson, G. Y.	Smith's Grove, Ky.
McAfee, J. R.	Central City, Ky.	Wimberly, C. F.	Franklin, Ky.
McConnell, R. T.	Scottsville, Ky.	Woolridge, J. M.	Louisville, Ky.
McCormick, J. T.	Bowling Green, Ky.	Young, J. H.	Louisville, Ky.
McMican, R. B.	South Carrollton, Ky.		
Mell, A. L.	Eddyville, Ky.		
Metcalf, E. N.	Robard, Ky.		
Miller, S. M.	Owensboro, Ky.		
Miller, W. T.	Louisville, Ky.		
Millican, DeWitt	Franklin, Ky.		
Mitchell, F. A.	Cadiz, Ky.		
Mitchell, J. S.			
Montgomery, W. G.	Smith Mills, Ky.		
Moore, E. S.	Smithland, Ky.		
Murrell, J. L.	Lebanon, Ky.		
Murrell, M. M.	Bardstown, Ky.		
Napier, B. W.	Hartford, Ky.		
Napier, H. C.	Russellville, Ky.		
Napier, I. W.	Burksville, Ky.		
Nicholson, J. H.	Elizabethtown, Ky.		

## Memphis Conference.

Acuff, W. F.	Henderson, Tenn.
Adams, W. W.	Paris, Tenn.
Armstrong, W. W.	Union City, Tenn.
Bagby, H. Y.	Tiptonville, Tenn.
Bagby, J. T.	Dyer, Tenn.
Baker, Wiley A.	Milan, Tenn.
Banks, John T.	Shiloh, Tenn.
Banks, W. A.	Dyersburg, Tenn.
Barham, W. C.	Memphis, Tenn.
Barrier, W. F.	Millington, Tenn.
Bass, J. H.	Jackson, Tenn.
Bell, A. C.	Union City, Tenn.
Bezzo, A. H.	Covington, Tenn.

Blackard, J. W.	Dyersburg, Tenn.	Jones, J. E.	Hollow Rock, Tenn.
Blackard, W. F.	Paducah, Ky.	Jones, W. T. M.	R. F. D. 1, Pinson, Tenn.
Blackwell, R. Y.	Calvin, Okla.	Jordan, C. C.	Whiteville, Tenn.
Bransford, E. K.	Los Angeles, Cal.	Joyner, J. W.	La Center City, Tenn.
Brooks, Cleanth.	Jackson, Tenn.	Kelley, J. A.	Ripley, Tenn.
Brooks, G. K.	Paris, Tenn.	Kendall, J. M.	Ridgeley, Tenn.
Brooks, H. W.	Murray, Ky.	King, I. M.	Lexington, Tenn.
Buck, A. M.	Selmer, Tenn.	Lafferty, O. H.	Camden, Tenn.
Butts, H. A.	Union City, Tenn.	Lamb, B. G.	Milburn, Ky.
Calhoun, T. E.	Adamsville, Tenn.	Lasley, H. P.	Faxon, Tenn.
Carl, J. S.	Mercer, Tenn.	Lassiter, A. W.	Dyer, Tenn.
Carman, G. J.	Gibson, Tenn.	Leake, M. F.	Binghampton, Tenn.
Carnell, J. W.	Troy, Tenn.	Lee, N. W.	Maury City, Tenn.
Cason, J. C.	Murray, Ky.	Leith, David.	Newbern, Tenn.
Cason, T. F.	Water Valley, Ky.	Lewis, T. W.	Memphis, Tenn.
Clark, R. A.	Covington, Tenn.	Lockman, W. S.	Booth's Point, Tenn.
Clayton, C. B.	Paris, Tenn.	Love, S. B.	Grand Junction, Tenn.
Coleman, C. A.	Martin, Tenn.	Lowry, T. G.	Collierville, Tenn.
Collins, W. H.	Malesus, Tenn.	Maddox, A. D.	Big Sandy, Tenn.
Crump, E. W.	Bells, Tenn.	Mahon, R. H.	Brownsville, Tenn.
Cumming, F. H.	La Grange, Tenn.	Marrs, O. A.	Paducah, Ky.
Dallas, A. L.	Kirksey, Ky.	Martin, G. H.	Memphis, Tenn.
Davis, G. W.	Fulton, Ky.	Martin, S. A.	Gleason, Tenn.
Davis, M. L.	Hardin, Ky.	Mathis, E. M.	Whiteville, Tenn.
Davis, T. H.	Hazel, Ky.	Matthews, W. B.	R. F. D. 6, Trenton, Tenn.
De Shazo, V. A.	R. F. D., Somerville, Tenn.	Maxedon, E. W.	Hickman, Ky.
Douglas, A. C.	Colorado Springs, Colo.	Maxedon, T. F.	Dancyville, Tenn.
Douglass, R. C.	Hickman, Ky.	Maxedon, W. F.	Somerville, Tenn.
Drake, W. L.	Medina, Tenn.	McCaslin, U. S.	Barlow, Ky.
Duckworth, R. P.	Humboldt, Tenn.	McDaniel, R. W.	McKenzie, Tenn.
Dungan, W. A.	R. F. D., Dyer, Tenn.	McGill, T. J.	Martin, Tenn.
Dunn, K. G.	Humboldt, Tenn.	McKelvey, T. C.	Bolivar, Tenn.
Dunn, W. D.	Sedalia, Ky.	McLemore, B. S.	Station G, Memphis, Tenn.
Elmore, W. T.	Middleton, Tenn.	Meaders, A. J.	Memphis, Tenn.
Estes, L. H.	Buntyn, Tenn.	Mecoy, W. J.	Jackson, Tenn.
Evans, G. J.	Paducah, Ky.	Melton, A. G.	Middleton, Tenn.
Evans, G. W.	Clinton, Ky.	Mobley, R. L.	Arlington, Tenn.
Evans, S. C.	R. F. D. 5, Benton, Ky.	Moore, A. C.	Columbus, Ky.
Fields, P. H.	R. F. D. 9, Paducah, Ky.	Moore, Yates.	Milan, Tenn.
Fisher, Syl.	R. F. D. 3, Covington, Tenn.	Morrison, S. B.	Curve, Tenn.
Foust, T. E.	R. F. D. 6, Jackson, Tenn.	Myers, J. T.	Mayfield, Ky.
Fowler, P. A.	Germantown, Tenn.	Nall, W. G.	Kenton, Tenn.
Freeman, J. V.	Lexington, Tenn.	Naylor, W. J.	White Haven, Tenn.
Freeman, R. B.	Martin, Tenn.	Newbill, C. C.	Camden, Tenn.
Freeman, W. A.	Paris, Tenn.	Newsom, R. W.	Oblon, Tenn.
Fuzzell, B. T.	Greenfield, Tenn.	Norman, C. E.	Munford, Tenn.
Garner, W. T.	R. F. D., Tipton, Tenn.	Norman, R. L.	Memphis, Tenn.
Graham, E. B.	Bardwell, Ky.	Overby, E. R.	Tiptonville, Tenn.
Greening, J. A.	Lavinia, Tenn.	Pafford, J. R.	Puryear, Tenn.
Griffin, S. M.	Henning, Tenn.	Pearson, J. B.	Benton, Ky.
Guthrie, N. A.	Wildersville, Tenn.	Peeples, B. F.	Brownsville, Tenn.
Hagler, J. O.	Mayfield, Ky.	Peeples, F. H.	Lexington, Tenn.
Hamil, J. M.	R. F. D., Lucy, Tenn.	Peeples, S. W.	R. F. D. 6, Paducah, Ky.
Hamilton, L. D.	Paducah, Ky.	Peerey, T. L.	Hickory Valley, Tenn.
Hamilton, W. P.	McKenzie, Tenn.	Peters, E. M.	Puryear, Tenn.
Harper, T. K.	Saltillo, Tenn.	Pickens, J. M.	Memphis, Tenn.
Harrison, R. S.	Brunswick, Tenn.	Pickens, W. D.	Huntingdon, Tenn.
Hart, S. R.	Mason, Tenn.	Pigue, R. H.	Friendship, Tenn.
Hassell, J. A.	Ridgeley, Tenn.	Prichard, W. P.	Sharon, Tenn.
Hawkins, H. G.	Jackson, Tenn.	Prince, R. L.	Holladay, Tenn.
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Holly, W. T.	Cayce, Ky.	Riggs, C. A.	Elbridge, Tenn.
Hood, R. W.	Ripley, Tenn.	Roberts, J. H.	Memphis, Tenn.
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Humphrey, R. E.	Greenfield, Tenn.	Rudd, J. C.	Alamo, Tenn.
Humphrey, V. D.	Williston, Tenn.	Rudolph, K. L.	Bardwell, Ky.
Hunter, J. L.	Memphis, Tenn.	Russell, A. W.	Covington, Tenn.
Irion, J. W.	Martin, Tenn.	Russell, B. J.	Brownsville, Tenn.
Jackson, G. B.	Ruskin, Tenn.	Russell, W. A.	Jackson, Tenn.
James, J. E.	Decaturville, Tenn.	Ryan, H. G.	Halls, Tenn.
Jamison, E. L.	R. F. D., Bells, Tenn.	Saunders, T. F.	Fulton, Ky.
Jenkins, J. Mack.	Clinton, Ky.	Sears, A. W.	Manleyville, Tenn.
Jenkins, John M.	Gates, Tenn.	Sellars, G. T.	Trimble, Tenn.
Jenkins, W. D.	Jackson, Tenn.	Sellars, W. C.	Memphis, Tenn.
Jewell, S. L.	Memphis, Tenn.	Sewell, W. E.	Bemis, Tenn.
Johnson, D. C.	Martin, Tenn.	Sharp, T. E.	Memphis, Tenn.
Johnson, H. C.	Memphis, Tenn.	Simmons, T. J.	Ralston, Tenn.
Johnson, H. L.	Blythesville, Ark.	Simmons, W. D.	Bartlett, Tenn.
Johnston, H. B.	Brownsville, Tenn.	Smith, C. L.	Jackson, Tenn.
Jones, A. B.	Dresden, Tenn.	Spears, E. E.	R. F. D., Trenton, Tenn.
Jones, F. B.	Memphis, Tenn.	Spence, J. A.	Holladay, Tenn.



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 Stewart, E. H. . . . R. F. D. 2, Martin, Tenn.  
 Stone, W. E. . . . . Beech Bluff, Tenn.  
 Strang, Max. . . . . Trenton, Tenn.  
 Stubblefield, W. T. . . . Lovelaceville, Ky.  
 Suggs, W. L. . . . . Oakland, Tenn.  
 Swift, R. B. . . . . Memphis, Tenn.  
 Taylor, H. R. . . . . Arlington, Ky.  
 Taylor, R. V. . . . R. F. D. 5, Somerville, Tenn.  
 Terry, H. B. . . . . Martin, Tenn.  
 Thomas, J. J. . . . . Memphis, Tenn.  
 Thompson, R. W. . . . . Fowlkes, Tenn.  
 Treadwell, J. E. . . . . Magnolia, Ala.  
 Tuten, W. F. . . . . Hornbeak, Tenn.  
 Vaughn, R. M. . . . . Newbern, Tenn.  
 Watersworth, L. R. . . . Randolph, Tenn.  
 Walker, A. N. . . . . Paris, Tenn.  
 Walker, R. M. . . . . Trenton, Tenn.  
 Waterfield, C. A. . . . . Brownsville, Tenn.  
 Waters, J. W. . . . . Fulton, Ky.  
 Waters, W. C. . . . . Dyersburg, Tenn.  
 Weaver, J. L. . . . . Henning, Tenn.  
 Weber, J. L. . . . . Jackson, Tenn.  
 West, A. M. . . . . Laramie, Tenn.  
 Wilkes, T. N. . . . . Finley, Tenn.  
 Williams, E. W. . . . . Searcy, Ark.  
 Williams, J. G. . . . . Memphis, Tenn.  
 Wilson, A. E. . . . . Atwood, Tenn.  
 Womble, J. R. . . . . Wingo, Ky.  
 Wood, R. A. . . . R. F. D., Brighton, Tenn.  
 Wrathner, O. C. . . R. F. D. 4, Memphis, Tenn.  
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 Griffin, W. D. . . . R. F. D. 1, Memphis, Tenn.  
 Holland, W. M. . . . . Enville, Tenn.  
 Lampkin, W. A. . . . R. F. D. 1, Hickman, Ky.  
 McNutt, R. A. . . . . Calvert City, Ky.  
 Myrick, A. A. . . . . Oak Level, Ky.  
 Stone, A. A. . . . . Henderson, Tenn.  
 Walker, B. A. . . . . Scott's Hill, Tenn.

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 Hays, W. A. . . . . Decatur, Miss.  
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 Herring, C. H. . . . . Harrisville, Miss.  
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 Holloman, T. B. . . . . Vicksburg, Miss.  
 Hopper, W. W. . . . . Lorman, Miss.  
 Howse, P. H. . . . . Hattiesburg, Miss.  
 Huff, G. W. . . . . Hattiesburg, Miss.  
 Huntley, W. H. . . . . Yazoo City, Miss.  
 Johnson, H. M. . . . . Jackson, Miss.  
 Jones, B. F. . . . . Moss Point, Miss.  
 Jones, J. R. . . . . Gulfport, Miss.  
 Jones, L. J. . . . . Montrose, Miss.  
 Jones, M. R. . . . . Raleigh, Miss.  
 Jones, W. B. . . . . Hattiesburg, Miss.  
 Kelley, D. E. . . . . Hattiesburg, Miss.  
 King, J. B. . . . . Florence, Miss.  
 King, T. H. . . . . Perry, Miss.  
 Kleiser, R. H. . . . . Monticello, Miss.  
 Lane, W. H. . . . . Jackson, Miss.  
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 Lewis, B. F. . . . . Canton, Miss.  
 Lewis, B. W. . . . . Utica, Miss.  
 Lewis, H. P. . . . . Jackson, Miss.  
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 Lewis, O. S. . . . . Vicksburg, Miss.  
 Lewis, W. H. . . . . Jackson, Miss.  
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 Maddox, H. J. . . . . Heidelberg, Miss.  
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 Massey, M. A. . . . . Yazoo City, Miss.  
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 McKee, H. R. . . . . Rose Hill, Miss.  
 McKeown, G. P. . . . . Edwards, Miss.  
 McPherson, W. R. . . . . Harpersville, Miss.  
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 Moore, H. J. .... Montrose, Miss.  
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 Moore, J. H. .... Lauderdale, Miss.  
 Moore, W. W. .... Bogue Chitto, Miss.  
 Morse, J. M. .... Jackson, Miss.  
 Mounger, E. H. .... Hattiesburg, Miss.  
 Murray, W. W. .... Glancy, Miss.  
 Neill, J. L. .... Jackson, Miss.  
 Nelson, W. W. .... Wesson, Miss.  
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 Norton, H. L. .... Crystal Springs, Miss.  
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 O'Neil, T. J. .... Port Gibson, Miss.  
 Ormond, F. B. .... McComb, Miss.  
 Peebles, I. L. .... Meridian, Miss.  
 Phillips, E. D. .... McNeil, Miss.  
 Pickett, R. T. .... Collins, Miss.  
 Porter, M. W. .... Shubuta, Miss.  
 Price, J. W. .... Hermanville, Miss.  
 Purcell, J. S. .... Ellisville, Miss.  
 Ramsey, J. W. .... New Augusta, Miss.  
 Rawls, B. H. .... Moselle, Miss.  
 Roberts, L. L. .... Hazlehurst, Miss.  
 Robertson, Ira B. .... McNair, Miss.  
 Rutledge, R. E. .... Vaughn, Miss.  
 Saunders, W. H. .... Fernwood, Miss.  
 Schultz, C. A. .... Gallman, Miss.  
 Selby, Robert. .... Jackson, Miss.  
 Sells, J. L. .... Wiggins, Miss.  
 Sharbrough, M. B. .... Port Gibson, Miss.  
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 Simmons, W. W. .... Gloster, Miss.  
 Sims, A. A. .... Carthage, Miss.  
 Smith, J. L. .... Pachuta, Miss.  
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 Sutherland, B. L. .... Meridian, Miss.  
 Terry, W. A. .... Hattiesburg, Miss.  
 Thomas, W. N. .... Summit, Miss.  
 Thompson, G. H. .... Meridian, Miss.  
 Thompson, J. W. .... Wesson, Miss.  
 Tolle, H. F. .... Biloxi, Miss.  
 Ulmer, D. W. .... Brooklyn, Miss.  
 Van Hook, H. W. .... Biloxi, Miss.  
 Vickers, D. E. .... Bucatanunna, Miss.  
 Waldrop, W. B. .... Mendenhall, Miss.  
 Walters, W. J. .... Waynesboro, Miss.  
 Watkins, A. F. .... Jackson, Miss.  
 Watkins, H. B. .... Meridian, Miss.  
 Ware, J. O. .... Fayette, Miss.  
 Wells, J. A. .... Oak Ridge, Miss.  
 Westbrook, H. S. .... Meridian, Miss.  
 White, M. L. .... Homewood, Miss.  
 Williams, J. E. .... Sumrall, Miss.  
 Williams, W. M. .... Collins, Miss.  
 Winstead, T. B. .... Trenton, Miss.  
 Witt, R. F. .... Meridian, Miss.  
 Yeager, G. G. .... Fannin, Miss.  
 Young, S. N. .... Sartartia, Miss.

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 Clifford, V. G. .... McHenry, Miss.  
 McNeese, G. L. .... Chunkey, Miss.  
 Stringer, J. B. .... McDonald, Miss.

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 Jackson, J. C. .... Hub, Miss.  
 Jolly, J. H. .... Seminary, Miss.  
 Jones, C. P. .... Long Beach, Miss.

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Loftus, N. S. .... Perth, Miss.  
 Massey, Clarence. .... Woodville, Miss.  
 Miller, M. K. .... Clarksburg, Miss.  
 Nolen, R. T. .... Blodgett, Miss.  
 O'Neil, J. W. .... Port Gibson, Miss.  
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 Aker, G. C. .... Lawson, Mo.  
 Akers, William E. .... Vandalia, Mo.  
 Alexander, W. M. .... Hannibal, Mo.  
 Allison, T. A. .... New London, Mo.  
 Anderson, John. .... Hannibal, Mo.  
 Arbuthnot, D. H. .... New Florence, Mo.  
 Baker, J. E. .... St. Joseph, Mo.  
 Baker, W. M. .... Salisbury, Mo.  
 Barrett, A. E. .... Millville, Mo.  
 Bayley, A. V. .... Columbia, Mo.  
 Berry, G. C. .... Albany, Mo.  
 Blackburn, Orville. .... Kearney, Mo.  
 Bloomfield, H. G. .... Clarksdale, Mo.  
 Bolen, H. C. .... Monroe, Mo.  
 Bone, D. F. .... St. Joseph, Mo.  
 Bond, H. P. .... El Paso, Tex.  
 Boon, J. M. .... Carrollton, Mo.  
 Borland, S. O. .... Kahoka, Mo.  
 Bostwick, E. E. .... Shelbyville, Mo.  
 Bowen, Thurman. .... McFall, Mo.  
 Bowles, C. A. .... Brunswick, Mo.  
 Boyd, J. N. .... Hannibal, Mo.  
 Broadhurst, C. N. .... Moberly, Mo.  
 Brown, O. E. .... Nashville, Tenn.  
 Browning, A. C. .... Gallatin, Mo.  
 Buckner, H. W. .... Fayette, Mo.  
 Capp, E. M. .... Henrietta, Mo.  
 Carlyle, E. .... Doniphan, Mo.  
 Chapman, W. A. .... Barnard, Mo.  
 Chappell, Charles J. .... Auxvasse, Mo.  
 Cline, B. F. .... O'Fallon, Mo.  
 Cobb, H. I. .... Wright City, Mo.  
 Coffman, A. B. .... Columbia, Mo.  
 Collett, C. W. .... Fulton, Mo.  
 Cooley, E. F. .... Forest City, Mo.  
 Cooper, H. E. .... Eagleville, Mo.  
 Cooper, R. H. .... Fayette, Mo.  
 Copeland, J. J. .... Fayette, Mo.  
 Corder, W. B. .... Norborne, Mo.  
 Cowart, W. C. .... Savannah, Mo.  
 Crowe, M. F. .... Plattsburg, Mo.  
 Culbertson, A. B. .... Shelbina, Mo.  
 Culmer, F. A. .... La Plata, Mo.  
 Cunningham, R. S. .... Columbia, Mo.  
 Dameron, R. M. .... Clifton Hill, Mo.  
 Davis, Karl T. .... Craig, Mo.  
 Davis, Milton C. .... Keytesville, Mo.  
 Davis, R. F. .... St. Joseph, Mo.  
 Davis, Vada. .... Warrenton, Mo.  
 Davis, W. A. .... Japan, Mo.  
 De Witt, S. M. .... Skidmore, Mo.  
 Duncan, C. B. .... St. Joseph, Mo.  
 Edmonston, J. O. .... Mexico, Mo.  
 Ellington, W. H. .... Wellsville, Mo.  
 Elmore, John E. .... Columbia, Mo.  
 Emig, A. S. .... Boston, Mass.  
 Emory, S. W. .... Turney, Mo.  
 England, J. M. .... Edina, Mo.  
 Ezell, W. H. .... Jarbalo, Kans.  
 Farry, T. B. .... Nevada, Mo.  
 Foster, H. L. .... Moscow Mills, Mo.  
 Frazier, J. S. .... Palmyra, Mo.  
 Frazier, T. T. .... Milan, Mo.  
 French, C. H. .... Fayette, Mo.  
 Giddens, Wilson N. .... Elsberry, Mo.  
 Ginn, E. Y. .... New Bloomfield, Mo.  
 Glenn, G. L. .... Humphreys, Mo.  
 Godbey, J. P. .... Fayette, Mo.  
 Goodrich, R. E. .... St. Joseph, Mo.  
 Gould, R. .... Jameson, Mo.  
 Gray, C. M. .... Palmyra, Mo.  
 Gray, M. L. .... Chillicothe, Mo.

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Ham, Proctor M.	Denver, Mo.	Petree, T. G.	Mooreville, Mo.
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Harvey, B. B.	Monticello, Mo.	Poage, F. R.	Huntsville, Mo.
Hawkins, S. J.	Hale, Mo.	Potter, W. O. G.	Platte City, Mo.
Hayne, S. W.	Mexico, Mo.	Ralston, George T.	Rock Port, Mo.
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Henry, F. A.	St. Charles, Mo.	Randolph, J. D.	Fayette, Mo.
Henry, P. W.	Rayville, Mo.	Ransford, C. O.	Fayette, Mo.
Herley, C. W.	Brookfield, Mo.	Reed, J. J.	Hardin, Mo.
Hess, C. L.	Bogard, Mo.	Rennison, C. S.	Glasgow, Mo.
Hill, Ned.	St. Joseph, Mo.	Reynolds, E. W.	Williamstown, W. Va.
Holcomb, B. L.	New Hampton, Mo.	Rice, W. C.	Browning, Mo.
Holland, John	Callao, Mo.	Richeson, W. W.	Kirksville, Mo.
Holliday, R. C.	Maryville, Mo.	Rigg, W. B.	Clarksdale, Mo.
Hoover, S. E.	Agency, Mo.	Rixey, G. F.	Chillicothe, Mo.
Hornback, J. M.	Mexico, Mo.	Roberts, J. L.	Center, Mo.
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Howerton, J. W.	La Belle, Mo.	Rooker, J. S.	Braymer, Mo.
Howerton, R. W.	Kirksville, Mo.	Rooker, W. S.	Triplett, Mo.
Hoy, C. I.	St. Joseph, Mo.	Russell, W. C.	Bellflower, Mo.
Hubbard, J. H.	Fulton, Mo.	Rutherford, William	Lock Springs, Mo.
Hughes, J. A.	Silex, Mo.	Rutledge, E. L.	Linneus, Mo.
Hunt, J. D.	Chillicothe, Mo.	Ryan, H. E.	Lineville, Iowa
Hunt, W. P.	Dearborn, Mo.	Sayers, D. L.	Orrick, Mo.
Jackson, J. H.	Mexico, Mo.	Scarborough, W. L.	Fulton, Mo.
Johnson, A. C.	Fulton, Mo.	Schlueter, G. A.	Warrenton, Mo.
Johnson, N. F.	Jamesport, Mo.	Shackleford, D. R.	Baldwin, Kans.
Jones, E. A.	Fayette, Mo.	Shadwick, G. A.	Montgomery, Mo.
Jones, Ernest	Sturgeon, Mo.	Shemwell, M. L.	Clifton Hill, Mo.
Keithley, J. W.	Savannah, Mo.	Sherman, C. A.	Goss, Mo.
Kimbrall, J. W.	Pattonsburg, Mo.	Shilling, C. K.	Fayette, Mo.
King, W. D.	Paris, Mo.	Shoemaker, H. A.	Madison, Mo.
Kirby, L. M.	Hamburg, Iowa	Siceloff, L. P.	Fayette, Mo.
Knight, W. T.	Huntsville, Mo.	Sipple, B. D.	Macon, Mo.
Lanius, Carol V.	Canton, Mo.	Slade, J. W.	Readsville, Mo.
Lawson, J. L.	Fayette, Mo.	Smallwood, B. H.	Columbia, Mo.
Leake, B. F.	Downing, Mo.	Smart, S. A.	Turney, Mo.
Leatherman, S. B.	Milan, Mo.	Smith, G. B.	Macon, Mo.
Lewellyn, W. B.	Grayson, Mo.	Smith, J. S.	Brookfield, Mo.
Linn, P. H.	Fayette, Mo.	Snarr, J. A.	New Franklin, Mo.
Lisenbee, J. A.	Lakenan, Mo.	Snowden, A.	Elmo, Mo.
Lockhart, O. E.	Guliford, Mo.	Sparks, L. R.	Lewistown, Mo.
Lyle, J. B.	Macon, Mo.	Speer, E. J.	Hunnewell, Mo.
Maggart, L. C.	Weston, Mo.	Stonger, S. J.	Edinburg, Mo.
Maggart, W. C.	Leonard, Mo.	Stormont, A. C.	Centralia, Mo.
Major, J. M.	Armstrong, Mo.	Stout, H. E.	Fayette, Mo.
Mapel, F. J.	Excelsior Springs, Mo.	Swann, E. C.	San Benito, Tex.
Marlin, H. D.	Dalton, Mo.	Swearingen, T. H.	Ladonia, Mo.
Marvin, Fielding	Fayette, Mo.	Tanquary, J. W.	Memphis, Mo.
Mathis, A. P.	Weatherby, Mo.	Taylor, J. L.	Granfield, Okla.
Mathews, N. F.	Jameson, Mo.	Taylor, P. P.	New Haven, Conn.
McBee, D. R.	Norborne, Mo.	Taylor, T. M.	Fairfax, Mo.
McCoy, M. L. N.	Waldron, Mo.	Thompson, H. D.	La Belle, Mo.
McDonald, J. T.	St. Joseph, Mo.	Todd, George C.	Fairmont, Kans.
McGrew, H. T.	Westville, Mo.	Tomlin, R. S.	Evanston, Ill.
McIlvoy, Robert	Clarence, Mo.	Triplett, R. O.	Monroe City, Mo.
McKee, W. A.	Breckenridge, Mo.	Tucker, T. C.	New Haven, Conn.
Medley, James A.	Smithville, Mo.	Uht, Christian L.	Maysville, Mo.
Medley, W. O.	Shelbyville, Mo.	Utter, W. H.	Winfield, Mo.
Meyer, William Lewis	Warrenton, Mo.	Vaughn, G. K.	Julian, Nebr.
Middleton, T. P.	Polo, Mo.	Wade, John	Avondale, Mo.
Milam, S. H.	Louisiana, Mo.	Weakley, W. R.	Japan
Miller, B. E.	Columbia, Mo.	Weatherford, J. L.	Marshfield, Mo.
Miller, H. I.	Cummings, Kans.	Werner, C. H.	Shelbina, Mo.
Mitchell, J. T.	Brashear, Mo.	West, M. A.	Chillicothe, Mo.
Mitchell, R. A.	Novelty, Mo.	Wetzel, R. M.	Ravenwood, Mo.
Monroe, J. M.	Rocheport, Mo.	White, Robert	Bartow, Fla.
Moore, M. H.	Liberty, Mo.	White, V. O.	St. Charles, Mo.
Moore, Marion	Bucklin, Mo.	Whitworth, J. O.	Galatin, Mo.
Moore, W. K.	La Grange, Mo.	Williams, S. M.	St. Joseph, Mo.
Mosley, F. E.	Gallatin, Mo.	Wilson, W. W.	Mokane, Mo.
Mumpowcr, J. A.	Palmyra, Mo.	Wimberly, H. B.	Brashear, Mo.
Murphy, L. E.	New Haven, Conn.	Wood, J. D.	Moberly, Mo.
Myers, William Leslie	Cowgill, Mo.	Wynn, W. P.	Hannibal, Mo.
Nash, I. W.	Troy, Mo.	Zumbrunnen, A. C.	Moberly, Mo.
Neighbors, Henry	McCredie, Mo.		
Newman, C. H.	DeWitt, Mo.		
Nickerson, J. L. F.	Arrington, Kans.		
Nollner, G. W.	Columbia, Mo.		
Parvin, W. J.	Chillicothe, Mo.		
Patton, J. F.	Kingston, Mo.		

## Montana Conference.

No List furnished.

**New Mexico Conference.**

Allison, S. E. .... Boswell, N. M.  
Armour, R. L. .... Toyah, Tex.  
Bell, A. C. .... Carlsbad, N. M.  
Bowen, E. B. .... Odessa, Tex.  
Campbell, C. K. .... El Paso, Tex.  
Campbell, J. W. .... Fort Davis, Tex.  
Carter, H. W. .... Hope, N. M.  
Cochran, J. B. .... Artesia, N. M.  
Douglass, A. C. .... Buena Vista, Tex.  
Etchison, J. F. .... Clovis, N. M.  
Faust, F. B. .... Van Horn, Tex.  
Foulks, W. E. .... Deming, N. M.  
Fuller, J. E. .... Lordsburg, N. M.  
Givan, G. H. .... Albuquerque, N. M.  
Golden, J. J. .... Alamogordo, N. M.  
Hendrix, J. W. .... Hagerman, N. M.  
Hurgett, W. S. .... Sierra Blanca, Tex.  
Jenkins, W. L. .... Rodgers, N. M.  
Jeter, J. .... Albuquerque, N. M.  
Johnson, J. A. .... Dallas, Tex.  
Jones, J. C. .... Albuquerque, N. M.  
Kelly, J. I. .... San Jon, N. M.  
Knickerbocker, P. .... El Paso, Tex.  
Lallance, T. L. .... Las Cruces, N. M.  
Lewis, E. D. .... Tucumcari, N. M.  
McClure, J. T. .... Roswell, N. M.  
Messer, J. H. .... Alpine, Tex.  
Mewborn, D. S. .... Denver, Colo.  
Morgan, E. C. .... Marfa, Tex.  
Morton, E. W. .... Lower Penasco, N. M.  
Nelson, W. W. .... Deming, N. M.  
Redman, J. T. .... Clovis, N. M.  
Smith, H. M. .... El Paso, Tex.  
Stevenson, R. E. .... Melrose, N. M.  
Trickey, J. A. .... Meeker, Okla.  
Turner, W. W. .... Portales, N. M.  
Walker, J. H. .... Pecos, Tex.  
Ward, George. .... Fort Davis, Tex.  
Weaver, A. B. .... Clint, Tex.  
Webb, J. N. S. .... Texico, N. M.  
West, W. P. .... Lakewood, N. M.  
Williams, M. O. .... Fort Stockton, Tex.

**ON TRIAL.**

Barton, H. M. .... San Marcial, N. M.  
Beauchamp, W. M. .... Lovington, N. M.  
Brooks, C. B. .... Magdalena, N. M.  
Chancey, J. G. .... Clovis, N. M.  
Crawford, R. A. .... Grady, N. M.  
Emmons, G. C. .... Gallup, N. M.  
Francis, Fred. .... Hachita, N. M.  
Scoggins, J. A. .... Vaughan, N. M.

**SUPPLIES.**

Carlton, L. W. .... Capitan, N. M.  
Collins, F. C. .... El Paso, Tex.  
Hatfield, C. H. .... El Paso, Tex.  
Knight, T. A. .... Richland, N. M.  
Self, W. L. ....

**North Alabama Conference.**

Abernathy, Nathan H. .... Haleyville, Ala.  
Abernathy, Paul L. .... Alexander City, Ala.  
Akin, John W. .... R. 1, Ensley, Ala.  
Aldridge, Frank L. .... Hartselle, Ala.  
Aldridge, Henry L. .... Madison, Ala.  
Aldridge, W. E. .... R. 1, Birmingham, Ala.  
Alley, George W. .... Cullman, Ala.  
Anderson, Robert W. .... Tuscaloosa, Ala.  
Andrews, W. T. .... Birmingham, Ala.  
Archibald, Robert M. .... Birmingham, Ala.  
Atkins, Lewis D. .... Pell City, Ala.  
Baker, Robert L. .... Oakman, Ala.  
Barber, Olin W. .... Somerville, Ala.  
Barnes, Ernest M. .... Standing Rock, Ala.  
Barnes, William D. .... Sylacauga, Ala.  
Barnes, W. F. .... R. 1, Childersburg, Ala.  
Battle, William R. .... Piedmont, Ala.  
Beal, William R. .... Trinity, Ala.  
Bellinger, B. M. .... R. 1, Oneonta, Ala.

Bennett, Franklin. .... Brookside, Ala.  
Beverly, Noah W. .... Vineland, Ala.  
Black, John E. .... Quinton, Ala.  
Black, John T. .... R. 2, Oakman, Ala.  
Blackburn, Julius S. .... Birmingham, Ala.  
Blythe, Sylvester V. .... Town Creek, Ala.  
Bobo, Clyde H. .... Corona, Ala.  
Bonner, Arthur. .... University, Ala.  
Bonner, Oscar A. .... Lanett, Ala.  
~~Bowen, Cawthon A.~~ .... Montgomery, Ala.  
Boyd, George E. .... Bessemer, Ala.  
Brandon, Frank W. .... Gadsden, Ala.  
~~Brascomb, Lewis C.~~ .... Birmingham, Ala.  
Brittain, James L. .... Birmingham, Ala.  
Brock, J. A. J. .... Haleyville, Ala.  
Brooks, Simon W. .... R. 1, Killen, Ala.  
Brown, John F. T. .... Holt, Ala.  
Burns, Alford N. .... Selfville, Ala.  
Burns, Omar R. .... Ensley, Ala.  
Burns, Samuel N. .... Hargrove, Ala.  
Busby, Lewis A. .... Berry, Ala.  
~~Butt, Moses D.~~ .... Childersburg, Ala.  
Buttram, Wilson M. .... Nauvoo, Ala.  
Cantrell, Boyd T. .... Scottsboro, Ala.  
Carlton, Isaac T. .... Florence, Ala.  
Carpenter, Zachariah R. .... Yolande, Ala.  
Cary, James W. .... R. 3, Albany, Ala.  
~~Chadwick, John S.~~ .... Nashville, Tenn.  
Chambers, Herbert O. .... Fairfield, Ala.  
Chappell, A. J. .... R. 1, Birmingham, Ala.  
Coffman, J. W. .... Helena, Ala.  
Cooper, George F. .... Birmingham, Ala.  
Cornelius, John P. .... Anniston, Ala.  
Craig, John C. .... Selma, Ala.  
Crim, Henry F. .... Blocton, Ala.  
Crow, Joseph J. .... Bessemer, Ala.  
Crymes, Walter W. .... Lineville, Ala.  
Culberson, John W. .... Sycamore, Ala.  
Cunning, John B. .... Birmingham, Ala.  
Curl, John W. .... Empire, Ala.  
Daniel, Solomon T. .... Florence, Ala.  
Daniel, William T. .... Shawmutt, Ala.  
Davenport, George M. .... Bessemer, Ala.  
Davidson, James N. .... Winfield, Ala.  
Dill, Ralph L. .... Brookwood, Ala.  
Dobbs, Benamin L. .... Pleasant Hill, Ala.  
Dobbs, George C. .... R. 2, East Lake, Ala.  
Dobbs, Samuel L. .... Gadsden, Ala.  
Dorman, William W. .... Montevallo, Ala.  
Dowling, Z. A. .... Boyles, Ala.  
Draper, Walter E. .... Fort Payne, Ala.  
Driskill, George E. .... Goodwater, Ala.  
Duncan, James A. .... Birmingham, Ala.  
Duncan, W. R. .... Owens Cross Roads, Ala.  
Echols, Robert. .... Birmingham, Ala.  
Eddins, William R. .... Ensley, Ala.  
Emerson, Erastus D. .... Ashville, Ala.  
Emerson, Eugene E. .... Townley, Ala.  
Emerson, Samuel R. .... Birmingham, Ala.  
Farrell, John M. .... Edwardsville, Ala.  
Faust, William E. .... Roanoke, Ala.  
Francis, James C. .... Gordo, Ala.  
Freeman, Arthur M. .... Birmingham, Ala.  
Fulmer, Edward. .... Courtland, Ala.  
Ferguson, John L. .... Birmingham, Ala.  
Gamble, Foster K. .... Birmingham, Ala.  
Gaston, W. G. .... R. 1, Birmingham, Ala.  
Glasgow, Benjamin B. .... Athens, Ala.  
Glasgow, James S. .... McCalla, Ala.  
Glenn, Edgar M. .... Birmingham, Ala.  
Godbey, Charles C. .... Springville, Ala.  
Gregg, Arnold W. .... Fernbank, Ala.  
Gregory, Carl C. .... Birmingham, Ala.  
Grimes, George G. .... R. 3, Tuscumbia, Ala.  
Guthrie, William E. .... Sulligent, Ala.  
Hall, George M. .... R. 3, Athens, Ala.  
Hall, James O. .... Princeton, Ala.  
Hamby, Charles P. .... Birmingham, Ala.  
Hamby, William T. .... Leeds, Ala.  
Hammond, Benjamin F. .... Talladega, Ala.  
Hamner, Valcus W. .... Langdale, Ala.  
Hamric, William A. .... Gadsden, Ala.  
Hanes, James O. .... Birmingham, Ala.

Hannon, Robert Y.....	R. 3, Veto, Ala.	Moore, Robert N.....	Flat Rock, Ala.
Harris, George T.....	Jasper, Ala.	Morris, Joseph E.....	Dadeville, Ala.
Harris, John H.....	Wadley, Ala.	Morris, Joseph T.....	Birmingham, Ala.
Harris, Lando M.....	Gadsden, Ala.	Morris, Moses N.....	Trinity, Ala.
Harris, William M.....	Collinsville, Ala.	Morris, William E.....	Decatur, Ala.
Hartford, Robert H.....	Flat Rock, Ala.	Mullen, H. A.....	Daviston, Ala.
Hatsfield, Lee N.....	Wilsonville, Ala.	Myer, Marshall R.....	Hackneyville, Ala.
Hawkins, Ira F.....	Bessemer, Ala.	Nabors, Arthur H.....	Birmingham, Ala.
Hawkins, Virgil H.....	Lincoln, Ala.	Neil, William.....	Austinville, Ala.
Hayes, Thomas W.....	East Lake, Ala.	Newton, Marvin M.....	Birmingham, Ala.
Hefflin, Marvin R.....	Fayette, Ala.	Newton, Pierce L.....	Easonville, Ala.
Hefflin, Walter W.....	Vernon, Ala.	Nolen, John T.....	R. 6, Birmingham, Ala.
Hendricks, William L.....	Oneonta, Ala.	Norton, Ethelbert B.....	Talladega, Ala.
Herndon, Virgil C.....	Birmingham, Ala.	Norton, John W.....	Birmingham, Ala.
Herndon, William F.....	Pinson, Ala.	Notestine, Andrew J.....	Columbiana, Ala.
Herring, Charles L.....	Hefflin, Ala.	O'Neal, Carroll C.....	Roanoke, Ala.
Hewlett, Roy.....	Coker, Ala.	Orear, Claude.....	Birmingham, Ala.
Holdridge, W. L.....	Childersburg, Ala.	Owen, Seaborn A.....	Hollins, Ala.
Holdridge, William T.....	Hamilton, Ala.	<del>Parkin, Joseph.....</del>	<del>British Army</del>
Holmes, Lewis A.....	Tuscumbia, Ala.	Parrish, L. Fletcher.....	Birmingham, Ala.
Holmes, Oliver N.....	Watson, Ala.	Pass, Joseph H.....	Remlap, Ala.
Hope, William B.....	Albertville, Ala.	Pattillo, William T.....	Montevallo, Ala.
Horton, Isaac H.....	Spring Garden, Ala.	Peek, Ocie L.....	Ranburne, Ala.
Horton, Wiley O.....	Pratt City, Ala.	Persinger, Jesse C.....	Albany, Ala.
<del>Howard, Harry C.....</del>	<del>Emory University, Ga.</del>	Pettus, W. H.....	Gurley, Ala.
Howard, Willis T.....	Alabama City, Ala.	Phifer, Reuben M.....	Munford, Ala.
Howell, Roscoe McD.....	Boaz, Ala.	Ponder, Guy F.....	Moulton, Ala.
Howell, William McD.....	Springville, Ala.	Price, W. Frank.....	Sylacauga, Ala.
Howell, William R.....	Stevenson, Ala.	Prickett, Samuel L.....	Guntersville, Ala.
Huckaby, Wilbur C.....	Boyles, Ala.	Pruitt, Samuel L.....	Anniston, Ala.
Hullett, William S.....	Warrior, Ala.	Purcell, Clare.....	Sylacauga, Ala.
Hunter, James D.....	Attalla, Ala.	Ralls, Hamilton B.....	Piedmont, Ala.
Hunter, Samuel S.....	Cloverdale, Ala.	Randle, George M.....	Whiton, Ala.
Hurst, Henry M.....	Kellyton, Ala.	Ray, John O.....	Ohatchee, Ala.
Igou, James M.....	Meridianville, Ala.	Read, George W.....	Tuscaloosa, Ala.
<del>James, John L.....</del>	<del>R. F. D., Ensley, Ala.</del>	Redus, Edward B.....	Cordovo, Ala.
Jenkins, James E.....	Red Ray, Ala.	Reed, Charles W.....	Toney, Ala.
Johnson, James W.....	Birmingham, Ala.	Reid, W. J.....	Florence, Ala.
Johnson, Thomas H.....	Sheffield, Ala.	Rice, Walter L.....	Falkville, Ala.
Johnston, Jonathan D.....	Bessemer, Ala.	Rickey, H. W.....	Huntsville, Ala.
Jones, Andrew V.....	Paint Rock, Ala.	<del>Ridick, Cornelius B.....</del>	<del>San Diego, Cal.</del>
Jones, Robert H.....	Talladega, Ala.	Riddle, Jesse E.....	Athens, Ala.
Jones, Thomas O.....	Birmingham, Ala.	Roberts, Thomas K.....	Columbiana, Ala.
Kerr, Thomas A.....	Center, Ala.	Robertson, John S.....	Huntsville, Ala.
<del>Kelley, B. K.....</del>	<del>R. 2, St. Joseph, Tenn.</del>	Roy, Edward L.....	Cragford, Ala.
Kimbrough, Spencer O.....	Birmingham, Ala.	Rudisill, James F.....	Phil Campbell, Ala.
Lavender, Raleigh B.....	Tuscaloosa, Ala.	Rutland, W. W.....	Flat Rock, Ala.
Lane, Charles H.....	Rockford, Ala.	Sandlin, Jesse J.....	Piper, Ala.
<del>Hammond, Samuel U.....</del>	<del>R. 1, Bethel, Tenn.</del>	Sargent, I. B.....	Dora, Ala.
Lester, Francis F.....	Waterloo, Ala.	Savage, John C.....	Dawson, Ala.
Lester, Samuel R.....	Oneonta, Ala.	Schlosser, Fred J.....	R. 2, Albany, Ala.
Levie, William W.....	Kenedy, Ala.	Scott, William W.....	Jasper, Ala.
Mackay, Edward G.....	Birmingham, Ala.	Seale, Charles W.....	Center, Ala.
Mansfield, William H.....	Birmingham, Ala.	Self James T.....	Five Points, Ala.
Mapes, Forest R.....	Palos, Ala.	Sellers, George W.....	Fort Mead, Fla.
Maples, Samuel E.....	Fayette, Ala.	Sides, Robert W.....	Town Creek, Ala.
Marable, Champion S.....	Birmingham, Ala.	Shaw, Melville L.....	Steele, Ala.
Martin, George T.....	Millerville, Ala.	Simmons, John W.....	Altoona, Ala.
Martin, John S.....	Margerum, Ala.	Simpson, John D.....	Athens, Ala.
Martin, Largus P.....	Detroit, Ala.	Simpson, William K.....	Anniston, Ala.
Mathison, Albert L.....	Carbon Hill, Ala.	Slaton, Samuel T.....	Cullman, Ala.
Matthews, Henry S.....	Hackleburg, Ala.	Smith, George G.....	Wadley, Ala.
Matthews, Keener N.....	Anniston, Ala.	Smith, Melvin R.....	Carrollton, Ala.
May, John A.....	Gadsden, Ala.	Smith, Samuel B.....	Huntsville, Ala.
Mays, William A.....	Vincent, Ala.	<del>Spencer, James W.....</del>	<del>R. 2, East Lake, Ala.</del>
McBrayer, James W.....	Baileytown, Ala.	Stallings, Robert L.....	Siluria, Ala.
McCain, Marvin M.....	Tanner, Ala.	Stansell, Luther F.....	Florence, Ala.
McCarty, Walker J.....	Bridgeport, Ala.	Stevenson, Henry M.....	Decatur, Ala.
McClesky, James M.....	Lafayette, Ala.	Stoves, George.....	Huntsville, Ala.
McDonald, Thad. L.....	Ashland, Ala.	Sturdivant, Joel F.....	Florence, Ala.
McDonald, W. Marvin.....	Bessemer, Ala.	<del>Sturdivant, J. E. R. F. D., Birmingham, Ala.</del>	<del>Birmingham, Ala.</del>
McDonald, Walter P.....	Ragland, Ala.	Sturdivant, L. Garner.....	Birmingham, Ala.
<del>McGonatha, John.....</del>	<del>R. 4, Collinsville, Ala.</del>	<del>Stuart, George R.....</del>	<del>Birmingham, Ala.</del>
McGlaw, D. S.....	Gaylesville, Ala.	Sumner, Columbus L.....	Oxford, Ala.
McGlaw, Walter P.....	Ensley, Ala.	Swindell, Samuel A.....	Oakland, Ala.
McHugh, Jesse L.....	Mulga, Ala.	Tabor, John M.....	Alexandria, Ala.
McNutt, Daniel C.....	Camp Hill, Ala.	Tatum, Crawford A.....	Talladega, Ala.
Means, George H.....	Leighton, Ala.	Terry, John T.....	Russellville, Ala.
Melton, Isaac Q.....	Birmingham, Ala.	Thompson, Robert A.....	Birmingham, Ala.
<del>Melton, Wightman F.....</del>	<del>Oxford, Ga.</del>	Totherow, Edley D.....	Huntsville, Ala.
Miller, Benjamin F.....	Gadsden, Ala.	Turner, Charles C.....	Millport, Ala.
Miller, James T.....	Birmingham, Ala.	Turner, John R.....	Talladega, Ala.
Millican, Oscar L.....	Jacksonville, Ala.	Tyler, Richard T.....	Birmingham, Ala.



Tyler, Robert E.....Roanoke, Ala.  
Treadaway, William M.....Cleveland, Ala.  
Vann, Felix A.....Fruithurst, Ala.  
Vann, Joseph H.....New Market, Ala.  
Wade, William M.....Oak Bowery, Ala.  
Waites, Bennett T.....Ensley, Ala.  
Waites, Lewis A.....Northport, Ala.  
Waits, Harvey P.....Ethelville, Ala.  
Walker, John G.....Columbiana, Ala.  
Waller, I. K.....Wylam, Ala.  
Walston, Robert I.....East Lake, Ala.  
Ward, D. W.....Beaverton, Ala.  
Warren, Joshua.....Pell City, Ala.  
Wales, John A.....Calera, Ala.  
Wessinger, Lewis S.....Arab, Ala.  
~~Whitchhead, Harry.....Birmingham, Ala.~~  
Whitten, Leander F.....Birmingham, Ala.  
Wigley, James M.....Woodstock, Ala.  
Williams, James.....Pratt City, Ala.  
Williams, Joseph I.....Albertville, Ala.  
Wilson, Melville E.....Cherokee, Ala.  
Wilson, Reuben J.....Remlap, Ala.  
Wilson, Robert.....Toney, Ala.  
Wolford, Charles.....Birmingham, Ala.  
Wynn, Thomas M.....New Hope, Ala.  
Wells, P. B.....Birmingham, Ala.  
Young, Luther W.....Albany, Ala.

ON TRIAL—FIRST YEAR.

Burns, Early W.....Lacy Springs, Ala.  
Capps, Willis Lee.....Glen Allen, Ala.  
Chappell, William C.....Scottsboro, Ala.  
Corley, Emery W.....North Birmingham, Ala.  
Ferguson, J. Lambuth.....Arkadelphia, Ala.  
Gann, Joshua A., Jr.....Bexar, Ala.  
Graham, John W.....Bear Creek, Ala.  
Lowry, William A.....Horton, Ala.  
McReynolds, L. D.....Langston, Ala.  
Mimms, Samuel M.....Tuscaloosa, Ala.  
Pegues, David K.....Manchester, Ala.  
Thompson, Walter L.....Athens, Ala.

SECOND YEAR.

Alverson, Lonnie G.....Blountsville, Ala.  
Burks, Enoch M.....Emory University, Ga.  
Bynum, Gurley M.....Rodgersville, Ala.  
Clark, Jesse A.....Danville, Ala.  
Dunn, James F.....Wedowee, Ala.  
Jones, Lennie L.....Addison, Ala.  
Jordan, Thomas B.....Milltown, Ala.  
Kaylor, Jesse D.....Belgreen, Ala.  
Morris, William L.....Covin, Ala.  
Oliver, Plennie C. R. F. D., Dadeville, Ala.  
Porter, Bayless M.....Hanceville, Ala.  
Pugh, Ren G.....Henegar, Ala.  
Smith, Marion L.....Huntsville, Ala.  
Tiffin, Fred E.....Double Springs, Ala.  
Upton, Elijah.....Hoke's Bluff, Ala.  
Wilson, Robert C.....Flint, Ala.

North Arkansas Conference.

Adcock, W. M.....Bellville, Ark.  
Allbright, W. W.....Batesville, Ark.  
Anderson, J. A.....Conway, Ark.  
Anderson, W. W.....Searcy, Ark.  
Andrews, J. B.....Siloam Springs, Ark.  
Armstrong, H. A.....Lincoln, Ark.  
Ashmore, J. R.....Magazine, Ark.  
Bates, J. F. E.....Forrest City, Ark.  
Barton, G. M.....Buntyn, Tenn.  
Barrentine, J. H.....Vannale, Ark.  
Bearden, R. E. L.....Blytheville, Ark.  
Beardslee, O. J.....Moline, Ill.  
Bennett, Z. T.....Weldens, Ark.  
Bevins, M. C.....Bellefonte, Ark.  
Bevis, R. A.....Mammoth Spring, Ark.  
Bickley, E. N.....Belleville, Ark.  
Bishop, W. E.....Wilson, Ark.  
Blackwell, S. H.....Pocahontas, Ark.  
Blevans, L. A.....Clinton, Ark.  
Blevins, H. H.....Fayetteville, Ark.  
Bowen, T. A.....Harrisburg, Ark.  
Bradsher, I. C.....Salem, Ark.  
Branson, A. M. R.....Blytheville, Ark.  
Brown, S. F.....Gentry, Ark.  
Bryant, J. L.....Siloam Springs, Ark.  
Burrow, B. M.....Gentry, Ark.  
Butler, G. W.....Bradford, Ark.  
Buchanan, J. E.....Huntington, Ark.  
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<del>Branham, B. S.</del>	Emory University, Ga.	<del>Glenn, W. F.</del>	Atlanta, Ga.
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Branham, W. S.	Newborn, Ga.	<del>Gray, E. A.</del>	Nashville, Tenn.
Branson, T. J.	Villa Rica, Ga.	Greene, B. H.	Dunwoody, Ga.
Bray, V. L.	Young Harris, Ga.	Green, H. O.	Lincolnton, Ga.
Brinsfield, J. W.	Bethlehem, Ga.	Green, L. H.	Whitesburg, Ga.
<del>Brinsfield, W. W.</del>	Atlanta, Ga.	<del>Greenway, William</del>	Atlanta, Ga.
Browder, L. W.	Rome, Ga.	Gresham, J. B.	Subligna, Ga.
Brown, W. E.	Tunnell Hill, Ga.	Hagan, S. L.	Comer, Ga.
Butler, W. O.	Roswell, Ga.	Hale, E. D.	Woodbury, Ga.
Byrd, H. L.	Locust Grove, Ga.	Hall, C. A.	Mayfield, Ga.
Caldwell, W. T.	Senioia, Ga.	Hall, J. L.	Bowman, Ga.
<del>Campbell, R. L.</del>	Augusta, Ga.	Hamby, W. T.	Carrollton, Ga.
Cantrell, A. C.	Smyrna, Ga.	Hamilton, G. W.	Griffin, Ga.
Cantrell, D. B.	Jefferson, Ga.	Hammond, J. D.	Dalton, Ga.
Cantrell, F. D.	Eatonton, Ga.	<del>Harris, H. H.</del>	Atlanta, Ga.
Carmichael, W. P.	Stockbridge, Ga.	Harris, S. A.	Elberton, Ga.
Carroll, W. W.	Watkinsville, Ga.	Harrison, R. T.	Murrayville, Ga.
<del>Cary, C. C.</del>	Atlanta, Ga.	Hawkins, J. M.	Decatur, Ga.
Chambers, G. A.	Bowden, Ga.	Hawks, Z. V.	Ball Ground, Ga.
Chastain, G. L.	Rome, Ga.	Hays, C. N.	Rayle, Ga.
Cherry, S. D.	Flowery Branch, Ga.	Henderson, Irby	Hogansville, Ga.
Christian, H. C.	College Park, Ga.	Hendrick, Claude	Lindale, Ga.
Christian, T. J.	Newnan, Ga.	Hendricks, H. L.	Summerville, Ga.
Clark, W. H.	Hapeville, Ga.	<del>Hendrix, W. R.</del>	Atlanta, Ga.
<del>Cleekier, R. C.</del>	Atlanta, Ga.	Hill, J. S.	Inman, Ga.
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<del>Collins, L. W.</del>	Atlanta, Ga.	Hinesley, Nelson	Calhoun, Ga.
Cooper, W. H.	Atlanta, Ga.	Huckaby, L. P.	Crawfordville, Ga.

Hudson, F. S.	Tignall, Ga.	Read, B. Postel	Milstead, Ga.
Hughes, A. J.	Acworth, Ga.	Read, K.	Social Circle, Ga.
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Hunnicut, W. T.	Cedartown, Ga.	Rivers, L. W.	Bolton, Ga.
Hutchinson, A. S.	Chipley, Ga.	Roark, V. A.	Rutledge, Ga.
<del>Irvine, W. T.</del>	Augusta, Ga.	Roberts, J. F.	Manchester, Ga.
Ivey, C. T.	Carrollton, Ga.	Robins, J. T.	Gray, Ga.
Jamison, O. A.	Atlanta, Ga.	Robison, W. S.	Sparta, Ga.
Jarrell, C. C.	Emory University, Ga.	<del>Rogers, R. W.</del>	Zebulon, Ga.
Jenkins, F. E.	Powder Springs, Ga.	Rogers, Wallace.	Atlanta, Ga.
Jenkins, J. S.	Augusta, Ga.	Roper, Lucien	Ringgold, Ga.
Johnson, D. P.	Ringgold, Ga.	<del>Rorie, J. E.</del>	Washington, Ga.
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<del>Jones, E. W.</del>	Athens, Ga.	Sams, M. B.	Lavonia, Ga.
<del>Jones, H. H.</del>	<del>Morhead, Ga.</del>	Sanders, A. B.	Fayetteville, Ga.
Jones, J. R.	Jenkinsburg, Ga.	Sanders, Britton	Stone Mountain, Ga.
Jordan, J. R.	Apalachee, Ga.	<del>Sansburn, A. E.</del>	Atlanta, Ga.
Kellett, P. A.	Grantville, Ga.	Sappington, J. S. L.	Maysville, Ga.
Kendall, T. R., Sr.	Milledgeville, Ga.	Scott, A. E.	Kingston, Ga.
Kendall, T. R., Jr.	Covington, Ga.	Scoville, V. P.	Commerce, Ga.
Kennedy, W. R.	Eton, Ga.	<del>Seaborn, F. R.</del>	Milledgeville, Ga.
King, G. L.	Young Harris, Ga.	Sears, A. J.	Athens, Ga.
<del>King, J. R.</del>	Rome, Ga.	<del>Sewell, J. A.</del>	Atlanta, Ga.
King, J. W.	Kirkwood, Ga.	Sewell, J. M.	Clinton, Ga.
King, Olin	Forsyth, Ga.	<del>Sharp, J. A.</del>	Atlanta, Ga.
King, W. P.	Griffin, Ga.	Silvey, A. E.	Augusta, Ga.
Knowles, G. C.	Dearing, Ga.	<del>Simmons, C. C.</del>	East Point, Ga.
Landrum, L. L.	Homer, Ga.	Simmons, W. A.	Mansfield, Ga.
Lanford, V. E.	Jefferson, Ga.	Singleton, W. L.	Cumming, Ga.
<del>La Prade, W. H., Jr.</del>	Atlanta, Ga.	Smith, A. M.	Funston, Ga.
<del>Leake, Sanford</del>	East Lake, Tenn.	Smith, F. R.	Alpharetta, Ga.
Ledbetter, S. B.	Cartersville, Ga.	Smith, H. S.	McDonough, Ga.
Lewis, J. R.	Sparta, Ga.	<del>Smith, R. B.</del>	Marietta, Ga.
Linn, L. B.	Clarksville, Ga.	Sorrells, G. T.	Turin, Ga.
Lipham, C. M.	Calhoun, Ga.	Spearmen, F. G.	Chickamauga, Ga.
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Logan, J. G.	Cartersville, Ga.	Speer, J. R.	Duluth, Ga.
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Lowe, J. T.	Rome, Ga.	<del>Speer, Zedekiah</del>	Tilton, Ga.
Mackay, W. R.	Monticello, Ga.	Spence, W. D.	La Grange, Ga.
<del>Magath, Jattus</del>	Oxford, Ga.	Sprayberry, A. M.	Gay, Ga.
Maness, Arthur	Grovetown, Ga.	Sprayberry, J. A.	Dacula, Ga.
<del>Marchman, C. P.</del>	Atlanta, Ga.	Stanton, E. M.	Ozona, Fla.
Martin, C. S.	Loco, Ga.	Stephens, J. W.	Elberton, Ga.
Martyn, R. P.	College Park, Ga.	Stevenson, W. D.	Hartwell, Ga.
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Maxwell, W. A.	Senola, Ga.	Strickland, J. S.	Covington, Ga.
Maxwell, T. H.	Adairsville, Ga.	Strozler, H. M.	Carnesville, Ga.
Mays, H. B.	Madison, Ga.	Sullivan, A. A.	Walesca, Ga.
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McMullen, W. O.	Hampton, Ga.	Tatum, R. P.	Forsyth, Ga.
Middlebrooks, C. L.	Aragon, Ga.	Thomasson, E. G.	Stone Mountain, Ga.
<del>Milligan, Walter</del>	Oxford, Ga.	Thompson, Nath	Griffin, Ga.
Mills, W. B.	Bright, Ga.	Thompson, H. L.	Cleveland, Ga.
Milton, J. D.	Cornelia, Ga.	Tilley, A. A.	Milledgeville, Ga.
Mize, B. F.	Shady Dale, Ga.	<del>Timmerman, J. A.</del>	
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Morris, J. V. M.	Athens, Ga.	Tumlin, G. W.	Culloden, Ga.
Neff, L. W.	La Grange, Ga.	Tumlin, J. M.	Decatur, Ga.
Norton, C. A.	Milner, Ga.	Turner, J. D.	Hartwell, Ga.
Norton, W. S.	Atlanta, Ga.	Turner, J. R.	Thomaston, Ga.
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Partridge, J. A.	La Fayette, Ga.	Veatch, J. W.	Buchanan, Ga.
Patterson, D. S.	Mountville, Ga.	Venable, G. F.	Elberton, Ga.
<del>Pattillo, C. L.</del>	Decatur, Ga.	Verdel, C. M.	Hoschton, Ga.
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Pierce, A. M.	Augusta, Ga.	Warwick, Adrian	Varnell, Ga.
<del>Pierce, W. L.</del>	Griffin, Ga.	Wasson, S. E.	Rome, Ga.
Ponder, O. M.	Gainesville, Ga.	Watkins, A. P.	Clayton, Ga.
Purcell, W. E.	Holly Springs, Ga.	Watkins, J. W. G.	College Park, Ga.
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Quillian, Frank	Barnesville, Ga.	Weathers, C. V.	East Point, Ga.
<del>Quillian, H. M.</del>	Atlanta, Ga.	Wells, W. A.	Roopville, Ga.
Quillian, J. A.	Canton, Ga.	Whitaker, M. B.	Buckhead, Ga.
Quillian, J. Wiley	Gainesville, Ga.	White, Neal A.	White Pains, Ga.
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Williams, Felton	Thomson, Ga.
Williams, Marvin	Greensboro, Ga.
<del>Williams, M. S.</del>	Oxford, Ga.
Winn, W. M.	Culloden, Ga.
<del>Wood, E. H.</del>	Senola, Ga.
Woodruff, W. A.	Athens, Ga.
<del>Yarbrough, G. W.</del>	College Park, Ga.
Yarbrough, J. F.	College Park, Ga.

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Chandler, J. A.	Blairsville, Ga.
Couch, J. H.	Alpharetta, Ga.
David, R. S.	
Davis, W. C.	Georgetown, Ga.
<del>Fleming, B. S.</del>	Atlanta, Ga.
Folks, W. C.	
Gray, J. A.	Emory University, Ga.
Griffies, J. A.	White, Ga.
Hamrick, V. B.	Atlanta, Ga.
Hardy, J. H.	Armuchee, Ga.
Henry, V. P.	Emory University, Ga.
Jones, W. M.	Monroe, Ga.
Lee, T. M.	Blue Ridge, Ga.
McBreyer, D. A.	Dalton, Ga.
McKibben, J. W. D.	Covington, Ga.
Owens, F. C.	Blairsville, Ga.
Parker, J. E.	Rome, Ga.
Pim, B. F., Jr.	Marietta, Ga.
<del>Read, C. D.</del>	Atlanta, Ga.
Roberson, J. C.	Glenn, Ga.
<del>Rutland, R. E.</del>	Emory University, Ga.
Shell, G. T.	Mesena, Ga.
Smith, B. H.	Athens, Ga.
Smith, H. T.	Chatsworth, Ga.
Smith, M. J.	Emerson, Ga.
<del>Stipe, H. E.</del>	Atlanta, Ga.
Trulock, A. S.	Stilesboro, Ga.
Twiggs, W. M.	Monticello, Ga.
Watkins, W. T.	Middleton, Ga.
Wright, L. E.	The Rock, Ga.

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Cook, J. M.	Waco, Ga.
Cruse, W. D.	Whitesburg, Ga.
Fuller, T. E.	La Grange, Ga.
Henderson, C. K.	Cedartown, Ga.
Johnson, R. I.	Alpharetta, Ga.
Jones, J. L.	Atlanta, Ga.
McDerwent, O. P.	Gainesville, Ga.
McElroy, G. W.	College Park, Ga.
Owens, T. J.	Draketown, Ga.
Parsons, N. A.	Lyerly, Ga.
Scott, R. L.	Sparta, Ga.
Stewart, Robert	
Thomas, C. A.	Atlanta, Ga.
Underwood, J. A.	Louisville, Ga.
Via, B. S.	Atlanta, Ga.
Wolford, J. P.	Atlanta, Ga.

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Armour, O. P.	Wall Hill, Miss.
Babb, D. W.	Crawford, Miss.
Baird, J. J.	Ripley, Miss.
Baker, G. A.	R. 2. Sarah, Miss.
Baley, C. W.	Strongs, Miss.
Bazzel, W. T.	Wheeler, Miss.
Beasley, A. R.	Poplar Creek, Miss.
Bell, J. H.	Columbus, Miss.
Bell, J. W.	Okolona, Miss.
Bennett, A. M.	Tyro, Miss.

Bennett, W. D.	Sardis, Miss.
Biffle, J. A.	Eudora, Miss.
Boswell, J. W.	Nashville, Tenn.
Bowen, J. A.	Tupelo, Miss.
Bowlin, W. A.	Cedar Bluff, Miss.
Bradley, J. M.	Aberdeen, Miss.
Bradley, O. W.	Tupelo, Miss.
Bradley, T. M.	Cleveland, Miss.
Brantley, C. R. A.	R. 7, Aberdeen, Miss.
Bright, J. R.	Friars Point, Miss.
Brisco, A. S.	Nettleton, Miss.
Brooks, J. H.	Senatobia, Miss.
Brooks, J. J.	Dublin, Miss.
Brown, R. O.	Clarksdale, Miss.
Brown, S. A.	Kosciusko, Miss.
Brownlee, T. M.	Grenada, Miss.
Broyles, E. N.	Macon, Miss.
Bruner, W. W.	Pleasant Hill, Miss.
Bullard, B. F. M.	Duck Hill, Miss.
Burks, W. G.	Dumas, Miss.
Burns, M. A.	Mount Pleasant, Miss.
Burt, W. J.	Mayhew, Miss.
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Campbell, W. M.	Shelby, Miss.
Carlisle, W. C.	Louisville, Miss.
Cockrum, H. M.	Chester, Miss.
Cogdell, D. L.	Corinth, Miss.
Coleman, J. A.	Arcola, Miss.
Collins, R. I.	Courtland, Miss.
Conner, J. B.	Arkabutla, Miss.
Countiss, J. R.	Grenada, Miss.
Crowson, D. H.	Paris, Miss.
Cunningham, E. H.	Leland, Miss.
Cunningham, J. E.	Corinth, Miss.
Curtis, V. C.	Greenville, Miss.
Davenport, A. L.	Corinth, Miss.
Davis, R. M.	Byhalia, Miss.
Dodds, W. N.	Verona, Miss.
Dorman, J. W.	Water Valley, Miss.
Dorsey, T. H.	Corinth, Miss.
Duncan, W. N.	Winona, Miss.
Duren, W. L.	Columbus, Miss.
Edmondson, H. C.	Iuka, Miss.
Ellis, R. E.	Mayhew, Miss.
Evans, R. M.	Calhoun City, Miss.
Evans, R. W.	Gunnison, Miss.
Felts, J. H.	Holly Springs, Miss.
Floyd, C. T.	Holcomb, Miss.
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Freeman, T. G.	Grenada, Miss.
Fullilove, B. P.	Walnut, Miss.
Galceran, W. C.	Shaw, Miss.
Garner, J. J.	Kilmichael, Miss.
Gladney, R. H. B.	Sardis, Miss.
Goad, J. A.	Myrtle, Miss.
Goar, R. P.	Pittsboro, Miss.
Gordon, G. W.	Noxapater, Miss.
Goudelock, W. R.	Crenshaw, Miss.
Graves, W. L.	Montpelier, Miss.
Gregory, T. E.	Caledonia, Miss.
Guinn, J. M.	Brooksville, Miss.
Hall, J. A.	Greenwood, Miss.
Halfacre, T. J.	Artesia, Miss.
Harris, W. C.	Uvalde, Tex.
Harrison, W. S.	Starkville, Miss.
Hartsfield, W. W.	Rienzi, Miss.
Holder, J. H.	Sardis, Miss.
Holland, I. F.	Macon, Miss.
Hopper, T. J.	Toccolola, Miss.
Houston, T. L.	Bellefontaine, Miss.
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Ingram, J. H.	Ruleville, Miss.
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Johnson, J. G.	Black Hawk, Miss.
Johnson, M. J.	Hernando, Miss.
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 Lockhart, J. T. .... Lambert, Miss.  
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 Martin, A. A. .... Minter City, Miss.  
 McCafferty, J. T. .... Durant, Miss.  
 McCorkle, A. C. .... Byhalia, Miss.  
 McCullough, W. D. .... Shannon, Miss.  
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 McElroy, J. C. .... Sturgis, Miss.  
 McGee, F. H. .... Cockrum, Miss.  
 McIlwain, A. T. .... Glen Allen, Miss.  
 McKeown, L. A. .... Iuka, Miss.  
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 Moose, J. M. .... Manila, P. I.  
 Moss, C. P. .... Tchula, Miss.  
 Mounger, W. H. .... Charleston, Miss.  
 Nabors, J. L. .... Potts Camp, Miss.  
 Neblett, R. P. .... Como, Miss.  
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 Northington, C. A. .... New Albany, Miss.  
 Oakes, T. L. .... McCool, Miss.  
 O'Bryant, A. W. .... Mashulaville, Miss.  
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 Park, J. C. .... Starkville, Miss.  
 Patterson, B. P. .... Mathiston, Miss.  
 Patterson, J. A. .... Sallis, Miss.  
 Poe, J. A. .... Sidon, Miss.  
 Pope, S. L. .... New Albany, Miss.  
 Porter, James. .... Mathiston, Miss.  
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 Price, J. W. .... Lambert, Miss.  
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 Roberts, H. G. .... Coldwater, Miss.  
 Rogers, W. F. .... Oakland, Miss.  
 Rook, E. H. .... Vardaman, Miss.  
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 Smith, J. H. .... Carrollton, Miss.  
 Smoot, E. R. .... Holly Springs, Miss.  
 Stephens, J. E. .... Coahoma, Miss.  
 Stormont, W. L. .... Coffeeville, Miss.  
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 Thomas, J. E. .... Amory, Miss.  
 Tucker, R. A. .... Grenada, Miss.  
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 Wasson, D. R. .... Jonestown, Miss.  
 Wasson, L. P. .... West Point, Miss.  
 Wendel, W. D. .... Sardis, Miss.  
 Wier, T. C. .... Starkville, Miss.  
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 Floyd, E. H. .... R. 3, Smithville, Miss.  
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 Love, G. B. .... Kossuth, Miss.  
 Oakes, Carl. .... Ebenezer, Miss.  
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 Alderson, J. F. .... Royce City, Tex.  
 Anderson, H. E. .... Celina, Tex.  
 Archer, J. F. .... Como, Tex.  
 Archer, P. C. .... McKinney, Tex.  
 Ashburn, I. S. .... Archer City, Tex.  
 Atchley, J. R. .... Bridgeport, Tex.  
 Ball, S. L. .... Sherman, Tex.  
 Barberee, W. E. .... Marysville, Tex.  
 Barcus, J. Sam. .... Wichita Falls, Tex.  
 Barnes, S. A. .... Wichita Falls, Tex.  
 Barnett, W. W. .... Sunset, Tex.  
 Baughman, J. W. .... Reily Springs, Tex.  
 Beck, J. W. .... Allen, Tex.  
 Beckham, J. W. .... Avery, Tex.  
 Beckham, T. J. .... Paris, Tex.  
 Black, S. M. .... Cooper, Tex.  
 Bludworth, J. T. .... Klondike, Tex.  
 Bludworth, W. J. .... Nevada, Tex.  
 Bounds, C. L. .... Wolfe City, Tex.  
 Bounds, Minor. .... Nocona, Tex.  
 Bourland, H. A. .... Dallas, Tex.  
 Bowen, C. L. .... Richardson, Tex.  
 Boyd, G. F. .... Decatur, Tex.  
 Bradford, A. P. .... Iowa Park, Tex.  
 Breedlove, R. T. .... Ravenna, Tex.  
 Bridges, A. T. .... R. F. D. 4, Honey Grove, Tex.  
 Brown, E. F. .... Chico, Tex.  
 Brown, W. H. .... Dallas, Tex.  
 Bryant, R. F. .... Sulphur Springs, Tex.  
 Buck, R. P. .... Howe, Tex.  
 Burgin, S. H. C. .... Dallas, Tex.  
 Burk, L. A. .... Myra, Tex.  
 Byars, W. B. .... Windom, Tex.  
 Carter, G. B. .... Byers, Tex.  
 Casey, E. H. .... Kaufman, Tex.  
 Chambers, H. B. .... Brookston, Tex.

Chappell, C. G.	Dallas, Tex.	Kiker, Ira C.	Grand Prairie, Tex.
Childress, C. C.	Greenville, Tex.	Kirby, W. E.	Brashear, Tex.
Clark, C. M.	Greenwood, Tex.	Kirk, T. M.	Crandall, Tex.
Clark, W. F.	Dallas, Tex.	Lamb, C. E.	Clarksville, Tex.
Clifton, J. W.	Greenville, Tex.	Lancaster, E. F.	Josephine, Tex.
Coburn, E. H.	Bryson, Tex.	Leath, J. O.	Sherman, Tex.
Cole, E. V.	Pilot Point, Tex.	Lehnhoff, G. A.	Bowie, Tex.
Combs, C. P.	Duncanville, Tex.	Little, N. C.	Sadler, Tex.
Conkin, L. E.	Greenville, Tex.	Long, C. A.	Gainesville, Tex.
Cook, H. G.	Dallas, Tex.	Lovell, T. W.	Sanger, Tex.
Cooper, J. J.	Woodland, Tex.	Malden, M. G.	Dallas, Tex.
Cooper, O. T.	Denison, Tex.	Martin, W. B.	
Coppedge, W. A.	Bonham, Tex.		R. F. D. 2, Mount Vernon, Tex.
Cosby, H. M.	Paris, Tex.	McCarter, W. R.	Deport, Tex.
Cowling, H. M.	Scurry, Tex.	McDougal, James	New Boston, Tex.
Crandall, E. H.	Frisco, Tex.	McKinney, C. F.	Pottsboro, Tex.
Crutchfield, F. A.	Henrietta, Tex.	McLean, J. H.	Dallas, Tex.
Crutchfield, I. N.	Bellevue, Tex.	Miller, F. O.	McKinney, Tex.
Crutchfield, S.	Phoenix, Ariz.	Miller, S. W.	Frisco, Tex.
Curry, R. B.	Bellevue, Tex.	Minnis, J. B.	Ben Franklin, Tex.
Dale, W. E.	R. F. D. 1, Whitewright, Tex.	Montgomery, C. D.	Dallas, Tex.
Davis, J. B.	R. F. D. 8, Dallas, Tex.	Mood, R. G.	Denton, Tex.
Davis, J. V.	Caddo Mills, Tex.	Moore, John	Sherman, Tex.
Davis, M. R. T.	Ringgold, Tex.	Moore, John M.	Nashville, Tenn.
Davis, W. F.	Trenton, Tex.	Moreland, O. E.	R. F. D. 1, Greenville, Tex.
Dennis, C. W.	McKinney, Tex.	Moreland, R. B.	Decatur, Tex.
Dobbs, M. C.	Cedar Hill, Tex.	Morgan, J. J.	Dallas, Tex.
Drew, E. A.	Paradise, Tex.	Morris, J. L.	Paris, Tex.
Edgar, E. L.	Telephone, Tex.	Morris, T. H.	Greenville, Tex.
Edwards, W. A.	Sta. A, Dallas, Tex.	Mountcastle, W. D.	Paris, Tex.
Egger, E. L.	Terrell, Tex.	Murphy, J. W.	Pilot Point, Tex.
Egner, A. S.	Pilot Point, Tex.	Nash, A. R.	Whitewright, Tex.
Ely, R. L.	Mesquite, Tex.	Naugle, L. L.	Fairlie, Tex.
Farler, S. P.	Blue Ridge, Tex.	Old, J. A.	Dallas, Tex.
Fischer, R. W.	Irving, Tex.	Oliver, N. W.	Mount Vernon, Tex.
Fladger, C. B.	Royse City, Tex.	Ownby, S. M.	Greenwood, Tex.
French, G. C.	Dallas, Tex.	Palmer, L. F.	Nocona, Tex.
Fuller, D. F.	Wylie, Tex.	Perry, L. C.	Terrell, Tex.
Gibson, A. W.	Commerce, Tex.	Pierce, J. F.	Sherman, Tex.
Gibson, G. M.	Dallas, Tex.	Pierce, H. L.	Terrell, Tex.
Glanville, C. W.	Krum, Tex.	Pirtle, H. M.	Trenton, Tex.
Gober, J. B.	Greenville, Tex.	Porter, D. K.	Sherman, Tex.
Golson, C. B.	Bailey, Tex.	Porter, R. E.	Garland, Tex.
Gorsline, R. S.	Edmund, Okla.	Powell, Nathan	Dallas, Tex.
Hall, B. B.	Lone Oak, Tex.	Preston, T. W.	Forney, Tex.
Hamilton, M. L.	Greenville, Tex.	Pritchett, W. A.	Bogota, Tex.
Hand, H. C.	Aubrey, Tex.	Rea, J. Leonard	Celeste, Tex.
Hanson, L. A.	Princeton, Tex.	Read, M. H.	Pecan Gap, Tex.
Harris, E. J.	R. F. D. 5, Dallas, Tex.	Reynolds, J. H.	Sherman, Tex.
Harris, E. L.	Jacksboro, Tex.	Richardson, F. M.	Hutchins, Tex.
Harrison, L. W.	Hale Center, Tex.	Riddle, S. C.	Rockwall, Tex.
Harless, C. M.	Gainesville, Tex.	Roach, J. E.	
Hay, S. R.	Dallas, Tex.	Roberts, E. G.	Kemp, Tex.
Hayburn, S. L.	Pickton, Tex.	Rodgers, J. P.	Fate, Tex.
Hayes, B. T.	Whitesboro, Tex.	Rogers, O. T.	Collinsville, Tex.
Hendrix, A. F.	Roxton, Tex.	Russell, C. H.	Quinlan, Tex.
Hicks, R. C.	Clarksville, Tex.	Rosser, F. A.	Dallas, Tex.
Hightower, A. P.	Pattonville, Tex.	Sanders, Lee	Post Oak, Tex.
Hill, J. W.	Commerce, Tex.	Satterfield, C. L.	R. F. D. 7, Terrell, Tex.
Hines, M. P.	Petrolia, Tex.	Sauls, W. D.	Wichita Falls, Tex.
Holmes, J. F.	Plano, Tex.	Schuler, R. P.	Paris, Tex.
Howell, W. C.	Lancaster, Tex.	Scrimshire, J. H.	Whitesboro, Tex.
Hubbard, Alex.	R. F. D. 1, Commerce, Tex.	Shawver, L. D.	Denison, Tex.
Huckabee, R. M.	Jacksboro, Tex.	Sherwood, J. F.	Terrell, Tex.
Hudgins, J. D.	Boyd, Tex.	Short, J. E.	Decatur, Tex.
Huffstutler, T. L.	Burkburnett, Tex.	Shugart, C. O.	Sta. A, Dallas, Tex.
Humphreys, J. P.	Alvord, Tex.	Silliman, E. L.	Merit, Tex.
Hunter, J. H.	San Antonio, Tex.	Simpson, Claude M.	Dallas, Tex.
Hunter, J. N.	Sta. A, Dallas, Tex.	Slagle, G. R.	Weston, Tex.
Irwin, Gilbert	Electra, Tex.	Slagle, J. W.	Valley View, Tex.
Isbell, K. R.	Ladonia, Tex.	Smith, C. M.	Bells, Tex.
Jackson, E. B.	Mabank, Tex.	Smith, H. E.	Floydada, Tex.
Johnson, J. L.	R. F. D. 1, Sherman, Tex.	Smith, L. P.	Sta. A, Dallas, Tex.
Johnson, W. J.	Dallas, Tex.	Sooter, M. C.	Dodd City, Tex.
Johnson, W. W.	Dallas, Tex.	Spragins, C. A.	Greenville, Tex.
Johnston, M. B.	Decatur, Tex.	Spurlock, E. L.	Greenville, Tex.
Jones, E. M.	Roanoke, Tex.	Stafford, J. A.	Farmersville, Tex.
Jones, G. F.	Prosper, Tex.	Sterling, A. C.	Elmo, Tex.
Kavanaugh, C. W.	Annona, Tex.	Stone, N. R.	Lewisville, Tex.
Kern, Paul B.	Dallas, Tex.	Stout, M. A.	Era, Tex.
Kerr, J. A.	Henrietta, Tex.	Stuckey, W. A.	Decatur, Tex.
Kerr, R. S.	Anna, Tex.	Sullivan, J. L.	Cumby, Tex.
Kidd, A. A.	Sherman, Tex.	Sweeton, J. M.	Leonard, Tex.

Tannery, L. F.....Petty, Tex.  
 Thomas, I. A.....Terrell, Tex.  
 Thomas, J. D.....Howland, Tex.  
 Thomas, O. S.....Dallas, Tex.  
 Thompson, E. B.....Commerce, Tex.  
 Thompson, W. B.....Sulphur Springs, Tex.  
 Tincher, J. W.....Aubrey, Tex.  
 Tittle, W. L.....Bonham, Tex.  
 Vernon, W. N.....Justin, Tex.  
 Vinson, J. E.....Hillsboro, Tex.  
 Wages, J. R.....Bonham, Tex.  
 Wall, A.....Vashti, Tex.  
 Watkins, A. F.....Megargel, Tex.  
 Weaver, J. C.....St. Jo, Tex.  
 Webster, B. H.....Sta. A, Dallas, Tex.  
 Weeks, T. N.....Farmersville, Tex.  
 Wheeler, F. B.....Van Alstyne, Tex.  
 Wheeler, J. A.....Ector, Tex.  
 Whistler, G. W.....Detroit, Tex.  
 Whitehead, J. D.....Lewisville, Tex.  
 Whiteside, W. T.....McKinney, Tex.  
 Whitten, T. G.....Electra, Tex.  
 Wilkes, R. B.....Honey Grove, Tex.  
 Williams, C. C.....Lake Creek, Tex.  
 Wilson, W. J.....Perrin, Tex.  
 Woodward, I. M.....Sumner, Tex.  
 Wright, E. L.....Blossom, Tex.  
 Wright, W. H.....Paris, Tex.  
 Young, C. C.....Gainesville, Tex.

UNDERGRADUATES.

Bain, H. H.....Renner, Tex.  
 Baker, W. H.....Celeste, Tex.  
 Breedlove, H. H.....Woodbine, Tex.  
 Brown, G. H.....Paris, Tex.  
 Clifton, R. E.....Sherman, Tex.  
 Fielder, C. B.....Frisco, Tex.  
 Gilmore, W. F.....Dundee, Tex.  
 Hood, A. O.....Blue Grove, Tex.  
 Jarrell, R. H.....Crafton, Tex.  
 Manning, L. M.....Dexter, Tex.  
 May, H. G.....R. F. D. 1, Terrell, Tex.  
 Minnis, H. C.....Saltillo, Tex.  
 Patton, R. L.....Willow Point, Tex.  
 Pritchett, S. E.....St. Jo, Tex.  
 Renfro, G. W.....Cash, Tex.  
 Simmons, W. B.....Lake Creek, Tex.  
 Stuckey, L. N.....Carrollton, Tex.  
 Vail, W. H.....R. F. D. 1, Clarksville, Tex.  
 Wilkinson, Frank.....Cuthand, Tex.

SUPPLIES.

Beck, Luther.....Allen, Tex.  
 Culwell, J. B.....Sulphur Springs, Tex.  
 Hughes, J. S.....Sulphur Bluff, Tex.  
 Moores, A. B.....Rosston, Tex.  
 Oaks, R. A.....Spanish Fort, Tex.  
 Patterson, R. L.....Montague, Tex.  
 Thomas, C. W.....Bonita, Tex.

Northwest Texas Conference.

Adams, S. H.....Jayton, Tex.  
 Addison, O. M.....Jayton, Tex.  
 Annis, O. B.....Childress, Tex.  
 Aston, A. C.....Goree, Tex.  
 Bachman, J. W. R.....Seminole, Tex.  
 Baker, J. M.....Childress, Tex.  
 Beavers, M. M.....Chillicothe, Tex.  
 Bonner, R. B.....Shamrock, Tex.  
 Bowman, A. L.....Abilene, Tex.  
 Boyd, R. H.....Bomarton, Tex.  
 Brown, J. W.....Eula, Tex.  
 Bryant, George H.....Dumas, Tex.  
 Burkhead, S. E.....Clarendon, Tex.  
 Burns, R. E.....Odell, Tex.  
 Cadwell, J. W.....Abilene, Tex.  
 Calloway, J. P.....Wilson, Tex.  
 Cameron, C. S.....Aspermont, Tex.  
 Caperton, J. F.....Cuba, Tex.  
 Caperton, W. E.....Sweetwater, Tex.  
 Carmack, C. F.....Post, Tex.

Carpenter, J. C.....Shamrock, Tex.  
 Carpenter, J. E.....Amarillo, Tex.  
 Cherry, S. T.....Fluvanna, Tex.  
 Childress, W. C.....Throckmorton, Tex.  
 Clark, O. P.....Seymour, Tex.  
 Clements, R. A.....Quanah, Tex.  
 Cole, J. W.....Seminole, Tex.  
 Cox, S. B.....Gail, Tex.  
 Crockett, J. D.....Tuxedo, Tex.  
 Crutchfield, J. A.....Chicago, Tex.  
 Culberson, A. T.....Childress, Tex.  
 Culwell, S. L.....Rotan, Tex.  
 Dickinson, B. Y.....Abernathy, Tex.  
 Doak, D. B.....Roscoe, Tex.  
 Dodson, B. W.....Stamford, Tex.  
 Dunn, R. F.....Tahoka, Tex.  
 Edwards, W. P.....Kress, Tex.  
 Eldredge, J. E.....Stratford, Tex.  
 Evans, R. B.....Stamford, Tex.  
 Fair, George F.....Plainview, Tex.  
 Fee, Z. R.....Bovina, Tex.  
 Ferguson, C. N. N.....Stamford, Tex.  
 Fryar, J. M.....Brownfield, Tex.  
 Fulton, J. Watt.....Coahoma, Tex.  
 Garvin, W. P.....Colorado, Tex.  
 Gassoway, B. F.....Anardarko, Okla.  
 Gattis, G. H.....Margaret, Tex.  
 Glance, J. W.....Leuders, Tex.  
 Griswold, J. T.....Sweetwater, Tex.  
 Hagard, L. G.....Amarillo, Tex.  
 Hall, A. W.....Clarendon, Tex.  
 Hamblin, J. H.....Hamlin, Tex.  
 Hanks, Thomas.....Abilene, Tex.  
 Hardy, Ben.....Albany, Tex.  
 Hardy, G. S.....Sweetwater, Tex.  
 Harris, W. C.....Talpa, Tex.  
 Hawkins, D. W.....Hereford, Tex.  
 Hawkins, M. E.....Wellington, Tex.  
 Haymes, J. O.....Rule, Tex.  
 Hearon, C. W.....Abilene, Tex.  
 Heiser, R. S.....Clarendon, Tex.  
 Henderson, Leon.....Memphis, Tex.  
 Hendrix, A. V.....Putnam, Tex.  
 Henson, John R.....Memphis, Tex.  
 Hicks, J. T.....Lubbock, Tex.  
 Hilburn, T. B.....Goodnight, Tex.  
 Hill, M. D.....Plainview, Tex.  
 Hinds, W. C.....Post, Tex.  
 Hollers, J. L.....Goree, Tex.  
 Howell, J. T.....McLean, Tex.  
 Huckabee, J. S.....Pampa, Tex.  
 Hudson, M. H.....Tolbert, Tex.  
 Huff, C. O.....Rochester, Tex.  
 Huffman, P. G.....Claude, Tex.  
 Humphreys, L. A.....Merkel, Tex.  
 Hunt, J. W.....Stamford, Tex.  
 Hussey, A. H.....Lubbock, Tex.  
 Hyder, J. A.....Anson, Tex.  
 Irvin, G. J.....Higgins, Tex.  
 Jackson, L.....Westbrook, Tex.  
 Jameson, A. D.....Cross Plains, Tex.  
 Jameson, C. E.....Lorraine, Tex.  
 Johnson, F. T.....Trent, Tex.  
 Jolly, H. C.....Gail, Tex.  
 Jordan, W. H.....  
 Keen, A. B.....Sylvester, Tex.  
 Kirkpatrick, W. R.....Dumont, Tex.  
 Lane, W. M.....Floydada, Tex.  
 Laney, J. A.....Lakeview, Tex.  
 Ledger, C. H.....Matador, Tex.  
 Leveridge, M. S.....Paducah, Tex.  
 Liles, H. H.....Dunn, Tex.  
 Lipscomb, L. N.....Stamford, Tex.  
 Long, H. M.....Vernon, Tex.  
 Lynn, Ancil.....Texline, Tex.  
 Lynn, C. E.....Turkey, Tex.  
 Lyon, W. E.....Big Springs, Tex.  
 Martin, A. M.....Stamford, Tex.  
 Mayne, J. W.....Snyder, Tex.  
 McAnally, C. H.....Tye, Tex.  
 McCarley, J. B.....Miami, Tex.  
 McCarver, C. S.....Pecos, Tex.  
 McKeown, W. B.....Knox City, Tex.

McReynolds, J. B. .... Seminole, Tex.  
 Meador, C. B. .... Munday, Tex.  
 Miller, J. G. .... Stamford, Tex.  
 Mills, I. L. .... Stamford, Tex.  
 Mood, J. R. .... Channing, Tex.  
 Moody, M. L. .... Stanton, Tex.  
 Moore, A. L. .... Plainview, Tex.  
 Murrell, W. M. .... Clyde, Tex.  
 Nance, B. L. .... Clarendon, Tex.  
 Neal, F. M. .... Amarillo, Tex.  
 Osborn, B. J. .... R. 2, Abilene, Tex.  
 Oxford, B. H. .... Hale Center, Tex.  
 Palmer, G. T. .... Vega, Tex.  
 Patterson, J. P. .... Shamrock, Tex.  
 Pearce, W. M. .... Crosbyton, Tex.  
 Phelan, M. .... Vernon, Tex.  
 Pipkin, C. D. .... Vera, Tex.  
 Pirtle, Z. B. .... Vernon, Tex.  
 Plant, J. R. .... Hermleigh, Tex.  
 Pope, W. M. .... Tullia, Tex.  
 Putman, J. G. .... Mexia, Tex.  
 Quattlebaum, J. O. .... Kirkland, Tex.  
 Rea, T. J. .... Panhandle, Tex.  
 Reavis, L. A. .... Clarendon, Tex.  
 Riddle, L. E. .... Ingleside, Tex.  
 Roberts, A. B. .... Plainview, Tex.  
 Robinson, E. E. .... Amarillo, Tex.  
 Rogers, M. W. .... Crowell, Tex.  
 Ross, D. C. .... Lubbock, Tex.  
 Ross, J. T. .... Sylvester, Tex.  
 Rucker, J. L. .... McCauley, Tex.  
 Sensabaugh, O. F. .... Abilene, Tex.  
 Sharp, B. T. .... Tullia, Tex.  
 Shaw, Simeon. .... Houston, Tex.  
 Shearer, G. W. .... Big Springs, Tex.  
 Sisk, E. L. .... Claude, Tex.  
 Slover, G. S. .... Clarendon, Tex.  
 Smallwood, George. .... Stamford, Tex.  
 Smallwood, L. B. .... Quail, Tex.  
 Smith, G. W. .... Seymour, Tex.  
 Smith, I. A. .... Roaring Springs, Tex.  
 Solly, J. M. .... Albuquerque, N. M.  
 Steele, J. R. .... Canadian, Tex.  
 Stephens, J. E. .... Canyon, Tex.  
 Stewart, R. A. .... Plainview, Tex.  
 Story, J. W. .... Channing, Tex.  
 Strong, W. H. .... Channing, Tex.  
 Stutts, R. E. L. .... Ovalo, Tex.  
 Sweeney, J. A. .... Lockney, Tex.  
 Switzer, W. Y. .... Baird, Tex.  
 Terry, W. H. .... Childress, Tex.  
 Tharp, E. A. .... Munday, Tex.  
 Thomas, J. G. .... Aspermont, Tex.  
 Tooley, L. B. .... Estelline, Tex.  
 Tooley, R. V. .... Westover, Tex.  
 Trammell, V. H. .... Sweetwater, Tex.  
 Vaughan, S. C. .... Hamlin, Tex.  
 Waddill, A. W. .... Anson, Tex.  
 Wallace, E. R. .... Haskell, Tex.  
 Watkins, R. S. .... Hawley, Tex.  
 Watson, J. W. .... Blackwell, Tex.  
 Watts, H. B. .... Ochiltree, Tex.  
 Watts, J. H. .... Clarendon, Tex.  
 Weeks, A. J. .... Clarendon, Tex.  
 West, C. D. .... Tuscola, Tex.  
 Whaling, H. M., Jr. .... Dallas, Tex.  
 White, E. E. .... Spurr, Tex.  
 Wilkins, B. W. .... Lorenzo, Tex.  
 Willett, T. C. .... Slaton, Tex.  
 Wood, J. B. .... Vernon, Tex.  
 Woodruff, W. B. .... Avoca, Tex.  
 Woodward, C. M. .... Chicago, Tex.  
 Wright, C. C. .... Wheeler, Tex.  
 Wyatt, G. S. .... Hereford, Tex.  
 Yates, E. L. .... Tuscola, Tex.  
 Young, S. H. .... Roby, Tex.

## CLASS OF THE FIRST YEAR.

Beck, C. I. .... Quanah, Tex.  
 Boyd, W. S. .... Ralls, Tex.  
 Brabham, T. W. .... Dallas, Tex.  
 Hassler, W. E. .... Dallas, Tex.

Israel, J. W. .... Dalhart, Tex.  
 Little, J. O. .... Weinert, Tex.  
 Scoggins, A. T. .... Georgetown, Tex.  
 Tyler, C. C. .... Ira, Tex.

## CLASS OF THE SECOND YEAR.

Brown, A. J. .... Plains, Tex.  
 Duncan, C. A. .... Camp Springs, Tex.  
 Franklin, S. W. .... Hansford, Tex.  
 Hicks, J. H. .... Hedley, Tex.  
 Hughes, H. L. .... Andrews, Tex.  
 Leggett, J. W. .... Tell, Tex.  
 Lightfoot, William L. .... Dimmit, Tex.  
 Lynn, Ancil. .... Texline, Tex.  
 Martin, J. W. .... Newlin, Tex.  
 Reese, Daniel. .... Big Springs, Tex.  
 Yeats, J. E. .... Stamford, Tex.

## Pacific Conference.

Acton, William. .... San Francisco, Cal.  
 Adkinson, Andrew. .... R. F. D, Visalia, Cal.  
 Allen, H. C. .... Dos Palos, Cal.  
 Allen, J. D. .... Chico, Cal.  
 Amos, L. J. .... Mountain View, Cal.  
 Andrews, W. P. .... Modesto, Cal.  
 Batchelor, J. A. .... Oakland, Cal.  
 Beaver, H. F. .... Salinas, Cal.  
 Black, C. C. .... Yolo, Cal.  
 Bower, C. E. .... Layton, Cal.  
 Brown, J. M. .... Galt, Cal.  
 Bruce, H. M. .... Selma, Cal.  
 Burns, H. A. .... Weatherford, Tex.  
 Byrd, J. W. .... Colusa, Cal.  
 Cecil, A. S. .... Visalia, Cal.  
 Clark, C. Todd. .... Santa Rosa, Cal.  
 Coppage, O. C. .... Winters, Cal.  
 Emery, Joseph. .... Salinas, Cal.  
 Flanagan, Mallory. .... Lakeport, Cal.  
 Fry, J. A. B. .... Berkeley, Cal.  
 Gardner, George M. .... Red Bluff, Cal.  
 Govette, Harold. .... Oakland, Cal.  
 Grenfell, S. E. .... Isleton, Cal.  
 Harbin, A. V. .... Linden, Cal.  
 Harrison, D. .... Visalia, Cal.  
 Harwell, Clarence T. .... Madera, Cal.  
 Harwell, George O. .... Orosl, Cal.  
 Haselden, W. R. .... Cloverdale, Cal.  
 Healey, James. .... Madera, Cal.  
 Hedgpeth, Joel. .... Academy, Cal.  
 Hodgson, Mark. .... Fresno, Cal.  
 Horn, J. W. .... Healdsburg, Cal.  
 Jones, L. S. .... Stockton, Cal.  
 Kenney, J. J. N. .... Oakland, Cal.  
 Lee, W. J. .... Clovis, Cal.  
 Marshall, A. L. .... Exeter, Cal.  
 Martin, Charles P. .... Dinuba, Cal.  
 McClearen, W. M. .... Los Banoz, Cal.  
 McKnight, H. M. .... San Jose, Cal.  
 Moore, J. E. .... San Jose, Cal.  
 Mowre, E. H. .... San Francisco, Cal.  
 Murphy, U. G. .... Seattle, Wash.  
 Neate, Henry. .... R. D. 1, Stockton, Cal.  
 Needham, J. B. .... Williams, Cal.  
 Needham, Z. J. .... Modesto, Cal.  
 Nelson, W. H. .... Yuba City, Cal.  
 Noble, O. P. .... Corsicana, Tex.  
 Page, P. F. .... Grafton, Tex.  
 Parker, J. M. .... R. F. D., Visalia, Cal.  
 Paul, A. L. .... Milton, Cal.  
 Pope, S. P. .... Ukiah, Tex.  
 Ray, Thomas A. .... Lincoln, Cal.  
 Reeve, T. E. .... Wembo Miami, Africa.  
 Renfro, L. C. .... Hollister, Cal.  
 Rhodes, Robert C. .... Berkeley, Cal.  
 Roberts, J. F. .... San Jose, Cal.  
 Rubush, G. W. .... Coalinga, Cal.  
 Saunders, George S. .... Le Grande, Cal.  
 Shearer, L. P. .... Wilows, Cal.  
 Smith, L. C. .... Princeton, Cal.  
 Sprinkle, J. E. .... Arbuckle, Cal.  
 Squires, J. E. .... San Francisco, Cal.  
 Talley, Paul H. .... Wheatland, Cal.



Taylor, J. W. .... Hollister, Cal.  
 Thornton, W. R. .... Fresno, Cal.  
 Totten, J. F. .... Toloumne, Cal.  
 Vaughan, W. E. .... Alameda, Cal.  
 Wailes, J. A. .... Merced, Cal.  
 Warren, B. E. H. .... Elmira, Cal.  
 Watson, C. W. .... Upper Lake, Cal.  
 Weems, J. M. .... Oroshi, Cal.  
 Wightman, R. H. .... Henleyville, Cal.  
 Williams, D. C. .... Kingsburg, Cal.  
 Wood, Jesse. .... Venice, Cal.

ON TRIAL—FIRST YEAR.

Fairfield, Claud R. .... Mariposa, Cal.  
 Holden, F. Harvey. .... Dallas, Tex.

SECOND YEAR.

Allen, James T. .... Petaluma, Cal.  
 Kenney, John R. .... Galt, Cal.

SUPPLIES.

Basham, S. C. .... Bradley, Cal.  
 Black, P. A. .... Anderson, Cal.  
 Huff, C. W. .... Coulterville, Cal.  
 Jewitt, G. O. .... Boonville, Cal.  
 Pierce, William. .... Ono, Cal.  
 Simmons, J. S. .... Rockville, Cal.  
 Tabor, E. A. .... Gridley, Cal.  
 Wattenberg, J. E. .... Millville, Cal.  
 Western, George W. .... Snelling, Cal.  
 Westfall, W. J. .... Delta View, Cal.  
 Woodliff, J. F. .... Hopland, Cal.

Pacific Mexican Mission.

No List furnished.

St. Louis Conference.

Baldrige, A. S. J. .... Morehouse, Mo.  
 Barham, Charles J. .... Fornfelt, Mo.  
 Barnes, A. H. .... Charleston, Mo.  
 Basler, R. P. .... Dexter, Mo.  
 Bennett, S. A. .... Elvins, Mo.  
 Bentley, Wilson. .... Lowndes, Mo.  
 Berry, C. C. .... Valley Park, Mo.  
 Bess, T. L. .... Marquand, Mo.  
 Biffle, S. C. .... Platin, Mo.  
 Bone, J. M. .... St. Louis, Mo.  
 Bowers, Ola A. .... East Prairie, Mo.  
 Broadhead, James Newly. .... Clayton, Mo.  
 Bullington, J. R. .... St. Louis, Mo.  
 Burton, C. .... Sikeston, Mo.  
 Carpenter, R. C. .... Centaur, Mo.  
 Clark, Elmer T. .... St. Louis, Mo.  
 Combs, Madison. .... Desloge, Mo.  
 Court, William. .... Kirkwood, Mo.  
 Craig, O. C. .... Atlanta, Ga.  
 Crowe, H. P. .... Farmington, Mo.  
 Culbreth, J. M. .... St. Louis, Mo.  
 Cunningham, W. H. ....  
 Davis, D. R. .... Whitewater, Mo.  
 Davis, L. H. .... Fredericktown, Mo.  
 Dennis, C. L. .... Ilmo, Mo.  
 Dillman, S. R. .... St. Louis, Mo.  
 Doherty, J. D. .... Longtown, Mo.  
 Dohn, C. J. .... Ellington, Mo.  
 Donnan, W. Q. .... Herculaneum, Mo.  
 Dorris, C. L. .... Leadwood, Mo.  
 Doss, H. W. .... Parma, Mo.  
 Du Bois, H. H. S. .... Creve Couer, Mo.  
 Duggins, O. H. .... Farmington, Mo.  
 Duncan, J. W. .... Greenville, Mo.  
 Eaker, F. .... Senath, Mo.  
 Eaker, Linus. .... Campbell, Mo.  
 Early, J. H. .... Nashville, Tenn.  
 Eskeridge, W. S. .... Hornersville, Mo.  
 Evitts, J. O. .... Blodgett, Mo.  
 Evitts, J. T. .... Lutesville, Mo.  
 Finley, T. M. .... West Plains, Mo.  
 Foard, R. E. .... Festus, Mo.  
 Forsythe, W. E. .... Morley, Mo.

Glass, T. W. .... Senath, Mo.  
 Godbey, A. H. .... Bridgeton, Mo.  
 Godbey, J. E. .... Kirkwood, Mo.  
 Ham, J. W. .... Salem, Mo.  
 Handy, J. C. .... Cape Girardeau, Mo.  
 Hardie, R. A. .... Korea  
 Haw, J. L. .... New Madrid, Mo.  
 Haw, M. T. .... St. Louis, Mo.  
 Hawkins, C. M. .... Charleston, Mo.  
 Hearn, Fred A. .... Bell City, Mo.  
 Hendrix, J. T. .... Labadie, Mo.  
 Henry, N. B. .... Arcadie, Mo.  
 Heys, W. J. .... De Soto, Mo.  
 Hill, T. P. .... St. James, Mo.  
 Holt, Ivan Lee. .... Dallas, Tex.  
 Humphries, W. A. .... Dexter, Mo.  
 Jenkins, L. R. .... Jackson, Mo.  
 Johnson, H. H. .... St. Louis, Mo.  
 Jones, Ernest. .... Fayette, Mo.  
 Jordan, W. H. .... Chaffee, Mo.  
 Judy, W. E. .... St. Clair, Mo.  
 Kennedy, R. D. .... Caledonia, Mo.  
 Kincaide, J. R. .... Farmington, Mo.  
 King, J. M. ....  
 King, W. L. .... Birch Tree, Mo.  
 Kirkendall, C. P. .... St. Louis, Mo.  
 Lee, James W. .... St. Louis, Mo.  
 Longgear, Del. .... Bismarck, Mo.  
 Lord, T. .... Eureka, Mo.  
 Lowe, William. .... Poplar Bluff, Mo.  
 Markley, M. H. .... Flat River, Mo.  
 Marlin, Lloyd. .... St. Louis, Mo.  
 Martin, J. E. .... Poplar Bluff, Mo.  
 Mather, A. .... St. Louis, Mo.  
 Mayo, R. C. .... Richwoods, Mo.  
 Mays, W. R. .... St. Louis, Mo.  
 McCann, B. S. .... Clarkton, Mo.  
 McCann, Z. T. .... Webster Groves, Mo.  
 McCarty, John. .... Kirkwood, Mo.  
 McCorkle, I. Q. .... Portageville, Mo.  
 McFarland, G. A. .... Cape Girardeau, Mo.  
 McMurray, W. F. .... Louisville, Ky.  
 Meyers, M. A. .... Piedmont, Mo.  
 Morgan, T. W. .... Poplar Bluff, Mo.  
 Nelson, E. W. .... Commerce, Mo.  
 Newsom, Joseph S. .... Cooter, Mo.  
 Nichol, L. D. .... Benton, Mo.  
 Orear, E. H. .... St. Louis, Mo.  
 Paschel, W. H. ....  
 Peal, Elmer. .... St. Louis, Mo.  
 Rankin, A. D. .... Essex, Mo.  
 Rice, J. A. .... St. Louis, Mo.  
 Ricketts, J. T. .... Advance, Mo.  
 Rinkle, E. J. .... Hanford, Fla.  
 Robinson, A. M. .... Irondale, Mo.  
 Russell, R. L. .... St. Louis, Mo.  
 Self, J. T. .... Potosi, Mo.  
 Smith, Alfred F. .... St. Louis, Mo.  
 Smith, J. Wesley. .... Malden, Mo.  
 Smith, Thomas E. .... Ferguson, Mo.  
 Smith, Thomas I. .... Ferguson, Mo.  
 Spivey, L. M. .... St. Louis, Mo.  
 Steward, J. L. .... Hunter, Mo.  
 Stewart, William. .... Bertrand, Mo.  
 Tadlock, C. W. .... St. Louis, Mo.  
 Talley, W. F. .... Fredericktown, Mo.  
 Taylor, H. L. .... Thayer, Mo.  
 Thogmorton, P. G. .... Caruthersville, Mo.  
 Tidwell, A. T. .... St. Louis, Mo.  
 Todd, L. E. .... St. Louis, Mo.  
 Tucker, E. A. .... Fredericktown, Mo.  
 Tyler, W. S. .... Kirkwood, Mo.  
 Vaughan, J. R. A. .... Kenneth, Mo.  
 Velvick, W. J. .... Bonne Terre, Mo.  
 Wainright, S. H. .... Japan  
 Walker, George. .... New Haven, Mo.  
 Walton, R. .... Hematite, Mo.  
 Warren, R. S. .... Van Buren, Mo.  
 Wilburn, J. B. .... Oak Ridge, Mo.  
 Winstead, J. T. .... West Plains, Mo.  
 Wood, James A. .... Birch Tree, Mo.  
 Worsnop, J. W. .... Doniphan, Mo.  
 Wright, B. L. .... St. James, Mo.

## PROBATIONERS.

Baker, C. R.....Sedgwickville, Mo.  
 Baxter, James A.....Poplar Bluff, Mo.  
 Bentley, Wilson.....Lowdnes, Mo.  
 Crowe, Fletcher S.....Louisville, Ky.  
 Darter, A. W.....Des Arc, Mo.  
 Doss, H. W.....Parma, Mo.  
 Eaker, Linus.....Campbell, Mo.  
 Fesler, Carney C.....Washington, Mo.  
 Lyle, J. B.....Manchester, Mo.  
 Mather, Thomas B.....St. Louis, Mo.  
 Mathews, Fred W.....Oran, Mo.  
 McPheeters, Julian C.....Williamsville, Mo.  
 Medler, Ira B.....Elsinore, Mo.  
 Montgomery, John C.....Gideon, Mo.  
 Pfifer, Charles L.....Steelville, Mo.  
 Propst, K. V.....Hayti, Mo.  
 Reid, James C.....Alton, Mo.  
 Sherrow, I. N.....Bellview, Mo.  
 Smith, R. L.....Naylor, Mo.  
 Thogmorton, C. P.....St. Louis, Mo.

## SUPPLIES.

Alexander, J. P.....Poplar Bluff, Mo.  
 Badgely, Roy J.....Fredericktown, Mo.  
 Bertram, J. A.....Oxley, Mo.  
 Blaese, M. M.....Bourbon, Mo.  
 Bowler, Charles.....St. Louis, Mo.  
 Brown, George B.....Ellington, Mo.  
 Burris, A. N.....Deering, Mo.  
 Burton, E. E.....Senath, Mo.  
 Clack, S. M.....Charleston, Mo.  
 Clark, J. D.....Freeman, Mo.  
 Clayton, M. A.....Hinch, Mo.  
 Corbin, H. E.....Esther, Mo.  
 Davis, G. D.....St. Louis, Mo.  
 Ellis, J. E.....Blackwell, Mo.  
 Eudaley, J. D.....Mill Springs, Mo.  
 Eveland, J. F.....Vida, Mo.  
 Galloway, W. C.....Marston, Mo.  
 Hill, A. W.....Couch, Mo.  
 Holland, J. F.....Matthews, Mo.  
 Johnson, S. L.....Middlebrook, Ark.  
 Margraves, D. M.....R. F. D. 1, Jackson, Mo.  
 Mayfield, F. M.....Holcomb, Mo.  
 McKenzie, W. C.....R. 1, Charleston, Mo.  
 McNutt, Smith.....Red Bird, Mo.  
 Michael, J. F.....Cardwell, Mo.  
 Sanders, A. R.....Cabool, Mo.  
 Scamahorn, J. A.....Randles, Mo.  
 Seyforth, F. G.....Fredericktown, Mo.  
 Smotherman, M. P.....Teresitor, Mo.  
 Son, W. H.....Licking, Mo.  
 Stewart, W. H.....Zalma, Mo.  
 Thresher, Henry.....Sommerville, Mo.  
 Tussey, J. D.....Bloomfield, Mo.  
 Tussey, W. S.....Marbel Hill, Mo.  
 Ward, J. W.....Plattin, Mo.  
 Wood, C. H.....Dexter, Mo.  
 Woolverton, J. L.....Puxico, Mo.  
 Young, S. I.....West Plains, Mo.

## South Brazil Conference.

Daniel, J. W.  
 Passo Fundo, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil  
 Filho, J. Wagner.  
 Uruguayana, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil  
 Fraga, A. P.  
 Cruz Alta, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil  
 Jayme, E. M. B.  
 Cachoeira, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil  
 Joiner, E. E.  
 Porto Alegre, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil  
 Kokot, Jose.  
 Porto Alegre, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil  
 Martins, Fred.  
 Livramento, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil  
 Parker, G. D.  
 Uruguayana, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil  
 Price, J. W.  
 Porto Alegre, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil

Smith, C. L.  
 Santa Maria, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil  
 Terrell, J. M.  
 Alegrete, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil  
 Ungaretti, A. M.  
 Caxias, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil  
 Weaver, C. A.  
 Uruguayana, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil

## SUPPLIES.

Chaulet, Jose.  
 Alfredo Chaves, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil  
 Donati, M.  
 Taquara, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil  
 Dornelles, Mariano.  
 Palmeira, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil  
 Sauner, Joao.  
 Cruz Alta, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil  
 Schilkowsky, Max.  
 Faquara do Mundo Novo, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil.  
 Peyrot, Fred.  
 Bento Goncalves, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil

## South Carolina Conference.

Ariall, J. W.....Mullins, S. C.  
 Ariall, W. H.....Lamar, S. C.  
 Attaway, J. P.....R. 1, Rembarts, S. C.  
 Bailey, S. D.....McBee, S. C.  
 Banks, M. L.....Dillon, S. C.  
 Barber, R. W.....Salley, S. C.  
 Bays, H. W.....Sumter, S. C.  
 Beasley, J. S.....Lydia, S. C.  
 Beckham, E. H.....Cheraw, S. C.  
 Beckham, W. A.....Bowman, S. C.  
 Bedenbaugh, L. L.....Georgetown, S. C.  
 Bedenbaugh, W. T.....Lodge, S. C.  
 Bell, J. D.....Ridgeville, S. C.  
 Belvin, T. L.....Blenheim, S. C.  
 Bethea, S. J.....Little Rock, S. C.  
 Betts, A. D.....Clio, S. C.  
 Betts, W. A.....Olanda, S. C.  
 Burgess, C. W.....Scranton, S. C.  
 Burns, C. B.....North, S. C.  
 Busbee, D. N.....Bluffton, S. C.  
 Campbell, J. A.....Hemingway, S. C.  
 Cantey, S. O.....Mullins, S. C.  
 Cauthen, A. J.....Orangeburg, S. C.  
 Cauthen, H. J.....Darlington, S. C.  
 Counts, J. C.....Grover, S. C.  
 Coyler, S. D.....Charleston, S. C.  
 Daniel, J. W.....Marion, S. C.  
 Daniel, W. W.....Latta, S. C.  
 Danner, S. W.....Elloree, S. C.  
 Dantzler, D. D.....Orangeburg, S. C.  
 Davis, G. W.....Gibson's Station, N. C.  
 Davis, J. C.....Salters, S. C.  
 Derrick, C. C.....Summerton, S. C.  
 Dibble, F. W.....Pamplico, S. C.  
 Dibble, W. V.....Estill, S. C.  
 Doyle, R. R.....Norway, S. C.  
 Du Bose, R. M.....Kershaw, S. C.  
 Dukes, G. W.....Cope, S. C.  
 Dukes, M. F.....Turbeville, S. C.  
 Duncan, W. B.....Manning, S. C.  
 Duncan, W. B., Jr.....Loris, S. C.  
 Dunlap, A. T.....Hartsville, S. C.  
 Edwards, G. E.....Charleston, S. C.  
 Elkins, J. W.....Pageland, S. C.  
 Elwell, W. G.....New Zion, S. C.  
 Everett, D. H.....Floydale, S. C.  
 Felder, C. S.....Ehrhardt, S. C.  
 Ford, J. E.....Cheraw, S. C.  
 Fowler, J. T.....Hartsville, S. C.  
 Gardner, A. M.....Bethune, S. C.  
 Gardner, G. C.....Sampit, S. C.  
 Glennan, F. L.....Lynchburg, S. C.  
 Godbold, T. W.....Cades, S. C.  
 Graham, J. A.....Woodford, S. C.  
 Graves, J. H.....Camden, S. C.  
 Guess, B. J.....Greeleyville, S. C.

Hardin, H. G. .... McColl, S. C.  
 Harmon, G. T. .... Kingstree, S. C.  
 Harper, S. B. .... Charleston, S. C.  
 Henderson, W. O. .... Jordan, S. C.  
 Henry, S. W. .... Oswego, S. C.  
 Herbert, T. G. .... Florence, S. C.  
 Hodges, F. E. .... Monck's Corner, S. C.  
 Hodges, W. H. .... Lake City, S. C.  
 Hook, M. W. .... Marion, S. C.  
 Humphries, R. W. .... Holly Hill, S. C.  
 Hutson, E. P. .... Summerville, S. C.  
 Inabiet, J. K. .... Cameron, S. C.  
 Inabit, J. P. .... Charleston, S. C.  
 Ingraham, P. B. .... Branchville, S. C.  
 Ingram, G. L. .... Ruffin, S. C.  
 Jones, D. D. .... Centenary, S. C.  
 Jones, R. H. .... Bennettsville, S. C.  
 Kirby, C. F. .... St. Matthew's, S. C.  
 Kirkland, W. C. .... Anderson, S. C.  
 Lesley, A. S. .... Pinewood, S. C.  
 Macfarlane, J. T. .... Hartsville, S. C.  
 Massebeau, W. A. .... Orangeburg, S. C.  
 Moore, J. H. .... Florence, S. C.  
 Morris, S. C. .... Horry, S. C.  
 Morris, T. E. .... Tatum, S. C.  
 Morrison, H. T. .... Little River, S. C.  
 Mullinnix, J. L. .... Harleyville, S. C.  
 Murphy, B. G. .... Allendale, S. C.  
 Murray, P. A. .... Rome, S. C.  
 Myers, W. S. .... Lykesland, S. C.  
 McCoy, E. L. .... Conway, S. C.  
 McGraw, J. A. .... Garnett, S. C.  
 McLendon, M. M. .... Marion, S. C.  
 McLeod, D. M. .... Charleston, S. C.  
 Noland, J. H. .... Summerville, S. C.  
 Owen, T. B. .... Winona, S. C.  
 Owen, W. C. .... Spartanburg, S. C.  
 Patton, J. P. .... College Place, S. C.  
 Peeler, J. T. .... Hampton, S. C.  
 Peeler, L. E. .... Barnwell, S. C.  
 Perry, W. H. .... Gallivant's Ferry, S. C.  
 Phillips, A. R. .... College Place, S. C.  
 Phillips, D. A. .... Kingstree, S. C.  
 Phillips, L. T. .... Bingham, S. C.  
 Phillips, W. R. .... Lake View, S. C.  
 Powell, B. A. .... Timmons ville, S. C.  
 Prosser, J. B. .... Ridgeland, S. C.  
 Rhoad, G. T. .... Conway, S. C.  
 Rhoad, P. K. .... Holly Hill, S. C.  
 Rice, J. S. .... Sumter, S. C.  
 Rogers, J. M. .... Denmark, S. C.  
 Rountree, O. N. .... St. Matthew's, S. C.  
 Scoggins, E. F. .... Smoaks, S. C.  
 Shealey, H. W. .... R. F. D., Nicholls, S. C.  
 Shuler, F. H. .... Columbia, S. C.  
 Simpson, J. P. .... Beaufort, S. C.  
 Singleton, H. L. .... Loris, S. C.  
 Smith, C. B. .... Walterboro, S. C.  
 Smith, Gobe. .... McClellanville, S. C.  
 Sojourner, J. R. .... Appleton, S. C.  
 Spigner, R. W. .... Greeleyville, S. C.  
 Spires, D. O. .... Cordesville, S. C.  
 Stevenson, J. J. .... Rowesville, S. C.  
 Stokes, Peter. .... Florence, S. C.  
 Stokes, W. S. .... Denmark, S. C.  
 Teasley, G. A. .... Andrews, S. C.  
 Truesdale, R. S. .... Sumter, S. C.  
 Tucker, R. R. .... Georgetown, S. C.  
 Tyler, J. L. .... Chesterfield, S. C.  
 Vaughan, B. G. .... Hendersonville, S. C.  
 Vaughan, S. D. .... Ridgeville, S. C.  
 Waddell, G. H. .... Smyrna, Ga.  
 Wait, W. L. .... Darlington, S. C.  
 Walker, A. C. .... Orangeburg, S. C.  
 Watson, E. O. .... Bamberg, S. C.  
 Watson, G. P. .... Bishopville, S. C.  
 Way, G. K. .... Cottageville, S. C.  
 Way, J. F. .... Holly Hill, S. C.  
 Way, W. P. .... Johnsonville, S. C.  
 Weber, S. A. .... Charleston, S. C.  
 Weldon, J. B. .... Heath Springs, S. C.  
 White, J. A. .... Jeffers on, S. C.  
 White, T. J. .... Springfield, S. C.

Whittaker, G. R. .... Waleska, Ga.  
 Whittaker, H. W. .... Greeleyville, S. C.  
 Wiggins, W. E. .... St. George, S. C.  
 Williams, W. W. .... Cameron, S. C.  
 Wilson, J. B. .... Sumter, S. C.  
 Wolling, J. W. .... Elloree, S. C.  
 Wood, P. T. .... Chesterfield, S. C.  
 Wright, J. N. .... Cheraw, S. C.

ON TRIAL—FIRST YEAR.

Crosby, P. K. .... Ruffin, S. C.  
 Easterling, C. T., Jr. .... Young's Island, S. C.  
 Hurst, E. W. .... Camden, S. C.  
 Morrison, H. T. .... Little River, S. C.  
 Sassard, Achille. .... Olar, S. C.

SECOND YEAR.

Ariail, W. G. .... Early Branch, S. C.  
 Cook, J. E. .... Laurel, S. C.  
 Derrick, T. E. .... Wedgefield, S. C.  
 Epps, E. K. .... Wando, S. C.  
 Williams, J. D. .... Darlington, S. C.

SUPPLIES.

Carter, J. E. .... Bennettsville, S. C.  
 Corbett, A. C. .... Dalzell, S. C.  
 Gasque, J. M. .... Dillon, S. C.  
 Hook, F. S. .... Timmons ville, S. C.  
 Jerman, W. V. .... Patrick, S. C.  
 Richardson, W. H. .... Aynor, S. C.  
 Rountree, R. L. .... Lugoff, S. C.  
 Youngblood, W. A. .... Bucks ville, S. C.

South Georgia Conference.

Acree, George M. .... Americus, Ga.  
 Adams, C. D. .... Pooler, Ga.  
 Ainsworth, W. N. .... Savannah, Ga.  
 Allaben, W. G. .... Reynolds, Ga.  
 Allen, J. H. .... Talbotton, Ga.  
 Allen, H. S. .... Macon, Ga.  
 Allison, R. M. .... Alamo, Ga.  
 Anderson, E. W. .... Korea  
 Ansley, J. J. .... Guyton, Ga.  
 Anthony, Bascom. .... Valdosta, Ga.  
 Anthony, Walter. .... Cordele, Ga.  
 Arnold, J. W. .... Buena Vista, Ga.  
 Arnold, W. E. .... Blakely, Ga.  
 Austin, G. F. .... Blackshear, Ga.  
 Bailey, Robert E. .... Macon, Ga.  
 Ballard, L. J. .... Brunswick, Ga.  
 Bardwell, Harry B. .... Puentes Grandes, Cuba  
 Barr, L. L. .... Milltown, Ga.  
 Bass, James M. .... Macon, Ga.  
 Beals, M. F. .... Elko, Ga.  
 Blevin, W. F. .... Lumpkin, Ga.  
 Blitch, M. W. .... Macon, Ga.  
 Boland, C. C. .... Irwinton, Ga.  
 Booth, Moody. .... Altamaha, Ga.  
 Booth, R. M. .... Statesboro, Ga.  
 Brady, L. E. .... Jeffersonville, Ga.  
 Brewton, A. G. .... Edison, Ga.  
 Brewton, Henry C. .... Sycamore, Ga.  
 Bridges, J. W. .... Macon, Ga.  
 Brooks, J. C. G. .... Waycross, Ga.  
 Brooks, W. A. .... Hazlehurst, Ga.  
 Brown, Leroy A. .... Shellman, Ga.  
 Brown, S. W. .... Brooklet, Ga.  
 Budd, J. T. .... Hagan, Ga.  
 Budd, William H. .... Dublin, Ga.  
 Callahan, W. J. .... Oita, Japan  
 Cannon, R. W. .... Sale City, Ga.  
 Carmichael, M. W. .... Vidalia, Ga.  
 Chambers, Ira K. .... Dixie, Ga.  
 Channell, J. E. .... Cusseta, Ga.  
 Chatfield, John P. .... Columbus, Ga.  
 Chester, Oscar. .... Dawson, Ga.  
 Christian, Joseph G. .... Sylvester, Ga.  
 Christian, Thomas M. .... Bainbridge, Ga.  
 Churchwell, W. J. .... Empire, Ga.  
 Clark, C. T. .... Lumber City, Ga.  
 Clary, G. E. .... Thunderbolt, Ga.

Clements, E. E.	Havana, Cuba	Ketchum, W. H.	Oglethorpe, Ga.
Colson, L. W.	McRae, Ga.	Lambert, T. O.	Seville, Ga.
Connors, J. W.	Attapulgus, Ga.	Lang, T. G.	Claxton, Ga.
Cook, Charles E.	Leslie, Ga.	Langston, W.	Valdosta, Ga.
Cook, Ed F.	Nashville, Tenn.	Lastinger, D. A.	Uvalda, Ga.
Cook, J. O. A.	Thomasville, Ga.	Lawhorn, B. F.	Byron, Ga.
Cook, Ogood F.	Thomasville, Ga.	Ledbetter, C. M.	Nashville, Ga.
Cowart, E. R.	Wrightsville, Ga.	Lester, A.	Sparks, Ga.
Crumpler, P. H.	Ashburn, Ga.	Lewis, J. S.	Macon, Ga.
Culpepper, W. C.	Dudley, Ga.	Lilley, James W.	Boston, Ga.
Curry, Charles W.	Cochran, Ga.	Little, C. W.	Ludowici, Ga.
Darley, Thomas W.	Marshallville, Ga.	Lovett, J. M.	Jesup, Ga.
Davenport, Thomas E.	Ashburn, Ga.	Lovett, W. C.	Atlanta, Ga.
Dell, C. E.	Metcalf, Ga.	Lowe, J. T.	Surrency, Ga.
Dell, Julian P.	Unadilla, Ga.	Mallette, C. J.	Garfield, Ga.
Dennis, R. F.	Davisboro, Ga.	Mallory, W. A.	Abbeville, Ga.
Dennis, W. K.	Sandersville, Ga.	Malone, J. W.	Cuthbert, Ga.
Dickenson, J. P.	Broxton, Ga.	Mann, D. G.	Rhine, Ga.
Domingos, J. W.	Sylvania, Ga.	Marshall, M. M.	Homerville, Ga.
Dowdy, E. C.	Atkinson, Ga.	Martin, G. H.	Fitzgerald, Ga.
Drake, T. F.	Glennville, Ga.	Mather, J. H.	Waverly Hall, Ga.
Earnest, Charles G.	Columbus, Ga.	Mathews, George W.	Tifton, Ga.
Elder, E. M.	Nichols, Ga.	McCord, J. D.	Oliver, Ga.
Elkins, J. C.	Matanzas, Cuba	McDaniel, C. B.	Atlanta, Ga.
Ellis, Paul W.	Americus, Ga.	McFerrin, J. P.	Waynesboro, Ga.
Ellis, T. D.	Macon, Ga.	McGehee, E. H.	Lumpkin, Ga.
Ellis, T. W.	Clinton, Ga.	McGehee, J. B.	Talbotton, Ga.
Ethridge, H.	Smithville, Ga.	McGill, W. C.	Butler, Ga.
Evans, O. L.	Hamilton, Ga.	McGregor, W. D.	Helena, Ga.
Ewing, R. C.	Perry, Ga.	McKeller, Idus E.	Macon, Ga.
Fain, R. P.	Baxley, Ga.	McMichael, L. B.	Statenville, Ga.
Fisher, Guyton.	Quitman, Ga.	McMichael, T. R.	Baconton, Ga.
Flanders, J. C.	Macon, Ga.	Meeks, Charles M.	Tennille, Ga.
Flanders, M. W.	Mauk, Ga.	Merritt, D. B.	Lake Park, Ga.
Ford, J. F.	Buena Vista, Ga.	Miles, D. F.	Baxley, Ga.
Foster, J. M.	Rochelle, Ga.	Mitchum, W. M.	Bridgeboro, Ga.
Freeman, H. T.	Baxley, Ga.	Moore, A. J.	Macon, Ga.
Gardner, E. E.	Columbus, Ga.	Moore, Leland.	Fort Gaines, Ga.
Gardner, T. C.	Whigham, Ga.	Morgan, E. F.	Thomasville, Ga.
Gerdine, J. L.	Korea	Morgan, M. A.	Louisville, Ga.
Glenn, J. M.	Macon, Ga.	Morrison, H. M.	Macon, Ga.
Glenn, W. C.	Adel, Ga.	Mosley, T. A.	Wrens, Ga.
Graves, H. J.	Girard, Ga.	Murray, T. E.	Kite, Ga.
Gray, L. C.	Damascus, Ga.	Muse, Paul.	Pavo, Ga.
Griffin, Reese.	Wrightsville, Ga.	Myers, H. P.	Waycross, Ga.
Griner, J. B.	Bronwood, Ga.	Nease, C. L.	Scott, Ga.
Griner, J. C.	Sardis, Ga.	Nease, T. I.	Rincon, Ga.
Harmon, J. A.	Macon, Ga.	Oiliff, S. C.	Macon, Ga.
Harrison, J. G.	Spread, Ga.	Olmstead, N. H.	Rebecca, Ga.
Hearn, S. A.	Byromville, Ga.	Outler, J. M.	Savannah, Ga.
Heath, W. S.	Blakely, Ga.	Overby, E. M.	Moultrie, Ga.
Heyward, William A.	Mitchell, Ga.	Owen, R. F.	Woodbine, Ga.
Hightower, W. E.	Pineview, Ga.	Padrick, E. L.	Pearson, Ga.
Hill, L. A.	Fitzgerald, Ga.	Pafford, B. A.	Brunswick, Ga.
Hill, W. W.	White Oak, Ga.	Pafford, N. T.	Camilla, Ga.
Hines, C. C.	Helena, Ga.	Partin, George R.	Springfield, Ga.
Hitch, J. W.	Korea	Patterson, J. W.	Americus, Ga.
Holloway, P. T.	Dublin, Ga.	Peacock, J. N.	Savannah, Ga.
Hopkins, O. K.	Havana, Cuba	Pearson, H. L.	Woodland, Ga.
House, J. H.	Ocilla, Ga.	Pharr, T. E.	Donaldsonville, Ga.
Huckabee, W. A.	Cuthbert, Ga.	Phillips, M. A.	Atlanta, Ga.
Hudson, J. N.	Mount Vernon, Ga.	Pilcher, W. G.	Alapaha, Ga.
Hutchinson, George W.	Pelham, Ga.	Pinson, Q. J.	Willacoochee, Ga.
Infinger, C. M.	Hahira, Ga.	Prickett, B. C.	Surrency, Ga.
Jackson, C. A.	Waycross, Ga.	Quillian, A. W.	Sasser, Ga.
Jenkins, C. R.	Macon, Ga.	Quillian, W. F.	Fort Valley, Ga.
Jenkins, S. E.	Savannah, Ga.	Ratcliff, F. A.	St. George, Ga.
Johnson, W. S.	Rockyford, Ga.	Rees, A. W.	Sparks, Ga.
Johnson, Silas.	Metter, Ga.	Register, Moses.	Midville, Ga.
Johnstone, J. B.	Guyton, Ga.	Reviere, G. P.	Hinesville, Ga.
Joiner, H. W.	Millen, Ga.	Robinson, A. H.	Richland, Ga.
Jones, H. C.	Savannah, Ga.	Rogers, C. L.	Vidette, Ga.
Jones, J. L.	Atlanta, Ga.	Rose, E. E.	McRae, Ga.
Jones, W. C.	Cairo, Ga.	Rountree, J. A.	Wadley, Ga.
Jordan, Charles W.	Climax, Ga.	Rouse, Robert.	Tennille, Ga.
Jordan, F. J.	Hiltonia, Ga.	Rustin, J. M.	Reidsville, Ga.
Kelly, A.	McRae, Ga.	Ryder, J. T.	Cairo, Ga.
Kelly, I. R.	Fitzgerald, Ga.	Sampley, J. E.	Macon, Ga.
Kelly, O. L.	Swainsboro, Ga.	Sanders, E. A.	Gordon, Ga.
Kemp, S. S.	Poulan, Ga.	Sanders, E. M.	Alma, Ga.
Kemp, T. B.	St. Mary's, Ga.	Sanders, J. J.	Meigs, Ga.
Kenmore, W. E.	Roberta, Ga.	Saville, J. C.	Geneva, Ga.
Kerr, R.	Montezuma, Ga.	Sconyers, J. A.	Pinehurst, Ga.

Scruggs, J. H.....Hawkinsville, Ga.  
 Seals, J. E.....Macon, Ga.  
 Segers, A. P.....Norman Park, Ga.  
 Sentell, B. S.....Arlington, Ga.  
 Sharp, John S.....Wareboro, Ga.  
 Shaw, M. A.....Adrian, Ga.  
 Shirah, Jason.....Helena, Ga.  
 Smith, J. A.....Macon, Ga.  
 Smith, J. D.....Morven, Ga.  
 Smith, O. S.....Dexter, Ga.  
 Smith, W. F.....Cordele, Ga.  
 Snell, J. F.....Midland, Ga.  
 Snyder, J. D.....Warwick, Ga.  
 Stanford, J. H.....Columbus, Ga.  
 Stanford, T. B.....Dawson, Ga.  
 Stephens, G. R.....Swainsboro, Ga.  
 Stevens, Hamp.....Columbus, Ga.  
 Stewart, R. S.....China, Ga.  
 Stewart, W. W.....Quitman, Ga.  
 Stokes, F. L.....Brinson, Ga.  
 Strong, T. D.....Savannah, Ga.  
 Summer, J. E.....Parrot, Ga.  
 Sutton, E. B.....Graymont, Ga.  
 Thomas, G. W.....Columbus, Ga.  
 Thomas, Joseph A.....Columbus, Ga.  
 Thompson, G. C.....Atlanta, Ga.  
 Thomson, Thomas H.....Columbus, Ga.  
 Thrasher, J. B.....Statesboro, Ga.  
 Tinley, J. W.....Plains, Ga.  
 Tinsley, Thomas H.....Statesboro, Ga.  
 Towson, W. E.....Eastman, Ga.  
 Tyson, I. P.....Waycross, Ga.  
 Tyson, William A.....Soperton, Ga.  
 Wade, W. C.....Macon, Ga.  
 Walker, George H.....Ellaville, Ga.  
 Walker, Lester.....Folkston, Ga.  
 Wall, A. B.....Jakin, Ga.  
 Wall, Charles L.....Omaha, Ga.  
 Wainwright, Eustace L.....Bartow, Ga.  
 Ward, A. F.....Commerce, Ga.  
 Wardlaw, J. P.....Macon, Ga.  
 Ware, E. A.....Colquitt, Ga.  
 Warwick, Loy.....Albany, Ga.  
 Webb, James R.....St. Mary's, Ga.  
 Wesley, R. M.....Lumber City, Ga.  
 West, B. F.....Chauncey, Ga.  
 Weston, J. W.....Lyons, Ga.  
 Whitehead, R. L.....Cardenas, Cuba  
 Whittington, B. E.....Douglass, Ga.  
 Williams, N. H.....Statesboro, Ga.  
 Wright, W. L.....Vienna, Ga.

UNDERGRADUATES ON TRIAL.

Anderson, Walter S.....Jacksonville, Ga.  
 Barnard, D. Bridger.....Waycross, Ga.  
 Burford, William F.....Stillmore, Ga.  
 Drake, Edward P.....Benevolence, Ga.  
 Erwin, George F.....Shellman, Ga.  
 Glenn, Capers L.....Macon, Ga.  
 Harrell, Luther A.....Sparks, Ga.  
 Heath, Esley O.....Doern, Ga.  
 Hill, William N.....Gordon, Ga.  
 Huggins, William L.....Coolidge, Ga.  
 Llewellyn, Irving.....Atlanta, Ga.  
 Lovein, Norman L.....Ideal, Ga.  
 MacGregor, Kenneth H.....Talbotton, Ga.  
 Meeks, Walter W.....Darien, Ga.  
 Morrison, Columbus A.....Denton, Ga.  
 Sarrett, James M.....Cochran, Ga.  
 Talley, Oscar B.....Townsend, Ga.  
 Taylor, James O. J.....Arabi, Ga.  
 Tyler, Carlos J.....Avera, Ga.  
 Vincent, Marvin.....Springvale, Ga.  
 Waller, Thomas F.....Ashburn, Ga.  
 Wilson, James O.....Berlin, Ga.

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SUPERANNUATES.

Adkisson, M.....Fayette, Mo.  
 Bahrenburg, M.....Warrensburg, Mo.  
 Brewer, W. A.....Springfield, Mo.  
 Briggs, W. F.....R. F. D., Springfield, Mo.

Caldwell, J. P.....Pineville, Mo.  
 Castel, J. A.....St. Joseph, Mo.  
 Eastwood, W. T.....La Belle, Fla.  
 Green, G. H.....Lowry City, Mo.  
 Hagler, J. L.....Tulsa, Okla.  
 Harney, J. E.....Mountain Grove, Mo.  
 Hogan, H. D.....Rosedale, Kans.  
 Keys, S. G.....Lees Summit, Mo.  
 Loyall, J. T.....Jerico, Mo.  
 Mathews, J. A.....Greenfield, Mo.  
 Miller, H. I.....Everett, Kans.  
 Mitchell, J. G. L.....La Mesa, Tex.  
 McAlister, W. M.....Sapulpa, Okla.  
 McGuire, W. L.....Cumby, Tex.  
 Norfleet, L. P.....Sedalia, Mo.  
 Ogden, J. W.....De Queen, Ark.  
 Payne, J. W.....Kansas City, Kans.  
 Payne, T. D.....Blue Springs, Mo.  
 Pike, J. F.....Morrisville, Mo.  
 Shackelford, J. C.....Marshfield, Mo.  
 Warren, George J.....Lees Summit, Mo.  
 Wood, J. D.....Moberly, Mo.

SUPERNUMERARIES.

Clark, J. M.....Kansas City, Mo.  
 Cobb, T. M.....Lexington, Mo.  
 Davenport, C. M.....Los Angeles, Cal.  
 Ezell, J. W.....Fayette, Mo.  
 King, J. M.....  
 Larkin, M.....  
 Morris, J. C.....Athens, Ga.  
 Owen, W. P.....  
 Scarritt, C. W.....Kansas City, Mo.  
 Wagoner, W. F.....Odessa, Mo.  
 Welborn, S. G.....Nevada, Mo.

TRAVELING ELDERS.

Ailor, E. I.....Waverly, Mo.  
 Alexander, J. E.....Kansas City, Kans.  
 Allen, R. N.....Lexington, Mo.  
 Alton, B. V.....Corder, Mo.  
 Barrett, W. P.....Chamolis, Mo.  
 Beasley, W. G.....Springfield, Mo.  
 Bewley, W. C.....Lamonte, Mo.  
 Blaine, G. M.....Linn, Mo.  
 Boehm, J. C. L.....Nevada, Mo.  
 Borders, I. D.....Kansas City, Mo.  
 Bostwick, H. W.....Niangua, Mo.  
 Briggs, C. H.....Sedalia, Mo.  
 Brooks, Samuel.....South Greenfield, Mo.  
 Bruner, C.....Bates City, Mo.  
 Buckner, W. P.....Mount Washington, Mo.  
 Burton, F. M.....Lexington, Mo.  
 Cain, P. M.....Slater, Mo.  
 Campbell, R. F.....Kansas City, Mo.  
 Caskey, J. F.....Kansas City, Mo.  
 Cayton, S. P.....Rich Hill, Mo.  
 Clark, C. N.....Kansas City, Mo.  
 Clark, L. F.....Boonville, Mo.  
 Clayton, T. H.....Calhoun, Mo.  
 Cleaves, J. H.....Mountain Grove, Mo.  
 Clendenning, A. G.....Russellville, Mo.  
 Coffman, G. L.....Sweet Springs, Mo.  
 Comer, W. H.....Versailles, Mo.  
 Crook, G. L. R.....Lewis Station, Mo.  
 Dowdy, N. M.....Green Ridge, Mo.  
 Dowless, D. E.....Cross Timbers, Mo.  
 Ellis, J. B.....Springfield, Mo.  
 Emery, J. S.....Napton, Mo.  
 Faris, A. R.....Marshall, Mo.  
 Gatlin, H. G.....Garden City, Mo.  
 Gayle, A. C.....White Church, Kans.  
 Green, H. C.....Longwood, Mo.  
 Hargis, G. E.....Houstonia, Mo.  
 Hargis, J. R.....Sleeper, Mo.  
 Hargrave, L. Q.....Stotesbury, Mo.  
 Hargrove, W. H.....Malta Bend, Mo.  
 Harris, T. B.....Odessa, Mo.  
 Haynes, J. G.....R. F. D., Speed, Mo.  
 Hawkins, R. M.....Warrensburg, Mo.  
 Hedges, J. R.....Miami, Mo.  
 Heslar, W. H.....Pleasant Hill, Mo.



Higbee, C. C. .... Montrose, Mo.  
 Hill, W. C. .... Kansas City, Mo.  
 Huffine, H. D. .... Medford, Mo.  
 Huffine, T. A. .... Otterville, Mo.  
 Hunt, E. L. .... Hume, Mo.  
 Jackson, A. B. .... Kansas City, Mo.  
 James, A. N. .... Cartersville, Mo.  
 Jared, J. A. .... Warsaw, Mo.  
 Karr, Ira. .... Stoutland, Mo.  
 Kazee, D. B. .... Archie, Mo.  
 Keller, J. J. .... Morrisville, Mo.  
 Kelley, W. D. .... Eldorado Springs, Mo.  
 Kyle, R. J. .... Carthage, Mo.  
 Loch, G. C. .... Independence, Mo.  
 Looney, F. N. .... Elwood, Mo.  
 Magers, M. C. .... Kansas City, Mo.  
 McClanahan, W. A. .... Springfield, Mo.  
 McClure, W. T. .... Kansas City, Mo.  
 McDonald, J. E. .... Jefferson City, Mo.  
 Nightwine, L. S. .... California, Mo.  
 Orr, Lawrence. .... Springfield, Mo.  
 Owen, J. W. .... Wellington, Mo.  
 Pattison, Alonzo. .... Blue Springs, Mo.  
 Pennington, B. B. .... Neosho, Mo.  
 Perry, L. C. .... Terrell, Tex.  
 Pinnell, J. T. .... Oak Grove, Mo.  
 Pinnell, L. L. .... Jasper, Mo.  
 Powers, C. A. .... Springfield, Mo.  
 Pritchett, J. T. .... Nevada, Mo.  
 Pryor, C. F. .... Jamestown, Mo.  
 Puckett, T. C. .... Metz, Mo.  
 Rader, W. M. .... Nevada, Mo.  
 Rand, H. J. .... Bucyrus, Kans.  
 Raney, E. T. .... Windsor, Mo.  
 Reid, W. E. .... Medford, Mo.  
 Robbins, J. D. .... Peculiar, Mo.  
 Rickman, O. M. .... Marshall, Mo.  
 Ruyle, C. E. .... Clinton, Mo.  
 Saylor, J. C. .... Marshfield, Mo.  
 Scott, J. R. .... Seneca, Mo.  
 Shemwell, R. W. .... Sheldon, Mo.  
 Shook, Jacob. .... Morrisville, Mo.  
 Shook, L. F. .... Independence, Mo.  
 Smith, I. A. .... Lebanon, Mo.  
 Smith, W. A. .... Lees Summit, Mo.  
 Smith, W. H. .... Rosedale, Kans.  
 Sneed, J. H. .... Gilliam, Mo.  
 Snow, W. J. .... Kansas City, Mo.  
 Sooter, M. M. .... Hillsdale, Kans.  
 Stouffer, C. L. .... Higginsville, Mo.  
 Strong, J. R. .... Carthage, Mo.  
 Suddath, W. H. .... Bunceton, Mo.  
 Sullens, W. E. .... Harrisonville, Mo.  
 Swinney, J. B. .... Webb City, Mo.  
 Taylor, B. P. .... Kansas City, Mo.  
 Villines, J. M. .... Pineville, Mo.  
 Vivion, O. E. .... Springfield, Mo.  
 Wallace, C. T. .... Buckner, Mo.  
 Williams, Z. M. .... Lexington, Mo.  
 Winton, W. H. .... Morrisville, Mo.  
 Wolfe, E. K. .... Butler, Mo.  
 Wood, H. A. .... Joplin, Mo.  
 Woods, C. C. .... St. Louis, Mo.  
 Wyatt, U. V. .... Pilot Grove, Mo.

## UNDERGRADUATES.

Andrews, O. G. .... Belton, Mo.  
 Baker, E. D. .... Fair Grove, Mo.  
 Bartley, E. W. .... Kansas City, Mo.  
 Bridenthal, Claude. .... Jerico Springs, Mo.  
 Brown, J. A. .... Bronaugh, Mo.  
 Brown, J. R. .... Lincoln, Mo.  
 Brown, W. E. .... Kansas City, Mo.  
 Campbell, H. U. .... Kansas City, Mo.  
 Chapman, F. R. .... Kansas City, Mo.  
 Cox, J. E. .... Chilhowee, Mo.  
 Cox, W. J. .... Newtonia, Mo.  
 Culmer, F. A. .... Fayette, Mo.  
 Edwards, R. C. .... Grandview, Mo.  
 Filewood, L. F. ....  
 Firestone, O. S. .... Rogersville, Mo.  
 Garrett, W. W. .... Montserratt, Mo.

Hickman, T. H. .... Sarcoxie, Mo.  
 Hicks, E. D. .... Sedalia, Mo.  
 Hill, W. E. .... Bronson, Kans.  
 Jenkins, F. E. .... Daugherty, Mo.  
 Kimbrell, R. B. .... Lees Summit, Mo.  
 Pollock, L. N. .... Arrow Rock, Mo.  
 Prater, J. D. ....  
 Price, F. M. .... Pierce City, Mo.  
 Shockley, J. M. .... Waynesville, Mo.  
 Snapp, G. B. .... R. F. D., Ulrich, Mo.  
 Starkey, L. M. .... Pleasant Hill, Mo.  
 Starkey, S. J. .... Appleton City, Mo.  
 Teays, W. C. .... Spruce, Mo.  
 Vivion, King. .... Springfield, Mo.

## Tennessee Conference.

Alexander, Will W. .... Murfreesboro, Tenn.  
 Alford, F. E. .... Nashville, Tenn.  
 Allen, George R. .... Lawrenceburg, Tenn.  
 Allen, Houston T. .... Nashville, Tenn.  
 Allison, John A. .... Eagleville, Tenn.  
 Anderson, E. P. .... East Nashville, Tenn.  
 Armstrong, W. L. .... R. 6, Nashville, Tenn.  
 Atkins, E. C. .... Augusta, Ga.  
 Ausmus, D. M. .... Springfield, Tenn.  
 Baggett, John F. .... Nashville, Tenn.  
 Baird, W. H. .... R. F. D., Franklin, Tenn.  
 Barr, Asa W. .... Lynchburg, Tenn.  
 Beale, George L. .... Tullahoma, Tenn.  
 Beasley, John F. .... Fayetteville, Tenn.  
 Beasley, W. H. .... Elkton, Tenn.  
 Bell, Charles F. .... Alto, Tenn.  
 Blackwood, J. T. .... Clarksville, Tenn.  
 Blue, H. B. .... Lebanon, Tenn.  
 Bransford, S. W. .... R. 5, Lebanon, Tenn.  
 Brown, E. W. .... Wartrace, Tenn.  
 Brown, J. T. .... Culleoka, Tenn.  
 Brown, R. K. .... Hopkinsville, Ky.  
 Brown, William L. .... Allons, Tenn.  
 Burden, W. F. .... Hillsboro, Tenn.  
 Byrne, G. D. .... Monterey, Tenn.  
 Carden, T. A. .... Hohenwald, Tenn.  
 Carter, C. T. .... Bellbuckle, Tenn.  
 Cash, J. L. B. .... Whitehouse, Tenn.  
 Chappell, E. B. .... Nashville, Tenn.  
 Charles, M. W. .... Hohenwald, Tenn.  
 Charles, Omar. .... R. F. D. 1, Pardue, Tenn.  
 Charles, O. .... R. F. D. 6, Winchester, Tenn.  
 Cheek, J. B. .... R. F. D. 2, Lewisburg, Tenn.  
 Chenault, J. L. .... Cedar Hill, Tenn.  
 Chenault, R. M. .... Columbia, Tenn.  
 Cherry, J. W. .... Clarksville, Tenn.  
 Clement, A. E. .... Nashville, Tenn.  
 Clendenin, T. R. .... Dover, Tenn.  
 Coleman, F. H. .... Harms, Tenn.  
 Collier, W. J. .... Franklin, Tenn.  
 Cook, W. M. .... R. F. D. 5, Pulaski, Tenn.  
 Cook, W. T. S. .... College Grove, Tenn.  
 Cotton, J. T. .... Decherd, Tenn.  
 Couey, A. C. .... Nashville, Tenn.  
 Couser, W. F. .... Mulberry, Tenn.  
 Covington, T. A. .... Toledo, Ohio.  
 Cox, Fred B. .... Algood, Tenn.  
 Craig, R. J. .... Cookeville, Tenn.  
 Cullom, T. S. .... West Nashville, Tenn.  
 Darnell, T. L. .... R. F. D. Match, Tenn.  
 Dent, T. M. .... Nolensville, Tenn.  
 Dickson, F. G. .... Deltrose, Tenn.  
 Dinwiddie, A. G. .... Columbia, Tenn.  
 Doss, W. E. .... Nashville, Tenn.  
 Duncan, B. J. .... R. 2, Hendersonville, Tenn.  
 Durrett, John. .... Lebanon, Tenn.  
 Edmondson, W. E. .... Nashville, Tenn.  
 Ensor, Dow A. .... Donelson, Tenn.  
 Ensor, John O. .... Hartsville, Tenn.  
 Ensor, Simon M. .... Cross Plains, Tenn.  
 Epps, Cliff M. .... Petersburg, Tenn.  
 Estes, James B. .... Liberty, Tenn.  
 Eubank, George E. .... Nashville, Tenn.  
 Fain, S. L. .... Lawrenceburg, Tenn.  
 Faires, J. W. .... Erin, Tenn.  
 Fielder, Boyd S. .... Linden, Tenn.

Fisher, T. B...	R. F. D. 2, Nashville,	Tenn.
Ford, M. N.	Elmwood,	Tenn.
Freeman, P. B...	R. F. D., Lynchburg,	Tenn.
Freeman, P. D.	Nashville,	Tenn.
Funk, J. P.	Smyrna,	Tenn.
Gabard, C. S.	Bethesda,	Tenn.
Gilbert, B. F.	Santa Clara,	Cuba
Gilbert, J. W.	Hohenwald,	Tenn.
Gilbert, T. H.	Alexandria,	Tenn.
Gilbert, W. H.	Dickson,	Tenn.
Givens, Claude P.	Huntland,	Tenn.
Green, W. M.	R. F. D. 9, Nashville,	Tenn.
Gregory, E. L.	Dickson,	Tenn.
Haggard, W. T.	Nashville,	Tenn.
Haley, Ollie C.	R. 1, Carter's Creek,	Tenn.
Handlin, J. N.	Waverly,	Tenn.
Harper, J. G.	R. F. D. 1, Ardmore,	Tenn.
Harrell, E. M.	Nashville,	Tenn.
Harris, J. R.	R. 11, West Nashville,	Tenn.
Harwell, Maut K.	R. 3, Lewisburg,	Tenn.
Harwell, W. L.	Charlotte,	Tenn.
Hawkins, Frank L.	R. 5, Clarksville,	Tenn.
Hays, M. R.	Castalian Springs,	Tenn.
Henley, John S.	Mount Pleasant,	Tenn.
Hensley, G. L.	Southside,	Tenn.
Hensley, J. W.	Chapel Hill,	Tenn.
Hewgley, J. D.	R. 3, Clarksville,	Tenn.
Hill, R. D.	R. 2, Clarksville,	Tenn.
Hinkle, Carl C.	Hendersonville,	Tenn.
Hinkle, D. E.	Shelbyville,	Tenn.
Hinson, T. H.	R. F. D., Lebanon,	Tenn.
Hodge, A. L.	Viola,	Tenn.
Holmes, James R., Jr.	Santa Fe,	Tenn.
Horn, J. M.	R. 1, Columbia,	Tenn.
Hosale, Lawrence.	Ashland City,	Tenn.
Hudgens, R. H.	Gallatin,	Tenn.
Isom, B. F.	Dickson,	Tenn.
Ivie, H. J.	Nashville,	Tenn.
Jackson, Green P.	Nashville,	Tenn.
Jackson, W. L.	Gallatin,	Tenn.
Jarratt, W. V.	West Nashville,	Tenn.
Jarvis, H. M.	Mount Pleasant,	Tenn.
Johnson, P. G.	R. 1, Clarksville,	Tenn.
Johnston, W. H.	Murfreesboro,	Tenn.
Jordan, J. B.	Carthage,	Tenn.
Keathley, I. W.	Palmyra,	Tenn.
Keathley, S. M.	Monterey,	Tenn.
Kellum, J. L.	R. 5, Pulaski,	Tenn.
Kennedy, H. S.	West Nashville,	Tenn.
Kerley, T. A.	R. 10, Nashville,	Tenn.
Klyce, W. H.	Nashville,	Tenn.
Lane, O. H.	Doyle,	Tenn.
Lantrip, W. M.	R. 8, Lebanon,	Tenn.
Largen, W. O.	Williamsport,	Tenn.
Lee, J. K.	Prospect,	Tenn.
Long, Lem R.	Brooksville,	Miss.
Lovell, W. H.	R. 5, Springfield,	Tenn.
Lowry, W. B.	Pulaski,	Tenn.
Luton, Jesse P.	Winchester,	Tenn.
Lyle, Bruce L.	Nashville,	Tenn.
Mabry, John J.	Cumberland City,	Tenn.
Mabry, M. J.	Smyrna,	Tenn.
Martin, W. M.	R. F. D., Lebanon,	Tenn.
Matthews, Thomas A.	Nashville,	Tenn.
Matthews, W. K.	Kobe,	Japan
Mays, A. Z.	Waverly,	Tenn.
McCord, E. R.	Bethpage,	Tenn.
McCulloch, J. E.	Nashville,	Tenn.
Miller, Allen.	White's Creek,	Tenn.
Molloy, J. Allison.	Nashville,	Tenn.
Morelock, J. F.	Westmoreland,	Tenn.
Morgan, A. J.	McMinnville,	Tenn.
Morgan, George A.	Nashville,	Tenn.
Mullen, W. M.	Guantanamo,	Cuba
Nackles, G. W.	Lynnville,	Tenn.
Nelson, William L.	Diana,	Tenn.
Noland, T. W.	Lawrenceburg,	Tenn.
Oakley, J. M.	Adams,	Tenn.
Parks, S. H.	R. D., Mount Pleasant,	Tenn.
Parrish, I. W.	R. F. D., Denver,	Tenn.
Parsons, J. Robert.	Savannah,	Tenn.
Parsons, J. T.	R. 3, Shelbyville,	Tenn.
Pearson, John W.	Nashville,	Tenn.
Pinson, W. W.	Nashville,	Tenn.
Powers, W. F.	Greenbrier,	Tenn.
Pullen, W. W.	Thompson Station,	Tenn.
Putnam, James M.	Bellevue,	Tenn.
Ragsdale, T. C.	Nashville,	Tenn.
Ransom, J. J.	Goodlettsville,	Tenn.
Ray, J. H.	Portland,	Tenn.
Reagin, John R.	Bellevue,	Tenn.
Reams, Herchel B.	Winchester,	Tenn.
Reed, D. T.	Overall,	Tenn.
Reeves, John R.	Pleasant View,	Tenn.
Rice, John S.	Centerville,	Tenn.
Ricks, W. B.	Columbia,	Tenn.
Roberts, J. C.		
Robinson, Edgar U.	Celina,	Tenn.
Robinson, Elijah.	Elmwood,	Tenn.
Rochelle, B. J.	R. F. D., Franklin,	Tenn.
Sanders, G. M.	South Tunnel,	Tenn.
Seay, H. W.	Waverly,	Tenn.
Seay, R. W.	Franklin,	Tenn.
Shannon, A. H.	Agricultural College,	Miss.
Simpson, J. R.	Adams,	Tenn.
Skelton, R. A.	R. F. D., Wartrace,	Tenn.
Smothermon, B. T.	R. 4, Clarksville,	Tenn.
Smothermon, J. L.	Carthage,	Tenn.
Sowell, P. A.	Lawrenceburg,	Tenn.
Springer, W. F.	R. 6, Lebanon,	Tenn.
Spurlock, John B.	Clifton,	Tenn.
Steel, E. M.	Nashville,	Tenn.
Stewart, John R.	Nashville,	Tenn.
Stewart, Lannie W.	Cornersville,	Tenn.
Stowe, J. J.	Pulaski,	Tenn.
Stroud, W. A.	Manchester,	Tenn.
Swann, John W.	Gordonsville,	Tenn.
Syler, J. W.	Oak Hill,	Tenn.
Taylor, J. L.	Portland,	Tenn.
Taylor, W. B.	Nashville,	Tenn.
Taylor, W. S.	Franklin,	Tenn.
Thomas, J. E.	Monteagle,	Tenn.
Tillett, W. F.	Nashville,	Tenn.
Tinnon, J. F.	Nashville,	Tenn.
Tinnon, R. S.	Aspen Hill,	Tenn.
Travis, Rufus E.	Goodlettsville,	Tenn.
Trawick, A. M.	Nashville,	Tenn.
Tucker, N. Burch.	Lewisburg,	Tenn.
Wade, C. R.	Sparta,	Tenn.
Waite, Robert.	Santa Fe,	Tenn.
Walker, A. P.	Spring Hill,	Tenn.
Walkup, W. J.	Nashville,	Tenn.
Weakley, Wickliffe.	Nashville,	Tenn.
Webster, Joseph.	R. 5, Lebanon,	Tenn.
Whitson, Joel C.	R. D., Shelbyville,	Tenn.
Williams, W. H.	R. 7, Pulaski,	Tenn.
Wilson, Charles S.	McEwen,	Tenn.
Wilson, Wash J.	Ethridge,	Tenn.
Wilson, William R.	R. 1, Joelton,	Tenn.
Winton, G. B.	Nashville,	Tenn.
Woods, M. P.	Nashville,	Tenn.
Woodward, J. E.	Brentwood,	Tenn.
Woodward, T. H.	Dyer Station,	Tenn.
Wright, J. R.	Hampshire,	Tenn.

ON TRIAL.

Allen, Robert Lee.	White Bluff,	Tenn.
Bain, Fred Clarence.		
Charles, Clarence M.	Loretta,	Tenn.
Crawford, James O.	Stewart,	Tenn.
Duncan, George S.	Bon Air,	Tenn.
Folks, Wilbur C.	Carthage,	Tenn.
Gentry, Oscar P.	Gainesboro,	Tenn.
Gibbons, Alva R.	Smithville,	Tenn.
Hall, Robert.	Crossville,	Tenn.
Hulme, Isaac N.	Good Springs,	Tenn.
Josselyn, Warren B.	Unionville,	Tenn.
Knowles, E. L.	Cumberland Furnace,	Tenn.
Leidig, Daniel G.	Dickson,	Tenn.
Madewell, Jacob W.	Jamestown,	Tenn.
McReynolds, G. D.		
	R. 3, Westmoreland,	Tenn.
Poole, George E.	Moberly,	Tenn.
Raulins, Daniel B.	Ruskin,	Tenn.
Russell, P. R.	R. D., Tennessee City,	Tenn.

Settle, J. H. .... R. D., McMinnville, Tenn.  
 Stewart, M. M. ....  
 Whitfield, J. H. .... Little Lot, Tenn.  
 Williams, M. B. .... R. 2, Springfield, Tenn.  
 Wilson, Thomas M. .... Tracy City, Tenn.

## SUPPLIES.

Angel, G. W. .... Doyle, Tenn.  
 Baxter, G. W. .... Fayetteville, Tenn.  
 Blaylock, W. M. .... R. F. D., Kelso, Tenn.  
 Burks, R. B. .... Monteagle, Tenn.  
 Cates, W. B. ....  
 Charles, W. C. .... Waynesboro, Tenn.  
 Clark, T. J. .... Westpoint, Tenn.  
 Crocker, J. C. .... Manchester, Tenn.  
 Crosslin, J. C. .... R. F. D., Sparta, Tenn.  
 Davenport, G. W. .... Nashville, Tenn.  
 Davis, H. A. .... Rockvale, Tenn.  
 Dickens, L. F. .... R. F. D., Smithville, Tenn.  
 Doyle, A. E. .... Livingston, Tenn.  
 Doyle, A. N. .... R. 3, Carter's Creek, Tenn.  
 Frazier, Neal D. .... R. 1, Donelson, Tenn.  
 Freeman, Lonnie. .... Gillis Mills, Tenn.  
 Green, O. L. .... Summitville, Tenn.  
 Haley, Frank. .... Britts Landing, Tenn.  
 Henry, Elisha. .... Dycus, Tenn.  
 Kirby, O. A. .... Nashville, Tenn.  
 Justice, R. E. .... Indian Mound, Tenn.  
 Langston, R. R. .... Bumpus Mills, Tenn.  
 Mathis, W. C. .... Peters Landing, Tenn.  
 Neal, J. M. E. .... Flatwoods, Tenn.  
 Prince, A. F. .... Nashville, Tenn.  
 Staggs, B. J. .... R. F. D., Savannah, Tenn.  
 Stevens, J. R. .... R. 9, Murfreesboro, Tenn.  
 Thompson, Asa D. .... Lobelville, Tenn.  
 Tucker, R. J. .... R. F. D., Manchester, Tenn.

## Texas Conference.

Adams, C. H. .... Center, Tex.  
 Adams, R. W. .... Houston, Tex.  
 Adams, W. W. .... Texarkana, Tex.  
 Alexander, I. .... Henderson, Tex.  
 Allen, S. N. .... Colfax, Tenn.  
 Anderson, B. C. .... Livingston, Tex.  
 Andrews, W. F. .... Texarkana, Tex.  
 Ansley, B. C. .... Grapeland, Tex.  
 Atkinson, C. J. .... Angleton, Tex.  
 Ayers, W. T. .... Montgomery, Tex.  
 Barcus, E. R. .... Tyler, Tex.  
 Bass, W. M. .... Alba, Tex.  
 Beaird, R. E. .... Beckville, Tex.  
 Belcher, W. A. .... Gary, Tex.  
 Bell, B. T. .... Lott, Tex.  
 Bell, C. C. .... Onalaska, Tex.  
 Bell, J. R. .... Humble, Tex.  
 Betts, I. F. .... Jacksonville, Tex.  
 Biggs, A. C. .... Richmond, Tex.  
 Bledsoe, T. E. .... Appleby, Tex.  
 Boddie, D. B. .... Waller, Tex.  
 Bolton, B. R. .... Jacksonville, Tex.  
 Boyles, F. M. .... Marshall, Tex.  
 Bradford, L. H. .... Wallis, Tex.  
 Brichta, William. .... Bryan, Tex.  
 Bridges, J. W. .... Garrison, Tex.  
 Brooks, W. H. .... Cedar Bayou, Tex.  
 Brothers, L. F. .... Jefferson, Tex.  
 Brown, M. I. .... Cason, Tex.  
 Bryan, W. F. .... Marlin, Tex.  
 Bryce, I. M. .... El Paso, Tex.  
 Burke, D. S. .... Willis, Tex.  
 Burke, J. D. .... Burk, Tex.  
 Burroughs, R. A. .... Waco, Tex.  
 Buttrill, J. E. .... Shiro, Tex.  
 Cain, T. R. .... Kosse, Tex.  
 Callaway, Benjamin. .... Eustace, Tex.  
 Cameron, J. C. .... Lexington, Tex.  
 Campbell, I. W. .... Emory, Tex.  
 Cannan, W. L. .... Harleton, Tex.  
 Carlin, J. H. .... Queen City, Tex.  
 Carnes, A. L. .... Brazoria, Tex.  
 Carr, J. C. .... Gilmer, Tex.  
 Carter, J. F. .... Houston, Tex.  
 Clark, C. E. .... Houston, Tex.  
 Clark, F. G. .... Calvert, Tex.  
 Cochran, J. M. .... Cushing, Tex.  
 Cockrell, J. C. .... Travis, Tex.  
 Collins, G. H. .... Dayton, Tex.  
 Conner, A. L. .... Oglburn, Tex.  
 Cooke, E. G. .... Brenham, Tex.  
 Coppage, J. O. .... Canton, Tex.  
 Coppedge, I. J. .... Ore City, Tex.  
 Craven, W. A. .... Normangee, Tex.  
 Cravy, G. C. .... Lexington, Tex.  
 Cullen, D. P. .... Hallsville, Tex.  
 Cullen, J. W. .... Sour Lake, Tex.  
 Cummings, C. T. .... Hughes Springs, Tex.  
 Daniel, M. F. .... Alto, Tex.  
 Davis, George W. .... Marlin, Tex.  
 Davis, H. H. .... Peru, Ind.  
 Davis, W. F. .... Houston, Tex.  
 Dawson, F. D. .... Jasper, Tex.  
 Day, Walton. .... Lyons, Tex.  
 Dent, I. O. .... Linden, Tex.  
 Dobes, Joseph. .... Bryan, Tex.  
 Easterling, W. S. .... Marshall, Tex.  
 Edwards, W. H. .... Winfield, Tex.  
 Elrod, L. B. .... Timpson, Tex.  
 Escoe, E. C. .... Bullard, Tex.  
 Farrington, C. L. .... Huntsville, Tex.  
 Favre, F. O. .... Rosenberg, Tex.  
 Few, F. E. .... Cold Springs, Tex.  
 Flinn, Glenn. .... Beaumont, Tex.  
 Florence, Preston. .... Elkhart, Tex.  
 Fowler, L. M. .... Henderson, Tex.  
 Fuller, J. M. .... Mount Enterprise, Tex.  
 Gardner, D. W. .... Cleveland, Tex.  
 Garrett, C. B. .... Pittsburg, Tex.  
 Garrett, C. E. .... Thorndale, Tex.  
 Garrett, J. F. .... Wheelock, Tex.  
 Garrison, Gus. .... Stowell, Tex.  
 Goddard, O. E. .... Galveston, Tex.  
 Goodwin, J. W. .... Rusk, Tex.  
 Gollighugh, W. W. .... St. Augustine, Tex.  
 Gordon, A. W. .... Beaumont, Tex.  
 Gordon, J. M. .... Buckholts, Tex.  
 Graham, W. W. .... Clarksville, Tex.  
 Graves, T. B. .... Austin, Tex.  
 Greathouse, B. H. .... Camp, Ark.  
 Green, J. E. .... Houston, Tex.  
 Green, L. E. .... Call, Tex.  
 Hall, A. G. .... Henderson, Tex.  
 Harbin, W. G. .... Houston, Tex.  
 Harkey, C. S. .... Galveston, Tex.  
 Hart, H. T. .... Milano, Tex.  
 Hayes, H. J. .... Hearne, Tex.  
 Helpinstill, John. .... Shelbyville, Tex.  
 Hendrick, J. S. .... Whitehouse, Tex.  
 Hill, Ben O. .... Camaguey, Cuba  
 Hooks, J. T. .... Palestine, Tex.  
 Hooper, O. W. .... Houston, Tex.  
 Horger, S. D. .... Groveton, Tex.  
 Horner, W. W. .... Giddings, Tex.  
 Hotchkiss, D. H. .... Palestine, Tex.  
 Hotchkiss, D. S. .... Hempstead, Tex.  
 Hotchkiss, O. T. .... Bay City, Tex.  
 Houck, J. D. F. .... Houston, Tex.  
 Huddleston, J. C. .... Douglasville, Tex.  
 Hughes, C. W. .... Mineola, Tex.  
 Hughes, W. C. .... Liberty, Tex.  
 Ingram, E. L. .... Rosebud, Tex.  
 Johnson, J. W. .... Brownwood, Tex.  
 Jones, R. B. .... Pittsburg, Tex.  
 Kelley, J. W. .... Lubbock, Tex.  
 Kemp, George E. .... Harrisburg, Tex.  
 Kennedy, C. M. .... Neches, Tex.  
 Key, I. F. .... Conroe, Tex.  
 Kidd, J. F. .... Trinity, Tex.  
 Kilgore, James. .... Dallas, Tex.  
 Knickerbocker, H. D. .... Houston, Tex.  
 Lamar, C. R. ....  
 Le Clere, George A. .... Houston, Tex.  
 Ledbetter, R. E. .... Houston, Tex.  
 Lee, Jesse. .... Brenham, Tex.  
 Little, Albert. .... Tyler, Tex.

Lloyd, L. L. .... Wharton, Tex.  
 Low, S. W. .... Centerville, Tex.  
 Luker, F. E. .... Wills Point, Tex.  
 Luker, J. B. .... Hemphill, Tex.  
 Maness, E. A. .... Atlanta, Tex.  
 Manly, I. B. .... Cedar Bayou, Tex.  
 Marshall, J. C. .... China, Tex.  
 Marshall, R. S. .... Jewett, Tex.  
 Massey, J. L. .... Navasota, Tex.  
 Mathison, L. H. .... Daingerfield, Tex.  
 Matney, H. A. .... Sealy, Tex.  
 McCain, H. H. .... Henderson, Tex.  
 McCary, A. J. .... Kilgore, Tex.  
 McCrary, T. D. .... Edom, Tex.  
 McDonald, W. T. .... Huntsville, Tex.  
 McGhee, L. H. .... Troup, Tex.  
 McKenney, S. S. .... Port Arthur, Tex.  
 McLarty, C. U. .... Crockett, Tex.  
 Methvin, A. .... Glen Flora, Tex.  
 Milam, T. J. .... Lufkin, Tex.  
 Mills, J. M. .... Keltys, Tex.  
 Mills, J. W. .... Houston, Tex.  
 Milton, P. I. .... Shelbyville, Tex.  
 Mock, C. E. .... Jacksonville, Tex.  
 Moody, J. A. .... Alvin, Tex.  
 Moon, W. B. .... Jacksonville, Tex.  
 Morehead, H. K. .... Silsbee, Tex.  
 Morehead, T. R. .... Franklin, Tex.  
 Morgan, J. E. .... Navasota, Tex.  
 Morgan, S. H. .... Elgin, Tex.  
 Murray, J. R. .... Keltys, Tex.  
 Myers, C. M. .... Alvin, Tex.  
 Newsom, E. P. ....  
 Ogle, T. S. .... Dallas, Tex.  
 Owens, B. L. .... Laneville, Tex.  
 Pace, I. F. .... Hallsville, Tex.  
 Packard, W. F. .... Marlin, Tex.  
 Pate, W. L. .... Anderson, Tex.  
 Payne, E. .... Kosse, Tex.  
 Perritte, H. T. .... Beaumont, Tex.  
 Phair, George H. .... Hempstead, Tex.  
 Platt, Frank. .... Teneha, Tex.  
 Potter, E. W. .... Huntsville, Tex.  
 Pounds, W. A. .... Chandler, Tex.  
 Power, L. J. .... Caldwell, Tex.  
 Ramsey, P. T. .... Jacksonville, Tex.  
 Red, J. L. .... New Boston, Tex.  
 Reifschneider, J. E. .... Galveston, Tex.  
 Rider, A. A. .... Pine Hill, Tex.  
 Riley, G. W. .... Millican, Tex.  
 Ritchie, J. R. .... Tyler, Tex.  
 Ross, J. L. .... Lindale, Tex.  
 Russell, J. L. .... Henderson, Tex.  
 Russell, W. L. .... Center, Tex.  
 Sadler, G. Z. .... Maysfield, Tex.  
 Sample, E. A. .... Davilla, Tex.  
 Saxon, L. B. .... Palestine, Tex.  
 Scruggs, A. G. .... Marshall, Tex.  
 Sharp, T. C. .... Malakoff, Tex.  
 Sherrell, W. M. .... Timpson, Tex.  
 Shettles, E. L. .... Richmond, Tex.  
 Smith, C. E. W. .... Katy, Tex.  
 Smith, C. F. .... Beaumont, Tex.  
 Smith, H. B. .... Rockdale, Tex.  
 Smith, J. M. .... Kelleyville, Tex.  
 Smith, J. T. .... Tyler, Tex.  
 Smith, R. R. .... Kountze, Tex.  
 Smith, W. F. .... Grand Saline, Tex.  
 Solomon, E. W. .... Bryan, Tex.  
 Sproule, William. .... Texarkana, Tex.  
 Stewart, J. C. .... Batson, Tex.  
 Stokeley, S. W. .... Bellville, Tex.  
 Stovall, G. C. .... Memphis, Tenn.  
 Strother, W. K. .... Jacksonville, Tex.  
 Swindall, E. P. .... Tyler, Tex.  
 Tally, C. T. .... Marshall, Tex.  
 Taylor, G. L. .... Carthage, Tex.  
 Terrell, M. N. .... Mount Pleasant, Tex.  
 Tharp, A. A. .... Naples, Tex.  
 Thomas, I. E. .... Edgewood, Tex.  
 Thomas, S. W. .... Teague, Tex.  
 Thomson, J. C. .... Bryan, Tex.  
 Threadwell, J. W. .... Jacksonville, Tex.

Timmons, H. M. .... Lufkin, Tex.  
 Tooke, Allen. .... Somerville, Tex.  
 Tower, C. A. .... Athens, Tex.  
 Turrentine, J. B. .... Texarkana, Tex.  
 Vance, W. H. .... Pittsburg, Tex.  
 Vondracek, J. M. .... Rosebud, Tex.  
 Wagnon, A. A. .... Houston, Tex.  
 Walker, A. T. .... Texarkana, Tex.  
 Wallace, J. F. .... Woodville, Tex.  
 Wardlow, J. W. .... Gause, Tex.  
 Watts, H. V. .... Texas City, Tex.  
 Watts, W. W. .... Orange, Tex.  
 Weatherby, J. I. .... Lindale, Tex.  
 Weatherby, J. L. .... League City, Tex.  
 Weimer, S. A. .... Jasper, Tex.  
 Weir, R. O. .... Flynn, Tex.  
 Wells, M. F. .... Nederland, Tex.  
 White, J. E. .... Nash, Tex.  
 White, P. R. .... Fairfield, Tex.  
 White, W. D. .... Longview, Tex.  
 Whitehurst, A. S. .... Madisonville, Tex.  
 Williams, D. A. .... Kirbyville, Tex.  
 Williams, J. C. .... Alto, Tex.  
 Williford, T. S. .... Matagorda, Tex.  
 Willis, H. C. .... Cameron, Tex.  
 Wootten, Weems. .... Newton, Tex.  
 Zimmerman, O. F. .... Reagan, Tex.

UNDERGRADUATES—FIRST YEAR.

Downs, E. G. .... Marshall, Tex.  
 Goens, R. C. .... Tanglewood, Tex.  
 House, G. C. .... Franklin, Tex.  
 House, R. M. .... Leon, Tex.  
 Jones, W. G. .... Dalby Springs, Tex.  
 Lanier, J. C. .... Crosby, Tex.  
 Pitman, W. H. .... Mount Alba, Tex.  
 Sneller, D. E. .... Brookland, Tex.  
 St. John, T. W. .... Brookshire, Tex.  
 Turner, M. R. .... Bethany, La.  
 Waggoner, L. J. .... Henderson, Tex.  
 Webb, J. L. .... Dodge, Tex.  
 Westmoreland, J. H. .... Ripley, Tex.

SECOND YEAR.

Allen, W. A. .... Midway, Tex.  
 Barnhart, K. C. .... Houston, Tex.  
 Chapman, A. B. .... Chapel Hill, Tex.  
 Daniel, Otto. .... Corrigan, Tex.  
 Doak, C. H. .... Burke, Tex.  
 Earls, W. H. .... Rosewood, Tex.  
 Fuller, C. B. .... Frankston, Tex.  
 Gates, R. A. .... Durango, Tex.  
 Hopkins, Leo. .... Overton, Tex.  
 Moore, D. W. .... Beaumont, Tex.  
 Rider, A. E. .... Livingston, Tex.  
 Thomas, W. W. .... Timpson, Tex.  
 Ussery, J. W. .... Redwater, Tex.  
 Zito, F. .... Bryan, Tex.

SUPPLIES.

Abney, H. A. .... Velasco, Tex.  
 Bard, William. .... Arcadia, Tex.  
 Brawner, E. S. .... Murchison, Tex.  
 Calhoun, J. C. .... Quitman, Tex.  
 Daily, H. B. .... Glen Flora, Tex.  
 Deets, R. J. .... Boston, Tex.  
 Fletcher, G. M. .... Wills Point, Tex.  
 Frick, A. J. .... Huntsville, Tex.  
 Hodges, R. F. .... Kennard, Tex.  
 Innis, S. H. .... Anahuac, Tex.  
 Jordan, Milton. .... Newton, Tex.  
 Moon, R. B. .... Jacksonville, Tex.  
 Nichols, L. W. .... Gallatin, Tex.  
 Norwood, P. W. .... Madisonville, Tex.  
 Prather, Ed. .... R. F. D., Crockett, Tex.  
 Pulley, D. F. .... Athens, Tex.  
 Smith, L. F. .... Chireno, Tex.  
 Smith, R. J. .... Big Sandy, Tex.  
 Taylor, M. G. .... Geneva, Tex.  
 Terry, A. .... Mineola, Tex.  
 Wilson, J. S. .... Melrose, Tex.

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Abney, O. M.	Columbia, S. C.	Leonard, G. C.	Gaffney, S. C.
Anderson, J. F.	—	Lewis, J. W.	Westminster, S. C.
Bailey, J. W.	Calhoun Falls, S. C.	Lupo, R. H.	Columbia, S. C.
Ballenger, N. G.	Seneca, S. C.	Mahaffey, J. B.	Columbia, S. C.
Beaty, L. F.	Nashville, Tenn.	Mahaffey, J. E.	York, S. C.
Belvin, W. T.	Walhalla, S. C.	Major, J. R. T.	Spartanburg, S. C.
Best, A. H.	Pacolet, S. C.	Manly, J. H.	Lancaster, S. C.
Blackman, S. T.	Duncan, S. C.	Martin, W. S.	Antreville, S. C.
Bledsoe, J. A.	Rockton, S. C.	Mason, E. R.	Greenville, S. C.
Booth, S. H.	Williamston, S. C.	Mason, E. W.	Wallaceville, S. C.
Bouknight, W. R.	Newberry, S. C.	McGee, L. P.	Greenwood, S. C.
Boulware, R. C.	Campobello, S. C.	Meadors, W. P.	Kingstree, S. C.
Boyd, D. P.	Newberry, S. C.	Meadors, W. P., Jr.	Saluda, S. C.
Brabham, M. M.	Ninety-Six, S. C.	Meetze, J. M.	Blythewood, S. C.
Brooks, M. M.	Inman, S. C.	Meyers, Elzie.	Rock Hill, S. C.
Brown, J. H.	Union, S. C.	Miller, J. T.	Enoree, S. C.
Brunson, A. N.	Columbia, S. C.	Montgomery, J. H.	Aiken, S. C.
Bryant, R. F.	—	Morris, R. F.	Ninety-Six, S. C.
Camak, D. E.	Spartanburg, S. C.	Mouzon, H. C.	Hickory Grove, S. C.
Carlisle, J. E.	Laurens, S. C.	Mullikin, W. L.	Laurens, S. C.
Carlisle, M. L.	Anderson, S. C.	Munnerlyn, T. W.	Honea Path, S. C.
Chandler, J. C.	Columbia, S. C.	Murray, W. H.	Kinards, S. C.
Clarke, W. A.	Laurens, S. C.	Neeley, J. W.	Swansea, S. C.
Clarkson, G. F.	Verdery, S. C.	O'Dell, T. C.	Anderson, S. C.
Connelly, J. B.	Princeton, S. C.	Owings, W. M.	Pendleton, S. C.
Copeland, J. R.	Cowpens, S. C.	Patrick, M. B.	Spartanburg, S. C.
Covington, B. H.	Spartanburg, S. C.	Peele, C. E.	Leesville, S. C.
Creech, S. F.	Woodruff, S. C.	Peeler, C. M.	Pacolet, S. C.
Daniel, J. L.	Abbeville, S. C.	Polk, W. H.	Rock Hill, S. C.
Danner, J. H.	Pelzer, S. C.	Robertson, B. M.	Central, S. C.
Dargan, Marion.	Greenwood, S. C.	Rogers, S. L.	Clifton, S. C.
Dibble, F. E.	Newberry, S. C.	Roof, D. R.	Columbia, S. C.
Doggett, R. L.	Carlisle, S. C.	Roper, J. C.	Rock Hill, S. C.
Driggers, A. E.	Aiken, S. C.	Sharp, R. E.	Cokesbury, S. C.
Duckworth, W. A.	Newberry, S. C.	Shealy, T. A.	Ridgeway, S. C.
Duffie, R. L.	Westminster, S. C.	Shell, J. W.	Whitmire, S. C.
Duncan, W. T.	Chester, S. C.	Singleton, J. L.	Greenville, S. C.
Etheredge, Hamlin.	North Augusta, S. C.	Snyder, W. J.	Batesburg, S. C.
Fairey, W. A.	Laurens, S. C.	Speake, J. W.	Union, S. C.
Farr, J. G.	Lexington, S. C.	Speer, Foster.	Columbia, S. C.
Frazier, John W.	Spartanburg, S. C.	Spinks, J. I.	Phoenix, S. C.
Fridy, J. M.	Waterloo, S. C.	Stackhouse, R. E.	Spartanburg, S. C.
Garrett, W. B.	Columbia, S. C.	Steadman, J. M.	Clemson College, S. C.
Gault, W. F.	Gaffney, S. C.	Stokes, Henry.	Clinton, S. C.
Gibson, T. F.	Lancaster, S. C.	Stokes, J. L.	Walhalla, S. C.
Gillespie, L. D.	Greer, S. C.	Strickland, J. E.	Starr, S. C.
Goodwin, W. S.	Fort Mill, S. C.	Taylor, E. P.	Prosperity, S. C.
Gunter, A. L.	Edgefield, S. C.	Thacker, J. H.	Johnston, S. C.
Harden, W. M.	Rock Hill, S. C.	Traywick, J. B.	Blacksburg, S. C.
Hardy, H. B.	Winnsboro, S. C.	Turnipseed, B. R.	Columbia, S. C.
Harley, G. G.	Gray Court, S. C.	Turnipseed, R. E.	Greenville, S. C.
Harley, J. L.	Spartanburg, S. C.	Wharton, M. T.	Fountain Inn, S. C.
Herbert, C. C.	Chester, S. C.	White, S. B.	Blackstock, S. C.
Herbert, W. I.	Greenwood, S. C.	Whitlock, F. G.	Irmo, S. C.
Hodges, E. T.	Pickens, S. C.	Whitten, H. A.	Clover, S. C.
Holler, A. E.	Greenville, S. C.	Wiggins, L. E.	Columbia, S. C.
Holler, J. D.	Greenville, S. C.	Willson, John O.	Greenwood, S. C.
Holman, J. K.	—		
Huggin, J. G.	McCormick, S. C.		
Inabinet, L. L.	R. F. D., Pickens, S. C.		
Isom, J. N.	Abbeville, S. C.		
James, E. Z.	Richburg, S. C.		
Jeffcoat, D. E.	Gilbert, S. C.		
Jeffcoat, O. A.	Saluda, S. C.		
Johnson, L. W.	Anderson, S. C.		
Jones, E. S.	Rock Hill, S. C.		
Justus, W. B.	Jonesville, S. C.		
Keaton, R. L.	Gaffney, S. C.		
Keller, R. L.	Lancaster, S. C.		
Kelley, W. C.	Kelton, S. C.		
Kilgo, J. W.	Columbia, S. C.		
Kilgo, P. F.	Greenville, S. C.		
Kilgo, P. R.	Rock Hill, S. C.		
Kilgore, J. B.	Great Falls, S. C.		
Knight, B. L.	Newberry, S. C.		
Latham, M. G.	Van Wyck, S. C.		
Lawton, R. O.	Greenwood, S. C.		

## ON TRIAL—FIRST YEAR.

Brown, J. E.	Langley, S. C.
Carter, C. P.	Anderson, S. C.
Cogburn, R. F.	Greenville, S. C.
Chick, J. B.	Union, S. C.
Cooley, W. Y.	Trough, S. C.
Dunlap, S. C.	Greenville, S. C.
Harris, C. L.	Greenwood, S. C.
Holroyd, R. L.	Easley, S. C.
Lamar, W. A.	Traveler's Rest, S. C.
Lupo, J. F.	Graniteville, S. C.
McGhee, W. W.	Chesnee, S. C.
Winningham, J. P.	Greer, S. C.

## SECOND YEAR.

Anderson, L. P.	Korea
Cunningham, J. C.	Spartanburg, S. C.
Doggett, A. McB.	Greenville, S. C.
Golightly, J. F.	Cross Anchor, S. C.
Griffin, J. D.	Piedmont, S. C.
Harvey, B. H.	Union, S. C.
Hodges, G. H.	Liberty, S. C.
Hughes, G. T.	Easley, S. C.



Lewis, W. H. .... Greenville, S. C.  
Meadors, M. K. .... Lowndesville, S. C.  
Rice, A. Q. .... Parksville, S. C.

SUPPLIES.

Attaway, D. H. .... New Brookland, S. C.  
Cleckley, M. A. .... Leesville, S. C.  
Jones, S. M. .... Pickens, S. C.  
Patrick, W. T. .... Wagener, S. C.

Virginia Conference.

Allen, J. T. .... South Boston, Va.  
Anker, H. P. .... Lusambo, Africa  
Askew, J. B. .... Whitestone, Va.  
Atwill, W. H. .... Smithfield, Va.  
Avery, J. E., Jr. .... Atlanta, Ga.  
Babcock, J. O. .... South Richmond, Va.  
Balderson, H. P. .... Urbanna, Va.  
Banks, L. L. .... Scottsville, Va.  
Bargamin, V. W. .... Portsmouth, Va.  
Bates, W. G. .... Amelia, Va.  
Bates, W. G., Jr. .... Keysville, Va.  
Battin, S. J. .... Crewe, Va.  
Baughan, R. S. .... Amherst, Va.  
Beauchamp, W. B. .... Portsmouth, Va.  
Beckham, B. M. .... Ferrum, S. C.  
Bell, C. C. .... Allen, Md.  
Bell, P. M. .... Driver, Va.  
Bennett, R. H. .... Atlanta, Ga.  
Berryman, A. C. .... South Richmond, Va.  
Betty, L. B. .... Larchmont, Norfolk, Va.  
Black, L. R. .... Montvale, Va.  
Blankenship, C. E. .... Bedford City, Va.  
Bledsoe, J. W. .... Orange, Va.  
Bledsoe, J. W. .... Orange, Va.  
Boggs, C. H. .... Richmond, Va.  
Boggs, W. G. .... Richmond, Va.  
Booker, G. E. .... Lynchburg, Va.  
Bosman, J. T. .... Farmville, Va.  
Bouldin, J. W. .... Ferrum, Va.  
Bowles, H. C. .... Rocky Mount, Va.  
Boyd, W. J. .... Amburg, Va.  
Bradford, J. J. .... Norfolk, Va.  
Bray, J. L. .... Norfolk, Va.  
Brooks, J. E. .... Alberta, Va.  
Brown, H. J. .... Stanardsville, Va.  
Brown, S. J. .... Danville, Va.  
Brown, W. S. .... St. Martin's, Md.  
Bruce, J. L. .... Lynchburg, Va.  
Burch, W. G. .... Pungteague, Va.  
Burks, W. L. .... Courtland, Va.  
Burnett, R. R. .... Atlanta, Ga.  
Burruss, Frank. .... Gordonsville, Va.  
Burton, J. M. .... Culpeper, Va.  
Busby, R. L. .... Wachapreague, Va.  
Butts, D. G. C. .... Hampton, Va.  
Cain, C. W. .... Portsmouth, Va.  
Callahan, L. F. .... Appomattox, Va.  
Campbell, C. A. .... Cambridge, Md.  
Camper, W. H. .... Nason, Va.  
Candler, B. T. .... Rocky Mount, Va.  
Cannon, James, Jr. .... Blackstone, Va.  
Carey, J. F. .... Salisbury, Md.  
Carroll, J. W. .... Rocky Mount, Va.  
Carson, A. L. .... Newsom's, Va.  
Carson, E. V. .... Petersburg, Va.  
Chandler, R. M. .... Franklin, Va.  
Chapman, J. A. .... Ferrum, Va.  
Chenault, F. R. .... Richmond, Va.  
Christian, W. A. .... Richmond, Va.  
Clarke, H. V. .... Adsit, Va.  
Clarke, J. J. .... Enfield, Va.  
Clarke, O. M. .... Orange, Va.  
Clarke, R. T. .... Belroi, Va.  
Clements, P. H. .... Bedford City, Va.  
Collyer, C. T. .... Songo, Korea  
Colonna, M. S. .... Richmond, Va.  
Comer, C. F. .... Blackstone, Va.  
Conrad, W. A. S. .... Burkeville, Va.  
Crowder, W. R. .... Gloucester Point, Va.  
Crutchfield, L. G. .... Norfolk, Va.

Cunningham, W. K. .... Richmond, Va.  
Dadmun, E. T. .... Norfolk, Va.  
Daniel, J. E. .... Dillwyn, Va.  
Davis, E. W. .... Nottoway, Va.  
Davis, F. G. .... Petersburg, Va.  
Davis, H. W. .... Salisbury, Md.  
Day, S. W. .... Crozet, Va.  
De Shazo, J. E. .... White Plains, Va.  
De Shazo, T. M. .... Moneta, Va.  
Dey, Bascom. .... Reedville, Va.  
Deyerle, W. S. .... Atlee, Va.  
Dixon, J. W. .... Richmond, Va.  
Donahoe, S. A. .... Portsmouth, Va.  
Douglas, J. B. .... Atlanta, Ga.  
Drewry, S. R. .... Boone's Mill, Va.  
Driscoll, Asa. .... Monroe, Va.  
Duke, T. P. .... Ferrum, Va.  
Dumville, S. L. .... Richmond, Va.  
Dunkley, H. W. .... Cambridge, Md.  
Early, L. H. .... R. F. D. 2, Ivy Depot, Va.  
Edwards, J. U. .... Matoaca, Va.  
Edwards, T. O. .... Madison, Va.  
Edwards, W. H. .... Portsmouth, Va.  
Eggleston, J. R. .... Petersburg, Va.  
Elliott, E. W. .... Virgilina, Va.  
England, F. W. .... Ruther Glen, Va.  
Eure, J. W. .... Madison Heights, Va.  
Ferguson, Richard. .... Emporia, Va.  
Fielding, C. H. .... Livingston, Va.  
Finch, J. L. .... Lynchburg, Va.  
Fletcher, W. H. .... R. F. D. 1, Onancock, Va.  
Flournoy, L. S. .... Atlanta, Ga.  
Forrester, G. T. .... Norfolk, Va.  
Foushee, N. B. .... Lawrenceville, Va.  
Franklin, A. L. .... Norfolk, Va.  
Fruit, R. L. .... Buckingham, Va.  
Garner, E. F. .... Belle Haven, Va.  
Gayle, R. F. .... R. F. D. 1, Petersburg, Va.  
Gee, J. W. .... Franktown, Va.  
Gill, J. R. .... Bloxom, Va.  
Gilliam, O. L. .... Princeton, N. J.  
Glauss, H. A. .... Alta Vista, Va.  
Gordon, W. O. .... Richmond, Va.  
Grant, W. E. .... Plain View, Va.  
Green, C. E. .... Newport News, Va.  
Green, C. H. .... Richmond, Va.  
Green, J. T. .... Richmond, Va.  
Green, W. T. .... Lynchburg, Va.  
Greene, G. F. .... Suffolk, Va.  
Greene, J. M. .... Heatsville, Va.  
Gregory, H. C. .... Kenbridge, Va.  
Gregory, W. H. .... Roanoke, Va.  
Gresham, J. S. .... City Point, Va.  
Grubbs, W. H. .... Stevensburg, Va.  
Haden, H. H. .... Kobe, Japan  
Haga, O. L. .... R. F. D., Sandiges, Va.  
Hall, E. F. .... Prospect, Va.  
Hank, P. M. .... Capeville, Va.  
Hannon, John. .... Lynchburg, Va.  
Hantzmon, W. H. .... Fishing Creek, Md.  
Hardy, Porter. .... Bedford City, Va.  
Harrell, C. T. .... Danville, Va.  
Harris, W. C. .... Brookneal, Va.  
Harry, J. C. .... Accomac, Va.  
Hartness, R. N. .... Richmond, Va.  
Hatcher, S. C. .... Ashland, Va.  
Hayes, W. F. .... Oceana, Va.  
Haynes, W. T. A. .... Portsmouth, Va.  
Hearn, J. E. .... Moorman's River, Va.  
Heath, T. J. C. .... Liberty Street, Va.  
Heckman, J. W. .... Quinton, Va.  
Hendrickson, L. W. .... Danville, Va.  
Herrink, B. S. .... Richmond, Va.  
Higginbotham, E. M. .... Figsboro, Va.  
Hill, E. G. .... Lancaster, Va.  
Hitt, L. T. .... Richmond, Va.  
Holloway, J. H. .... R. 1, Princess Anne, Va.  
Hopkins, E. H. .... Kinsale, Va.  
Hosier, J. D. .... Port Haywood, Va.  
Hudson, B. E. .... Mathews, Va.  
Hunter, J. S. .... Richmond, Va.  
Jackson, D. W. .... Sanford, Va.  
James, C. R. .... Concord, Va.

Jeffreys, W. A. . . . .	R. F. D. 3, Hampton, Va.	Peerman, E. L. . . . .	Hampton, Va.
Jett, Starke. . . . .	Richmond, Va.	Pell, E. L. . . . .	Richmond, Va.
Jett, W. B. . . . .	Danville, Va.	Peters, J. B. . . . .	Richmond, Va.
Johnson, C. E. . . . .	Richmond, Va.	Peters, J. S. . . . .	Richmond, Va.
Johnson, H. E. . . . .	Boydton, Va.	Pfeiffer, H. C. . . . .	Farmville, Va.
Johnson, S. H. . . . .	Meadville, Va.	Phaup, L. J. . . . .	Disputanta, Va.
Johnson, T. E. . . . .	Boykin's, Va.	Pleasants, C. E. . . . .	Norfolk, Va.
Johnston, Z. V. . . . .	Gretna, Va.	Potts, E. A. . . . .	Lakeland, Fla.
Jolliff, J. K. . . . .	Charlottesville, Va.	Potts, E. J. . . . .	Amelia, Va.
Jones, C. C. . . . .	Martinsville, Va.	Potts, R. H. . . . .	Richmond, Va.
Jones, G. W. . . . .	Norfolk, Va.	Potts, T. N. . . . .	Salisbury, Md.
Jones, W. L. . . . .	Rustburg, Va.	Powell, E. H. . . . .	Benn's Church, Va.
Jordan, A. C. . . . .	Emmerton, Va.	Pribble, J. L. . . . .	Skipwith, Va.
Jordan, W. P. . . . .	Norfolk, Va.	Proctor, W. R. . . . .	Martinsville, Va.
Judkins, W. E. . . . .	Norfolk, Va.	Province, W. P. . . . .	King George, Va.
Kelly, G. C. . . . .	Norfolk, Va.	Pruden, N. J. . . . .	Hopewell, Va.
Kesler, G. T. . . . .	Whitmell, Va.	Pullen, T. G. . . . .	Grafton, Va.
Kidd, C. H. . . . .	Painter, Va.	Rawlings, E. H. . . . .	Nashville, Tenn.
King, G. B. . . . .	R. 1, London Bridge, Va.	Read, H. P. . . . .	R. F. D., Norlina, N. C.
Kline, J. M. . . . .	Norfolk, Va.	Reed, J. C. . . . .	Hampton, Va.
Lambdin, A. K. . . . .	Pamplin, Va.	Reeves, T. R. . . . .	Norfolk, Va.
Lambeth, G. H. . . . .	Richmond, Va.	Rhodes, J. Q. . . . .	Louisa, Va.
Lambeth, S. S. . . . .	Bedford City, Va.	Rice, A. S. J. . . . .	Spout Spring, Va.
Latham, J. N. . . . .	Danville, Va.	Riddick, W. H. . . . .	Capron, Va.
Laughon, T. G. . . . .	Morattico, Va.	Robertson, J. C. . . . .	Lynchburg, Va.
Laughon, W. A. . . . .	Richmond, Va.	Robins, J. W. S. . . . .	Irvington, Va.
Laughon, J. R. . . . .	Williamsburg, Va.	Rood, G. R. . . . .	Crittenden, Va.
Lavinder, J. B. . . . .	Palmyra, Va.	Roten, A. W. . . . .	Gladys, Va.
Lear, W. W. . . . .	Culpeper, Va.	Roatten, J. T. . . . .	Norfolk, Va.
Leftwich, C. W. . . . .	Cumberland, Va.	Rowe, E. H. . . . .	Buena Vista, Va.
Leggett, M. M. . . . .	Alton, Va.	Rowland, J. M. . . . .	Norfolk, Va.
Lewis, A. N. . . . .	Windsor, Va.	Royall, W. W. . . . .	Jeff's, Va.
Light, J. H. . . . .	Emporia, Va.	Rucker, McDaniel. . . . .	Miller's Tavern, Va.
Lillaston, J. W. . . . .	Forest Depot, Va.	Salmon, C. L. . . . .	Amherst, Va.
Linthicum, A. W. . . . .	Cascade, Va.	Sawyer, W. W. . . . .	Dinwiddie, Va.
Lipscomb, B. F. . . . .	Petersburg, Va.	Scales, W. Y. . . . .	Clarksville, Va.
Loving, E. B. . . . .	McKenney, Va.	Scott, R. B. . . . .	Portsmouth, Va.
Lucas, S. E. . . . .	Callao, Va.	Senter, S. T. . . . .	Norfolk, Va.
Lumpkin, R. P. . . . .	Lynchburg, Va.	Sewell, J. T. . . . .	Cheriton, Va.
Malone, Dumas. . . . .	Lynchburg, Va.	Shackford, J. W. . . . .	Nashville, Tenn.
Marks, R. H. . . . .	Stony Creek, Va.	Sharpe, A. B. . . . .	Richmond, Va.
Marsh, J. W. . . . .	Capron, Va.	Shearer, L. C. . . . .	Goode, Va.
Marsh, V. L. . . . .	Richmond, Va.	Shenton, H. V. . . . .	Beaver Dam, Va.
Mastin, J. T. . . . .	Richmond, Va.	Simpson, T. McN. . . . .	Richmond, Va.
Maxey, J. S. . . . .	Cartersville, Va.	Smart, L. C. . . . .	Elko, Va.
Maxey, R. M. . . . .	Richmond, Va.	Smart, W. A. . . . .	Atlanta, Ga.
Mayo, G. H. I. . . . .	Pedlar Mills, Va.	Smith, H. H. . . . .	Ford, Va.
Mays, W. L. . . . .	Hurt, Va.	Smith, L. A. . . . .	Ocean View, Va.
McAlister, J. D. . . . .	Nashville, Tenn.	Smoot, T. A. . . . .	Richmond, Va.
McAllister, W. A. . . . .	Big Island, Va.	Spooner, G. H. . . . .	Danville, Va.
McCartney, J. E. . . . .	Altadena, Cal.	Stables, L. D. . . . .	Hick's Wharf, Va.
McFaden, G. H. . . . .	Richmond, Va.	Steininger, C. V. . . . .	Victoria, Va.
McLean, F. E. H. . . . .	West Point, Va.	Stephens, B. D. . . . .	Colonial Beach, Va.
McNeil, C. H. . . . .	Bena, Va.	Stevens, Ernest . . . . .	Chase City, Va.
McSparran, F. B. . . . .	Urbanna, Va.	Stevenson, A. L. . . . .	Madison, Md.
McSparran, J. E. . . . .	Ashland, Va.	Stiff, J. W. . . . .	South Hill, Va.
Merritt, D. T. . . . .	Ashland, Va.	Sturgis, J. R. . . . .	Blackstone, Va.
Mollard, H. D. . . . .	Highland Springs, Va.	Taylor, G. W. M. . . . .	South Richmond, Va.
Moore, J. T. . . . .	R. F. D. 6, Norfolk, Va.	Thomas, J. A. . . . .	Newport News, Va.
Moore, L. C. . . . .	Exmore, Va.	Thompson, W. E. . . . .	Richmond, Va.
Moore, Roy. . . . .	Union Hall, Va.	Thrift, C. T. . . . .	Louisa, Va.
Moser, J. M. . . . .	Danville, Va.	Todd, H. T. . . . .	Smithfield, Va.
Moss, C. W. . . . .	Ashland, Va.	Tompkins, W. A. . . . .	Crozet, Va.
Moss, J. H. . . . .	Danville, Va.	Traynham, D. J. . . . .	South Boston, Va.
Moss, James O. . . . .	Danville, Va.	Tucker, C. A. . . . .	Hopewell, Va.
Moss, John O. . . . .	Waverly, Mo.	Tudor, W. V. . . . .	Washington, D. C.
Murphy, W. L. . . . .	Temperanceville, Va.	Turner, C. W. . . . .	Wakefield, Va.
Myers, H. P. . . . .	Onancock, Va.	Turner, H. F. . . . .	Rochelle, Va.
Neville, H. W. . . . .	Ettrick, Va.	Turner, V. R. . . . .	Wonsan, Korea
Newbury, G. H. . . . .	Richmond, Va.	Tuttle, C. O. . . . .	Blackstone, Va.
Newton, J. C. C. . . . .	Kobe, Japan	Twiley, W. J. . . . .	Allen, Md.
Newton, O. B. . . . .	Chatham, Va.	Unruh, J. G. . . . .	Portsmouth, Va.
Odell, E. K. . . . .	Richmond, Va.	Via, B. S. . . . .	Atlanta, Ga.
Ogden, T. W. . . . .	Dendron, Va.	Walker, J. K. . . . .	Toano, Va.
Orser, W. A. . . . .	Flint Hill, Va.	Wallace, J. S. . . . .	R. F. D. 4, Norfolk, Va.
Oyler, J. E. . . . .	Richmond, Va.	Ware, W. L. . . . .	Wakefield, Va.
Pace, W. C. . . . .	Lynch Station, Va.	Waterfield, R. T. . . . .	Charlottesville, Va.
Page, N. A. . . . .	Churchland, Va.	Watkins, G. W. . . . .	Bloxom, Va.
Parham, E. P. . . . .	Petersburg, Va.	Watt, W. J. . . . .	Motoca, Va.
Parri-h, J. W. . . . .	Buena Vista, Va.	Watts, C. E. . . . .	Charlottesville, Va.
Paylor, H. J. . . . .	Union Level, Va.	Wells, F. L. . . . .	Lynchburg, Va.
Payne, J. T. . . . .	Marengo, Va.	Wertenbaker, C. C. . . . .	Birmingham, Ala.
Payne, R. O. . . . .	Hollydale, Va.	Weston, H. L. . . . .	Amelia, Va.

White, J. E. .... Hickory, Va.  
 White, R. M. .... Richmond, Va.  
 Whitley, J. T. .... Norfolk, Va.  
 Whitmore, A. A. .... Whaleyville, Va.  
 Wilkinson, S. W. .... Drake's Branch, Va.  
 Williams, A. P. .... Stuart, Va.  
 Williams, C. H. .... Onley, Va.  
 Williams, L. T. .... Petersburg, Va.  
 Williams, W. J. .... Gwynn's, Va.  
 Williams, W. T. .... Chester, Va.  
 Wingfield, R. L. .... Charlottesville, Va.  
 Winn, J. A. .... Suffolk, Va.  
 Winn, J. B. .... Petersburg, Va.  
 Woodward, J. P. .... Norfolk, Va.  
 Wray, G. W. .... Portsmouth, Va.  
 Wright, S. O. .... Newport News, Va.  
 Wright, W. A. .... Cape Charles, Va.  
 Young, W. J. .... Atlanta, Ga.

SUPPLIES.

Arthur, P. F. .... Lynchburg, Va.  
 Beasley, J. C. .... Schuyler, Va.  
 Bishop, G. M. .... Beach, Va.  
 Bland, B. B. .... Ashland, Va.  
 Bradshaw, J. R. .... Callaway, Va.  
 Craddock, W. J. .... Elamsville, Va.  
 Crawley, E. R. .... Hickory, Va.  
 Draper, W. F. .... Holdcroft, Va.  
 Emory, E. S. .... Montross, Va.  
 Gregory, J. J. .... Walkerton, Va.  
 Harlow, R. V. .... Huddleston, Va.  
 Hastings, Herman. .... Broadwater, Va.  
 Holland, F. R. .... Spottsylvania, Va.  
 Keyser, W. H. .... Gum Spring, Va.  
 King, W. L. .... Lynnhaven, Va.  
 Marshall, John. .... Schoofield, Va.  
 Martin, O. L. .... Saxe, Va.  
 Murdock, P. J. .... Bowling Green, Va.  
 Owen, R. V. .... Saluda, Va.  
 Pettus, J. B. .... Charlottesville, Va.  
 Pulliam, S. H. .... Shuff, Va.  
 Rice, N. C. .... Ashland, Va.  
 Sawyer, J. A. .... Gilmerton, Va.  
 Smith, C. H. .... South Richmond, Va.  
 Smith, H. N. .... Ashland, Va.  
 Somerville, E. W. .... Brightwood, Va.  
 Tucker, W. L. .... Bon Air, Va.  
 Wimbish, J. W. .... Clover, Va.

West Oklahoma Conference.

SUPERANNUATES.

Briggs, A. C. .... Alpena Pass, Ark.  
 Brown, Harvey J. .... Washington City, D. C.  
 Florence, J. K. .... Paoli, Okla.  
 Grinstead, R. H. .... Oklahoma City, Okla.  
 Hall, J. T. .... Korn, Okla.  
 Kizziah, J. W. .... Altus, Okla.  
 Long, M. D. .... Noble, Okla.  
 Massey, J. D. .... Byers, Okla.  
 Maybery, F. C. .... Duncan, Okla.  
 McWhorter, P. T. .... Chickasha, Okla.  
 Meador, W. P. .... Wellston, Okla.  
 Methvin, J. J. .... Anadarko, Okla.  
 Rippey, W. M. P. .... Plainview, Tex.  
 Rowan, J. A. .... Olustee, Okla.  
 Spain, W. M. .... Florence, Ala.  
 Witt, R. P. .... Chickasha, Okla.

SUPERNUMERARIES.

Dickey, W. A. .... Chino, Cal.  
 Mauldin, H. L. .... Amarillo, Tex.  
 Randle, W. A. .... Weatherford, Okla.  
 Shaffer, D. E. .... Thackerville, Okla.

EFFECTIVES.

Allen, M. T. .... Elk City, Okla.  
 Allgood, S. Y. .... Hooker, Okla.  
 Anderson, W. L. .... Clinton, Okla.  
 Armstrong, Charles H. .... Sulphur, Okla.  
 Armstrong, I. W. .... Marietta, Okla.

Barnhardt, C. C. .... Stillwater, Okla.  
 Barrett, Frank. .... Oklahoma City, Okla.  
 Binford, Eugene. .... Hickory, Okla.  
 Blackwood, J. G. .... Stratford, Okla.  
 Bridges, J. H. .... Grandfield, Okla.  
 Brooks, J. R. .... Granite, Okla.  
 Butler, M. L. .... Oklahoma City, Okla.  
 Buttrill, C. M. .... Lindsay, Okla.  
 Callahan, R. O. .... Guthrie, Okla.  
 Cannon, J. W. .... Rush Springs, Okla.  
 Cannon, T. E. .... Port, Okla.  
 Canter, C. L. .... Martha, Okla.  
 Carson, A. B. .... Noble, Okla.  
 Clendennin, T. R. .... Erick, Okla.  
 Cohen, L. L., Jr. .... Chickasha, Okla.  
 Crumpton, Jesse. .... Blair, Okla.  
 Davis, C. T. .... Cordell, Okla.  
 Denny, R. H. .... Blanchard, Okla.  
 Douglass, W. B. .... Frederick, Okla.  
 Driskill, E. H. .... Weatherford, Okla.  
 Driskill, W. C. .... Cloud Chief, Okla.  
 Freeman, W. T. .... Ardmore, Okla.  
 Fullington, L. H. .... Woodford, Okla.  
 Gage, J. L. .... Hollis, Okla.  
 German, H. C. .... Ryan, Okla.  
 Gilbert, G. L. .... Bethel, Okla.  
 Giles, F. L. .... Wilson, Okla.  
 Gilliam, W. B. .... Cheyenne, Okla.  
 Govett, W. A. .... Sulphur, Okla.  
 Graham, T. E. .... Hobart, Okla.  
 Grimes, E. E. .... Prairie Hill, Okla.  
 Gulledge, H. C. .... Vinson, Okla.  
 Henderson, S. E. .... Boise, Okla.  
 Hendry, J. F. .... Elmore, Okla.  
 Henson, J. L. .... Oklahoma City, Okla.  
 Hooper, G. W. .... Randlett, Okla.  
 Humphries, W. E. .... Tipton, Okla.  
 Johnson, T. S. .... Oklahoma City, Okla.  
 Jones, L. R. .... Joiner, Okla.  
 Kendall, Willmoore. .... Weatherford, Okla.  
 Kidd, J. D. .... Alex, Okla.  
 Lamar, J. S. .... Lawton, Okla.  
 Land, W. J. .... Leedy, Okla.  
 Lannom, B. T. .... Wynnewood, Okla.  
 Lewis, G. W. .... Eldorado, Okla.  
 Mann, C. P. D. .... Whitehead, Okla.  
 Matlock, J. E. .... Oklahoma City, Okla.  
 Matthews, W. D. .... Oklahoma City, Okla.  
 McBride, J. T. .... Temple, Okla.  
 McCance, J. B. .... Mount View, Okla.  
 McCombs, J. B. .... Lone Wolf, Okla.  
 Miller, A. M. .... Oklahoma City, Okla.  
 Miller, F. M. .... Butler, Okla.  
 Mitchell, C. F. .... Pauls Valley, Okla.  
 Monk, M. M. .... Darlington, Okla.  
 Moore, W. J. .... Memphis, Tenn.  
 Morgan, R. E. L. .... Ardmore, Okla.  
 Morris, A. O. .... Marlow, Okla.  
 Morris, J. C. .... Louis, Okla.  
 Neal, T. E. .... Texhoma, Okla.  
 Nelson, B. M. .... Walter, Okla.  
 Nelson, J. W. .... East St. Louis, Ill.  
 Ownbey, R. L. .... Chickasha, Okla.  
 Perry, B. C. .... R. 3, Norman, Okla.  
 Peterson, T. G. .... Oklahoma City, Okla.  
 Peterson, J. O. .... Waurika, Okla.  
 Phillips, N. A. .... Clinton, Okla.  
 Regan, Cleveland. .... Lorena, Okla.  
 Regan, R. E. .... Davis, Okla.  
 Roper, W. H. .... Mangum, Okla.  
 Salter, J. D. .... Ardmore, Okla.  
 Satterfield, R. S. .... Lawton, Okla.  
 Scales, A. L. .... Yale University  
 Scivally, J. C. .... Brinkman, Okla.  
 Sessums, J. S. .... Anadarko, Okla.  
 Shaw, J. J. .... Ringling, Okla.  
 Shelton, H. L. .... Carter, Okla.  
 Shelton, W. A. .... Atlanta, Ga.  
 Sims, J. W. .... Mangum, Okla.  
 Snodgrass, H. E. .... Purcell, Okla.  
 Steele, T. C. .... Sayre, Okla.  
 Stewart, O. W. .... Muskogee, Okla.  
 Stewart, W. J. .... Custer City, Okla.

Stout, N. U. .... Headrick, Okla.  
 Stroud, H. A. .... Olustee, Okla.  
 Sullivan, M. F. .... Davidson, Okla.  
 Sweet, F. M. .... Hastings, Okla.  
 Taylor, T. J. .... Tyrone, Okla.  
 Thogmorton, J. C. .... Comanche, Okla.  
 Trevette, J. W. .... Gotebo, Okla.  
 Waldrep, A. B. .... Verden, Okla.  
 Walker, C. S. .... Yale University  
 Ward, T. H. .... R. 1, Comanche, Okla.  
 Weaver, Moss. .... El Reno, Okla.  
 Webb, E. C. .... Sentinel, Okla.  
 Welch, E. R. .... Norman, Okla.  
 Williamson, C. C. .... Tuttle, Okla.  
 Wilson, C. C. .... Carnegie, Okla.  
 Wilson, H. B. .... Hooker, Okla.  
 Wilson, W. M. .... Duncan, Okla.  
 Witt, W. U. .... Altus, Okla.  
 Wright, G. R. .... Snyder, Okla.  
 York, D. V. .... Eldorado, Okla.

## ON TRIAL—SECOND YEAR.

Bounds, Clarence. .... Terral, Okla.  
 Brigham, R. A. .... Arcadia, Okla.  
 Davis, R. P. .... Tangier, Okla.  
 Durham, T. J. .... Piedmont, Okla.  
 Einsel, E. L. .... Minco, Okla.  
 French, W. E. .... Goodwell, Okla.  
 Graham, R. I. .... Ardmore, Okla.  
 Harrell, F. C. .... La Kemp, Okla.  
 Hawkins, L. D. .... Cement, Okla.  
 McCleskey, A. A. .... Alfalfa, Okla.  
 Melton, T. J. .... Manitou, Okla.  
 Powers, E. R. .... Thackerville, Okla.  
 Sampley, J. C. .... Rocky, Okla.  
 Templeton, R. M. .... Mount Scott, Okla.  
 Williams, A. L. .... Paoli, Okla.

## ON TRIAL—FIRST YEAR.

Armstrong, C. M. .... ———  
 Graham, J. F. .... Leon, Okla.  
 Grover, F. D. .... Berlin, Okla.  
 Kemp, J. M. .... ———  
 Matlock, Leroy. .... Duke, Okla.  
 Meigs, R. E. .... Gray, Okla.  
 Rhea, W. C. .... Berwyn, Okla.  
 Rice, G. P. .... Elmer, Okla.  
 Young, E. L. .... Foss, Okla.

## LOCAL PREACHERS AS SUPPLIES.

Barrett, A. L. .... Erin Springs, Okla.  
 Bearden, J. J. .... Chickasha, Okla.  
 Calhoun, J. C. .... Woodlawn, Okla.  
 Depew, T. C. .... Hammon, Okla.  
 Harp, William. .... Delhi, Okla.  
 Martin, J. W. .... Mangum, Okla.  
 Parr, J. B. .... Mountain Park, Okla.  
 Robinson, H. P. .... Overbrook, Okla.  
 Williams, J. W. .... Binger, Okla.

## West Texas Conference.

Adair, R. S. .... Boerne, Tex.  
 Alexander, J. M. .... Pearsall, Tex.  
 Alkire, L. A. .... Blanco, Tex.  
 Allbritten, J. W. .... Cuero, Tex.  
 Allen, B. W. .... Austin, Tex.  
 Allen, M. J. .... Austin, Tex.  
 Atkins, H. B. .... Eagle Lake, Tex.  
 Avery, A. N., Jr. .... San Marcos, Tex.  
 Barr, W. L. .... Laredo, Tex.  
 Barton, T. N. .... Kenedy, Tex.  
 Batchelor, S. L. .... San Antonio, Tex.  
 Beall, S. B. .... San Antonio, Tex.  
 Beery, J. K. .... Sinton, Tex.  
 Biggs, W. H. H. .... Moore, Tex.  
 Black, J. W. .... Alice, Tex.  
 Boatman, J. A. .... Menard, Tex.  
 Boone, V. V. .... Corpus Christi, Tex.  
 Bowles, J. S. .... Brownsville, Tex.  
 Boyd, George M. .... Uvalde, Tex.  
 Bradfield, W. D. .... Dallas, Tex.  
 Bragg, N. E. .... Eden, Tex.

Brandon, W. L. .... Seadrift, Tex.  
 Brient, W. L. .... McAllen, Tex.  
 Buchanan, F. B. .... Corpus Christi, Tex.  
 Buck, J. E. .... Flatonia, Tex.  
 Butler, J. T. .... Floresville, Tex.  
 Callihan, W. G. .... Big Wells, Tex.  
 Campbell, J. C. .... Junction, Tex.  
 Campbell, W. R. .... Italy, Tex.  
 Carl, W. N. .... Floresville, Tex.  
 Carter, N. W. .... Port Lavaca, Tex.  
 Childers, J. W. .... Banders, Tex.  
 Clark, J. H. .... Falfurrias, Tex.  
 Cocke, A. T. .... Barnhart, Tex.  
 Cole, O. M. .... Dripping Springs, Tex.  
 Cowan, J. W. .... Midland, Tex.  
 Crow, O. C. .... Raymondville, Tex.  
 Curry, J. T. .... San Marcos, Tex.  
 Dalton, T. M. .... Eldorado, Tex.  
 Darby, M. L. .... Runge, Tex.  
 Davidson, A. B. .... Yancey, Tex.  
 Dorsey, J. D. .... Cherokee, Tex.  
 Draper, H. E. .... Austin, Tex.  
 Duke, R. E. .... Liberty Hill, Tex.  
 Dunn, S. C. .... Sonora, Tex.  
 Dunn, W. A. .... Goliad, Tex.  
 Dupree, Henry L. .... Pleasanton, Tex.  
 Edgar, E. L. .... Belmont, Tex.  
 Fisher, Sterling. .... Austin, Tex.  
 Flummer, R. G. .... Hallettsville, Tex.  
 Forrester, J. G. .... Brady, Tex.  
 Foster, J. A. .... Lampasas, Tex.  
 Fred, M. K. .... Kingsville, Tex.  
 Garrett, J. P. .... Palacios, Tex.  
 Gibbons, G. T. .... La Grange, Tex.  
 Gillett, J. T. .... El Paso, Tex.  
 Godbey, V. A. .... San Marcos, Tex.  
 Goddard, S. F. .... Manor, Tex.  
 Goodenough, H. S. .... Midfield, Tex.  
 Goodloe, J. R. .... Lockhart, Tex.  
 Gray, H. L. .... Georgetown, Tex.  
 Gregory, Thomas. .... Lampasas, Tex.  
 Grimes, F. A. .... ———  
 Groseclose, J. H. .... San Antonio, Tex.  
 Guyton, A. .... El Campo, Tex.  
 Hardon, C. W. .... Miles, Tex.  
 Harris, G. F. .... Bishop, Tex.  
 Harrison, J. E. .... San Antonio, Tex.  
 Hartsfield, Gaston. .... Yoakum, Tex.  
 Hart, W. A. .... Smiley, Tex.  
 Hawk, D. F. .... San Marcos, Tex.  
 Haygood, A. S. J. .... Columbus, Tex.  
 Hester, G. T. .... Garwood, Tex.  
 Hightower, W. L. .... Staples, Tex.  
 Hill, C. G. .... Eden, Tex.  
 Hill, Felix R., Jr. .... San Antonio, Tex.  
 Hill, H. T. .... Bliss, Tex.  
 Hill, M. F. .... Edinburg, Tex.  
 Hocutt, E. G. .... Stockdale, Tex.  
 Holloway, R. A. .... Austin, Tex.  
 Horton, H. G. .... Bishop, Tex.  
 Hubbard, E. Y. S. .... Gregory, Tex.  
 Hull, S. M. .... Devine, Tex.  
 Hunter, E. A. .... Calallen, Tex.  
 Jackson, F. M. .... Nixon, Tex.  
 Johnston, S. B. .... Uvalde, Tex.  
 Joyce, W. J. .... San Marcos, Tex.  
 Keathly, W. R. .... Flatonia, Tex.  
 Keever, George L. .... San Angelo, Tex.  
 Keith, N. W. .... Uvalde, Tex.  
 Kemerer, S. W. .... Kerrville, Tex.  
 Killough, W. H. .... San Marcos, Tex.  
 King, J. A. .... Pandora, Tex.  
 King, J. T. .... Waelder, Tex.  
 King, P. I. .... Little Sioux, Tex.  
 Knickerbocker, H. W. .... Austin, Tex.  
 Lawlis, J. F. .... San Antonio, Tex.  
 Lee, Theophilus. .... Smithville, Tex.  
 Liles, Z. V. .... San Saba, Tex.  
 Long, J. W. .... Hondo, Tex.  
 Lovett, J. E. .... Elgin, Tex.  
 Lynn, J. M. .... Marble Falls, Tex.  
 Macune, D. .... Seguin, Tex.  
 Manley, W. A. .... McDade, Tex.

Mason, J. J. .... Walnut, Tex.  
 Mathis, L. C. .... Gonzales, Tex.  
 Maxwell, J. H. .... Ganado, Tex.  
 May, J. D. .... San Antonio, Tex.  
 Mays, E. H. .... Austin, Tex.  
 McDonald, C. L. .... Cherokee, Tex.  
 McKinney, W. M. .... Jourdan, Tex.  
 McVea, Lewis. .... San Antonio, Tex.  
 McWhorter, J. D. .... Sterling City, Tex.  
 Meredith, J. H. .... Center Point, Tex.  
 Miller, J. T. H. .... Brady, Tex.  
 Moon, R. D. .... Kempner, Tex.  
 Morgan, J. E. .... Robstown, Tex.  
 Morris, I. T. .... Goldthwaite, Tex.  
 Morton, M. P. .... Leesville, Tex.  
 Myers, B. A. .... Crystal City, Tex.  
 Myers, L. N. .... West Point, Tex.  
 Nolan, A. G. .... Yoakum, Tex.  
 Old, A. Y. .... Mathis, Tex.  
 Owens, H. B. .... Manchaca, Tex.  
 Ozmont N. G. .... Edna, Tex.  
 Paine, Robert. .... Sabin, Tex.  
 Parker, R. E. .... Lavonia, Tex.  
 Pennybacker, J. F. .... Seguin, Tex.  
 Perkins, C. W. .... Alice, Tex.  
 Perrin, F. J. .... Georgetown, Tex.  
 Perry, J. M. .... San Angelo, Tex.  
 Phillips, J. A. .... San Antonio, Tex.  
 Pierce, R. S. .... Cotulla, Tex.  
 Pledger, J. A. .... Burnet, Tex.  
 Potts, E. A. .... Poteet, Tex.  
 Pugsley, C. .... Victoria, Tex.  
 Pyle, R. L. .... Odem, Tex.  
 Rabe, C. M. .... San Antonio, Tex.  
 Rader, Roy G. .... Weimar, Tex.  
 Ratliff, H. M. .... San Antonio, Tex.  
 Read, A. E. .... Lampasas, Tex.  
 Rector, A. E. .... San Antonio, Tex.  
 Renfro, W. T. .... Beeville, Tex.  
 Renfro, John N. .... San Antonio, Tex.  
 Roberts, Luther. .... Llano, Tex.  
 Robinson, J. R. .... Fredonia, Tex.  
 Roland, J. W. .... San Antonio, Tex.  
 Roland, R. A. .... Kyle, Tex.  
 Ross, D. A. .... Berclair, Tex.  
 Ryan, George E. .... Star, Tex.  
 Rylander, C. W. .... Bertram, Tex.  
 Scarborough, A. L. .... Lockhart, Tex.  
 Scott, J. D. .... San Antonio, Tex.  
 Session, T. F. .... Beeville, Tex.  
 Shoemaker, J. W. .... San Marcos, Tex.  
 Shuford, J. M. .... Colorado, Tex.  
 Shugart, W. O. .... San Marcos, Tex.  
 Simpson, J. F. .... San Benito, Tex.  
 Smith, A. Frank. .... Austin, Tex.  
 Smith, G. G. .... Johnston City, Tex.  
 Stuckey, J. H. .... Harlingen, Tex.  
 Summers, P. B. .... Dilley, Tex.  
 Swanson, E. E. .... Del Rio, Tex.  
 Teer, W. Vasco. .... Aransas Pass, Tex.  
 Thomas, V. G. .... Port Aransas, Tex.  
 Tracey, J. T. .... Mason, Tex.  
 Waltrip, E. A. .... San Antonio, Tex.  
 Watson, J. P. .... Kempner, Tex.  
 Webb, J. F. .... San Angelo, Tex.  
 Webdel, C. W. .... San Antonio, Tex.  
 Weeks, W. F. .... Luling, Tex.  
 Weems, J. T. .... Goldthwaite, Tex.  
 Whaling, H. M. .... Austin, Tex.  
 Wheat, C. E. .... Eagle Pass, Tex.  
 White, A. T. .... Ozona, Tex.  
 White, F. A. .... Bastrop, Tex.  
 Williamson, C. .... Karnes City, Tex.  
 Williamson, M. .... Carrizo Springs, Tex.  
 Williamson, W. D. .... Rochelle, Tex.  
 Wilson, A. W. .... Cuero, Tex.  
 Wilson, J. C. .... Alpine, Tex.  
 Wilson, P. S. .... Webberville, Tex.  
 Winkle, J. C. .... Utopia, Tex.  
 Wood, I. E. .... Karnes City, Tex.  
 Woods, T. G. .... Cotulla, Tex.  
 Worrell, J. D. .... Martindale, Tex.  
 Wright, C. S. .... Dallas, Tex.

ON TRIAL—FIRST YEAR.

Dunseth, C. M. .... Lolita, Tex.  
 Marshall, C. E. .... Skidmore, Tex.  
 McKay, John N. .... Batesville, Tex.  
 Nixon, Charles. .... Richland Springs, Tex.  
 Pickens, G. D. .... Eagle Pass, Tex.  
 Staggs, E. A. .... Eola, Tex.

SECOND YEAR.

Bennett, H. W. .... Uvalde, Tex.  
 Boatman, J. A. .... Menard, Tex.  
 Campbell, C. A. .... San Marcos, Tex.  
 Dechard, D. G. .... Llano, Tex.  
 Dibrell, Walter. .... Sherwood, Tex.  
 Foster, A. M. .... Oakville, Tex.  
 Miller, E. Homer. .... Water Valley, Tex.  
 Rozzelle, C. E. .... Paint Rock, Tex.  
 Spellman, L. U. .... Nursury, Tex.  
 Walker, L. W. .... Rock Springs, Tex.  
 Wall, W. L. .... Lometa, Tex.

SUPPLIES.

Farmer, J. D. .... San Saba, Tex.  
 Franks, S. J. .... Pandora, Tex.  
 Hamner, W. F. .... Pharr, Tex.  
 Locks, L. E. .... Corpus Christi, Tex.  
 Strawn, G. W. .... Provident City, Tex.  
 Weatherford, J. M. .... Austin, Tex.

Western North Carolina Conference.

Abernethy, Joseph E. .... Monroe, N. C.  
 Abernethy, L. Berge. .... Davidson, N. C.  
 Abernethy, R. S. .... Rutherford College, N. C.  
 Abernethy, William E. .... Charlotte, N. C.  
 Ader, Olin P. .... Asheville, N. C.  
 Albright, William T. .... Andrews, N. C.  
 Allison, Carl R. .... Rural Hall, N. C.  
 Armstrong, J. Frank. .... Spray, N. C.  
 Arnold, Joseph D. .... Waynesville, N. C.  
 Atkins, Daniel. .... Asheville, N. C.  
 Atkins, Hardin L. .... Bandera, Tex.  
 Avett, Edmund M. .... Crab Tree, N. C.  
 Aycock, Alex L. .... Charlotte, N. C.  
 Bagby, Wesley M. .... Montezuma, N. C.  
 Bain, Edwin L. .... Greensboro, N. C.  
 Baldwin, Jesse A. .... Charlotte, N. C.  
 Ballard, Dorus C. .... Farmington, N. C.  
 Barber, Samuel T. .... West Asheville, N. C.  
 Barnhardt, Jesse H. .... Shelby, N. C.  
 Barnhardt, Zeb E. .... Charlotte, N. C.  
 Battle, P. C. .... Swannanoa, N. C.  
 Bell, Adolphus R. .... Randleman, N. C.  
 Bennett, James R. .... Greensboro, N. C.  
 Blair, Hugh M. .... Greensboro, N. C.  
 Bradley, John H. .... Canton, N. C.  
 Brady, Rufus K. .... Concord, N. C.  
 Brinkman, Granville C. .... Leaksville, N. C.  
 Brittain, Phoenicia H. .... Tomotla, N. C.  
 Bogle, Lawrence P. .... Swannanoa, N. C.  
 Boring, W. M. .... Yadkinville, N. C.  
 Bowles, James A. .... Forest City, N. C.  
 Boyer, Hugh K. .... Winston-Salem, N. C.  
 Brendall, J. H. .... Salisbury, N. C.  
 Brooks, John J. .... Dayton, Tenn.  
 Brown, Dwight W. .... R. 6, Charlotte, N. C.  
 Bute, John D. .... San Bernardino, Cal.  
 Burgess, Ambrose. .... Flat Rock, N. C.  
 Burrus, Andrew J. .... Shelby, N. C.  
 Byrd, Charles W. .... Asheville, N. C.  
 Byrum, Henry C. .... Ramseur, N. C.  
 Campbell, C. M. .... North Charlotte, N. C.  
 Campbell, James W. .... Bryson City, N. C.  
 Carpenter, Charles M. .... Hayesville, N. C.  
 Carpenter, J. B. .... Rutherfordton, N. C.  
 Carver, D. Franklin. .... Hickory, N. C.  
 Cherry, William S. .... Moravian Falls, N. C.  
 Christenberry, G. H. .... Black Mountain, N. C.  
 Clegg, Mark B. .... Henrietta, N. C.  
 Coble, Thomas S. .... Mocksville, N. C.  
 Cole, Edwin O. .... Mocksville, N. C.  
 Cook, Frederick W. .... Crouse, N. C.



Cook, J. A.	Sylva, N. C.	Litaker, Daniel M.	Lenoir, N. C.
Cordell, Lucius T.	Charlotte, N. C.	Loflin, Albert G.	Catawba, N. C.
Courtney, Robert M.	Winston-Salem, N. C.	Long, J. Walter.	Greensboro, N. C.
Craven, James B.	Lenoir, N. C.	Mann, Lee T.	Charlotte, N. C.
Creel, Evander K.	Chapel Hill, N. C.	Mann, Marvin W.	Spruce Pine, N. C.
Crowder, Edworth N.	Stony Point, N. C.	Marr, Thomas F.	Charlotte, N. C.
Crowell, George H.	Waynesville, N. C.	McCain, C. L.	R. 18, Matthews, N. C.
Curtis, Walter M.	Greensboro, N. C.	McLarty, Emmett K.	Winston-Salem, N. C.
Daugherty, R. H.	Franklin, N. C.	McSwain, James E.	Lewisville, N. C.
Davis, John P.	Lincolnton, N. C.	Melton, Romeo L.	Coleridge, N. C.
Davis, Squire M.	Caroleen, N. C.	Mock, John C.	Olin, N. C.
Davis, William B.	Polkton, N. C.	Mock, Robert F.	Old Fort, N. C.
Dawson, Walter L.	Denver, N. C.	Modlin, Nathan M.	R. 1, Lattimore, N. C.
Downum, James M.	Boone, N. C.	Moore, John W.	Charlotte, N. C.
Durham, Plato T.	Atlanta, Ga.	Moore, M. F.	Concord, N. C.
Eads, Joseph J.	Oakboro, N. C.	Morris, James P.	Marion, N. C.
Edwards, Joseph J.	Taylorsville, N. C.	Moose, Jacob R.	Seoul, Korea
Elliott, William F.	Charlotte, N. C.	Moser, Jacob F.	Belwood, N. C.
Ervin, James O.	Asheville, N. C.	Myers, Ebenezer.	Advance, N. C.
Erwin, Ira.	Asheboro, N. C.	Newell, William A.	Tyron, N. C.
Falls, Lee A.	Mooreville, N. C.	Nicholson, Walter L.	Charlotte, N. C.
Farrington, J. A. J.	Matthews, N. C.	Ogburn, N. Sneed.	Matsuyama, Japan
Field, Melville C.	R. 3, Greensboro, N. C.	Ogburn, Thomas J.	Murphy, N. C.
Fincher, Benamin F.	Paw Creek, N. C.	Paris, Zadok.	Lincolnton, N. C.
Fink, George W.	Unionville, N. C.	Parker, Perley E.	Thomasville, N. C.
Ferguson, Robert L.	Los Angeles, Cal.	Parker, R. J.	Cienfuegos, Cuba
Folger, Joseph M.	Draper, N. C.	Peeler, James A.	Maiden, N. C.
Folger, Thomas J.	Lenoir, N. C.	Pickens, Cornelius M.	Spencer, N. C.
Fortenberry, Oscar C.	Cherryville, N. C.	Pickens, Robert W.	Weaverville, N. C.
Fox, Ernest W.	Weaverville, N. C.	Plyler, Alva W.	Wadesboro, N. C.
Fry, Joseph A.	Nebo, N. C.	Poe, Edward J.	New London, N. C.
Gay, James E.	Albemarle, N. C.	Poovey, William Edgar.	Brevard, N. C.
Gentry, Charles M.	Albemarle, N. C.	Postelle, James C.	Lenoir, N. C.
Gibbs, Alfred C.	Greensboro, N. C.	Powell, H. L.	Cliffside, N. C.
Glenn, Thomas F.	Clyde, N. C.	Price, D. Vance.	Mount Airy, N. C.
Goode, Charles P.	R. 7, Statesville, N. C.	Price, John M.	Kernersville, N. C.
Goode, Watson O.	Thomasville, N. C.	Proffitt, D. Riley.	Biltmore, N. C.
Gray, James J.	Sylva, N. C.	Pusey, Evan G.	Morven, N. C.
Green, James H.	Denver, N. C.	Raper, Albert S.	Concord, N. C.
Green, John H.	R. 2, Hendersonville, N. C.	Ratlidge, Arthur P.	Belmont, N. C.
Griffith, L. H.	R. 2, Waynesville, N. C.	Ratlidge, John T.	Mooreville, N. C.
Groce, Thomas A.	Candler, N. C.	Rexford, William L.	Wilmington, N. C.
Hales, William S.	China Grove, N. C.	Reynolds, John P.	Waynesville, N. C.
Harbison, Ernest J.	Lenoir, N. C.	Rhinehart, David H.	Statesville, N. C.
Hargett, Benamin F.	Pineville, N. C.	Richardson, David S.	Franklin, N. C.
Harmon, John C.	Mount Holly, N. C.	Richardson, Joel C.	Thomasville, N. C.
Hayes, Leonidas B.	Wilkesboro, N. C.	Richardson, N. R.	Cooleemee, N. C.
Herman, George D.	Mount Airy, N. C.	Richardson, S. E.	East Spencer, N. C.
Hiatt, Joseph S.	Winston-Salem, N. C.	Robbins, Henry H.	High Point, N. C.
Hickman, Jacob I.	Sturgills, N. C.	Robbins, William M.	Greensboro, N. C.
Higgins, S. Starr.	Guilford College, N. C.	Robertson, John H.	Lowell, N. C.
Hipps, Jesse P.	Elkin, N. C.	Rodgers, Jesse P.	Waynesville, N. C.
Holderby, G. A. B.	Robbinsville, N. C.	Rogers, T. J.	North Wilkesboro, N. C.
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 Troy, Eugene B. .... Ansonville, N. C.  
 Troy, John C. .... Durham, N. C.  
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 Vestal, Miles H. .... Waxhaw, N. C.  
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 Ware, William R. .... Statesville, N. C.  
 Waters, Doctor P. .... Boone, N. C.  
 Weaver, James H. .... Greensboro, N. C.  
 Wellman, Henry M. .... Rhodhiss, N. C.  
 West, Joseph H. .... Morven, N. C.  
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 Whisner, Allen H. .... Martinsburg, W. Va.  
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 Williams, George W. .... Walnut Cove, N. C.  
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 Crouse, T. V. .... Dobson, N. C.  
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 Hamilton, Guy. .... Amantha, N. C.  
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 Howell, D. V. .... Highlands, N. C.  
 Huggins, T. J. .... Weaverville, N. C.  
 Johnson, C. A. .... Rosman, N. C.  
 Kirk, E. L. .... Marion, N. C.  
 Maulden, S. P. .... R. F. D., Morganton, N. C.  
 Osborne, M. A. .... R. 4, Monroe, N. C.  
 Plyler, T. A. .... R. 1, Newton, N. C.  
 Reavis, B. C. .... Durham, N. C.  
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 Bryant, Gay. .... Ranger, N. C.  
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 Hackney, W. J. .... Backersville, N. C.  
 Heckard, M. W. .... Thermal City, N. C.  
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 Mitchell, John S. .... Bald Creek, N. C.  
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 Owen, S. L. .... Concord, N. C.  
 Starr, H. F. .... Albemarle, N. C.  
 Thomas, W. A. .... Fairview, N. C.  
 Thompson, W. B. .... R. 2, Randleman, N. C.  
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 Barton, C. T. .... Ansted, W. Va.  
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